

Do not write your name on the assignment. Write your name only on the back of this sheet of paper and staple your answers on the front of this sheet of paper. Failure to follow these directions will cost you 1 point on the assignment.

- 1) (20 points) The book says that if the replacement fertility rate is reached by 2025, then the population will increase until 2100. Why would that occur?
- 2) (30 points) If you were a ruler of a developing country, what two things would you do to lower the high fertility rate in your country? Why would you do that? How do they relate to the five causes of high fertility?
- 3) (20 points) The book has a diagram that shows income per capita as a function of population. Which section of the graph do you think most developing countries are in? Why do you say that?
- 4) (10 points) The natural birthrate and the natural death rate are not the only things that affect population growth. What else does?
- 5) (20 points) Why are social norms important to population growth and why are they hard to change?