Wilf Csaplar Jr.   Economics 270   Homework #8   Due 4/21

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) (15 points) Explain why GDP per capita is a poor indication of how well developed a country is.

2) (25 points) Why are population trends a problem for development? What can be done about them? How would those policies reduce the problem?

3) (25 points) Explain why physical infrastructure and education are important for development. Which do you think is more important for development? Explain your logic.

4) (15 points) Why is the status of women an important indicator of the development of a country?

5) (10 points) Why are natural resources helpful for development?