

5 Population and development – Part 2

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Vocabulary

Write each word three times.

English

Write it 3 times (English)

population

birth rate

death rate

developed country

developing country

Recall

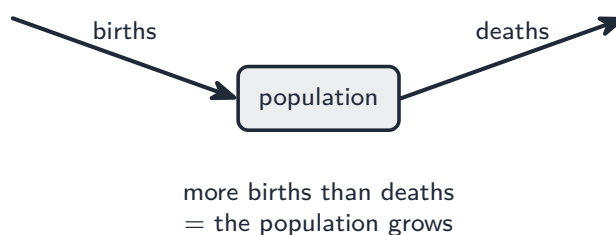
Countries differ in their population growth and in how developed they are.

New ideas

Read these first, then do the Practice.

■ 1 Population

A country's **population** grows when there are more births than deaths:



The **birth rate** and **death rate** control how fast it changes.

■ 2 Developed and developing

developed	developing
high income	low income
good health	poorer health
more schooling	less schooling

A **developed country** has high living standards; a **developing country** is still growing its economy.

Watch out: a population **grows** when **births exceed deaths**. A **developed** country has high living standards (high income, good health, more schooling); a **developing** country is still growing its economy and has less of each.

Practice

Try these in order.

5.6 When does a population grow? [1]

5.7 What is the *birth rate*? [1]

5.8 Give one feature of a developed country. [1]

5.9 Give one feature of a developing country. [1]

5.10 Is a country with high income and good health more likely developed or developing? [1]

5.11 Challenge. A country has a high birth rate and a falling death rate. Explain what is happening to its population, and why the death rate might be falling. [3]