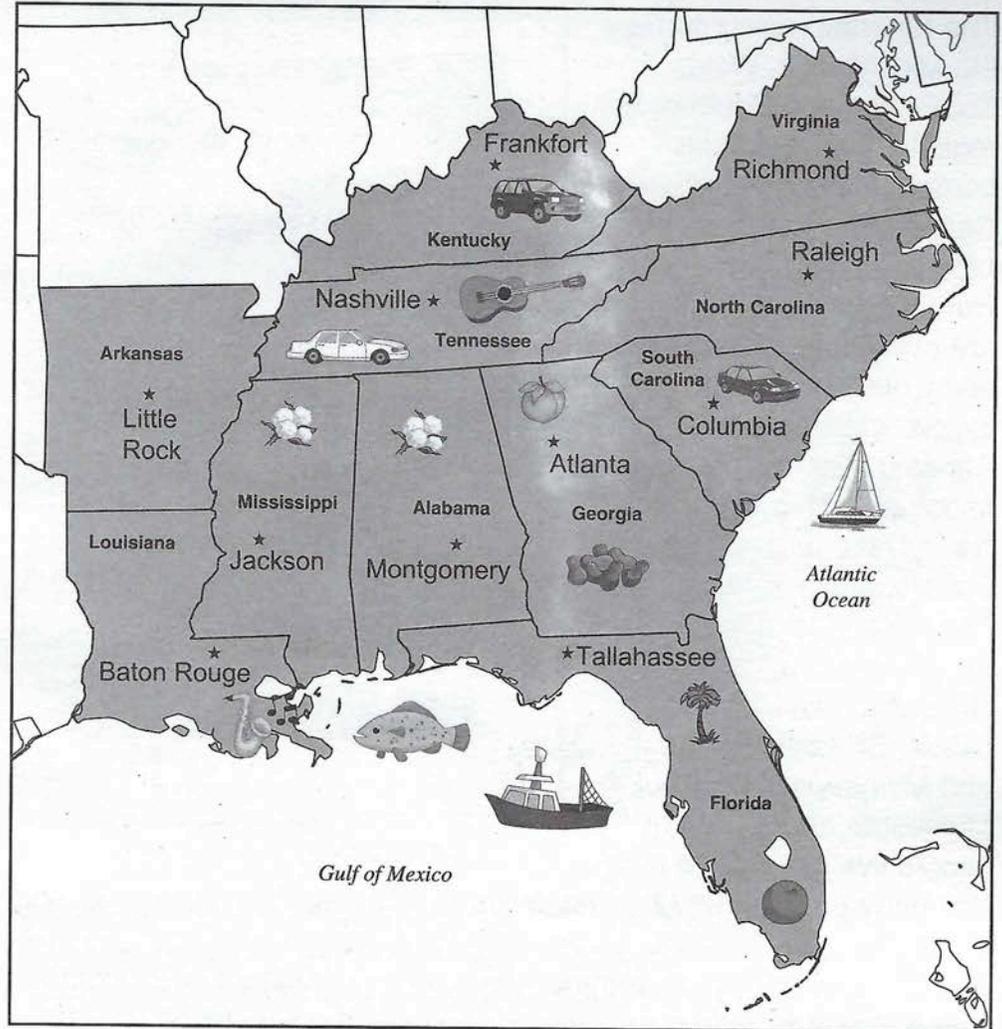


Human Geography in the Southeast

The human geography of the Southeast is diverse. People in the region live in urban, rural, and suburban settings. The physical geography of the Southeast provides the opportunity for many different occupations or jobs. People who live in rural settings work in the farming, livestock, and seafood industries. The Southeast is famous for crops such as cotton, peaches, peanuts, and rice. In urban settings, people work in many different industries including manufacturing, tourism, publishing, and music. In the Southeast along the Gulf of Mexico, oil refineries are an important part of the regional and national economies. Large cities such as Atlanta, Georgia, and Memphis, Tennessee, have become home to several major businesses because of the lower cost of living compared to other regions in the United States.



Use the descriptions and map above to answer the following questions.

1. Peanuts are grown in which state? _____
2. In what states might you find the music industry? _____
3. If you worked in the fishing industry, in which state(s) might you live? _____
4. In what states do people manufacture automobiles? _____

5. Cotton is grown in which states? _____