**Guided Reading Exercise**

**Chapter 29: A New Globalism, 1989 to the Present**

**How has globalization been both a unifying and a divisive influence on the West in the twenty-first century?**

*Download and save this document so you can return to it as you take notes and for studying.* As you read the chapter, fill in the chart below to remind yourself how globalization has been both a unifying and a divisive influence on the West in the twenty-first century. If you copy and paste from the text, make sure to put quotation marks around the copied material; if, however, you are able to describe the consequences in your own words, you should do so.

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|  | Unifying influence(s) | Divisive influence(s) | Neither unifying nor divisive |
| **Collapse of the Soviet Union and Its Aftermath** |  |  |  |
| The Breakup of Yugoslavia |  |  |  |
| The Soviet Union Comes Apart |  |  |  |
| Toward a Market Economy |  |  |  |
| International Politics and the New Russia |  |  |  |
| **The Nation-State in a Global Age** |  |  |  |
| Europe Looks beyond the  Nation-State |  |  |  |
| Globalizing Cities and Fragmenting  Nations |  |  |  |
| Global Organizations |  |  |  |
| **An Interconnected World’s New Challenges** |  |  |  |
| The Problems of Pollution |  |  |  |
| Population, Health, and Disease |  |  |  |
| North versus South? |  |  |  |
| Radical Islam Meets the West |  |  |  |
| The Promise and Problems of a World Economy |  |  |  |
| **Global Culture and Society in the Twenty-first Century** |  |  |  |
| Redefining the West: The Impact of Global Migration |  |  |  |
| Global Networks and Social Change |  |  |  |
| A New Global Culture? |  |  |  |