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Chapter 23: Resources and Power in Post-apartheid South Africa

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Essential Question: How might ethnic group differences affect who controls resources and power in a society?

Directions: Use Chapter 23 to answer the following questions.

1. What are the four main ethnic groups in South Africa?
2. Which ethnic group is the largest?
3. Which ethnic group is the smallest?
4. What does apartheid mean?
5. What happened to the ethnic groups during apartheid?
6. What are two mineral resources found in South Africa?
7. For about how long have people been living in South Africa? What ethnic group were they from?
8. In what year did South Africa become an independent country?
9. What are two effects blacks faced during apartheid?
10. What are two effects whites faced during apartheid?
11. What are *homelands*?
12. What are *townships*?
13. What does the ANC stand for? What did the ANC fight for?
14. Why did Nelson Mandela go to jail? How long was he in jail?
15. What happened in Soweto in 1976?

16. Who was F.W. de Klerk? What did he do that was significant?
17. Why were de Klerk and Mandela awarded the Nobel Peace Prize?
18. What is the Employment Equity Act?
19. What is a reason many South Africans are unemployed?
20. Why were black students not taught Math and Science during apartheid?
21. In general, what is the benefit for people to go to school as many years as possible?
22. Describe three changes to South African schools today that are different from schools during apartheid.
23. Why are cities in South Africa becoming less segregated?
24. Describe four ways the government is trying to improve urban slums.
25. Describe two ways the government is trying to bring health care to its citizens, especially those in rural areas.
26. How has HIV/AIDS affected South Africa? How will this disease affect South Africa's future?
27. How widespread is HIV/AIDS throughout the world as of 2004?
28. What are two reasons HIV/AIDS has been more common in Africa than in other regions?
29. What are two factors that have contributed to the global spread of HIV/AIDS?
30. What are two ways HIV/AIDS can hurt the countries most severely affected?