Archaeology of the American South Anthropology 550

Exercise 1 Rivers and Physiographic Regions

Part 1. On the map provided, please trace (in colored ink or pencil) and label the following rivers:

A. Mississippi River	M. Tallapoosa River
B. Missouri River	N. Alabama River
C. Arkansas River	O. Chattahoochee River
D. Red River	P. Flint River
E. Ouachita River	Q. Apalachicola River
F. Yazoo River	R. Ocmulgee River
G. Ohio River	S. Altamaha River
H. Tennessee River	T. Savannah River
I. Cumberland River	U. Pee Dee River
J. Tombigbee River	V. Yadkin River
K. Black Warrior River	W. Cape Fear River
L. Coosa River	X. Roanoke River

Part 2. On a second copy of the same map, please trace and label the following physiographic provinces (the numbering system below follows that in Fenneman 1917):

- 3. Coastal Plain
 - 3e. Mississippi Alluvial Plain (a.k.a Lower Mississippi Alluvial Valley)
- 4. Piedmont
- 5. Blue Ridge
- 6. Ridge and Valley (a.k.a. Appalachian Valley, Valley and Ridge)
- 8. Cumberland Plateau (a.k.a. Appalachian Plateaus)
- 11. Limestone Plateau (a.k.a. Interior Low Plateaus)
- 14. Ozark Plateau
- 15. Quachita Mountains

Then, on a separate piece of paper, briefly describe the topography and forest types in each province (2-3 sentences will suffice for each).

Please remember to write your name on the answers before you turn them in.

