

“Blue Planet”

Name _____

Period _____ **Date** _____

1. What fraction of the Earth’s surface is covered with water? _____

2. Name three islands shown in the video.

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

3. What gives Lake Natron its red color? _____

4. What activity of man allows land to support many more humans than hunting and gathering?

5. Describe the movement of water from sea and its return to the sea through the water cycle.

Rains → _____ → _____ → _____ → Rains

6. Where do people who live in the desert get water? _____

7. The Hubbard Glacier is located in which state? _____

8. Name two functions of satellites other than communication.

9. How were the Himalayas formed? _____

10. What causes an earthquake? _____

11. What activity of man is altering Earth in such a way as to cause silt to wash down to the sea in huge amounts? _____

12. What are three functions of a rainforest as seen (used) by humans?

13. What shields Earth from the sun’s ultraviolet (UV) radiation? _____

14. When the video is over, write one sentence summarizing your feelings about humans and their impacts on Earth. _____
