Ctrl-click this link to access Urbanisation: moving to and living in the city.

1) Review your knowledge and understanding of the following terms:
   - rural-urban migration
   - rate of urbanisation
   - fertility rate
   - megacity
   - urbanisation
   - urban sprawl
   - rural

2) The chart below is based on the same figures from the UN used to make the maps you have been examining. Look at it carefully.

   Figure 1: Changing world urban and rural population since 1950

   a) Referring to numbers from the chart describe the trend in populations living in urban areas between 1950 and projected to 2050.

   b) Using the Story Map – including pop-ups – try to find evidence (bullets 7 and 9) for three types of country, and add some of their names to a copy of the table below.

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   c) Using and quoting evidence you have gathered, to what extent do you agree with the idea that urbanisation has been proceeding evenly throughout the world?

3) Describe the spread of megacities noting also their sizes. You will need to refer to places e.g. countries and regions e.g. north of…, or east of…

4) Write three paragraphs to explain the growth of urban populations. You should consider: rural-urban migration; fertility rates; changing urban boundaries.