Summer Reading Assignment

Pre-AP World Geography  
**Due Date: FRIDAY, September 12th**

Assignment: After finishing the first 4 chapters of “Why Geography Matters More Than Ever” by Harm de Blij, or “What Smart Students Know” by Adam Robinson you are to write a one-page review giving your opinion and thoughts regarding the book.  
  
Expectations:

* Book Review should be:
  + - * At least 1 Page, Typed, Single Spaced
      * Font Size of 12
      * Include student and teacher name

Your typed paper should be a well-written essay that contains an introduction with thesis, at least one main body paragraph, as well as a conclusion summarizing your thoughts and opinions. In the review you should answer these questions and, when necessary, provide evidence from the text:

* What are your general thoughts on the book?
* Would you recommend this book to incoming geography students next year? Why or why not?
* How do you think this book will help you in geography class this year?
* What did you find interesting that you didn’t already know?
* Does Geography matter? Why or Why not?
* How does Geography affect you?

The due date for the written essay, as stated above, is **SEPTEMBER 12.**