

Name \_\_\_\_\_ **International Date Line**



# International Date Line Trivia

1. Where was the International Date Line created?
2. What is the shape of the IDL?
3. What happens every day for a little less than two hours because of the IDL?
4. What is the first country to enter the New Year each year?
5. What country's islands are the only islands crossed by the IDL?
6. In what novel does the IDL feature predominately as a part of the plot?
7. How did the IDL feature in this novel?
8. Did Portuguese explorer Magellan and his crew gain a day or lose a day when they returned from their 16th-century westward circumnavigation of the globe?