

Student Worksheet 2: Reading a Map

1. What type of land do you imagine would be good for farming?

2. Go to the Shaded Relief Map.

What color are the mountainous areas?

What color are the low-lying areas?

3. Circle the area on the Shaded Relief Map you think the most farming would place.

4. Using the Pennsylvania Barn Core map as a reference, roughly trace the Barn Core region onto the Physiographic Provinces of Pennsylvania map.

5. What physiographic provinces make up a majority of the barn core?

6. Define the following terms:

Piedmont:

Valley:

7. What do these areas making up the Barn Core have in common?