

ALL ABOUT

MAPS

&

GL  BES



Name: _____

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

This is a map of the United States of America



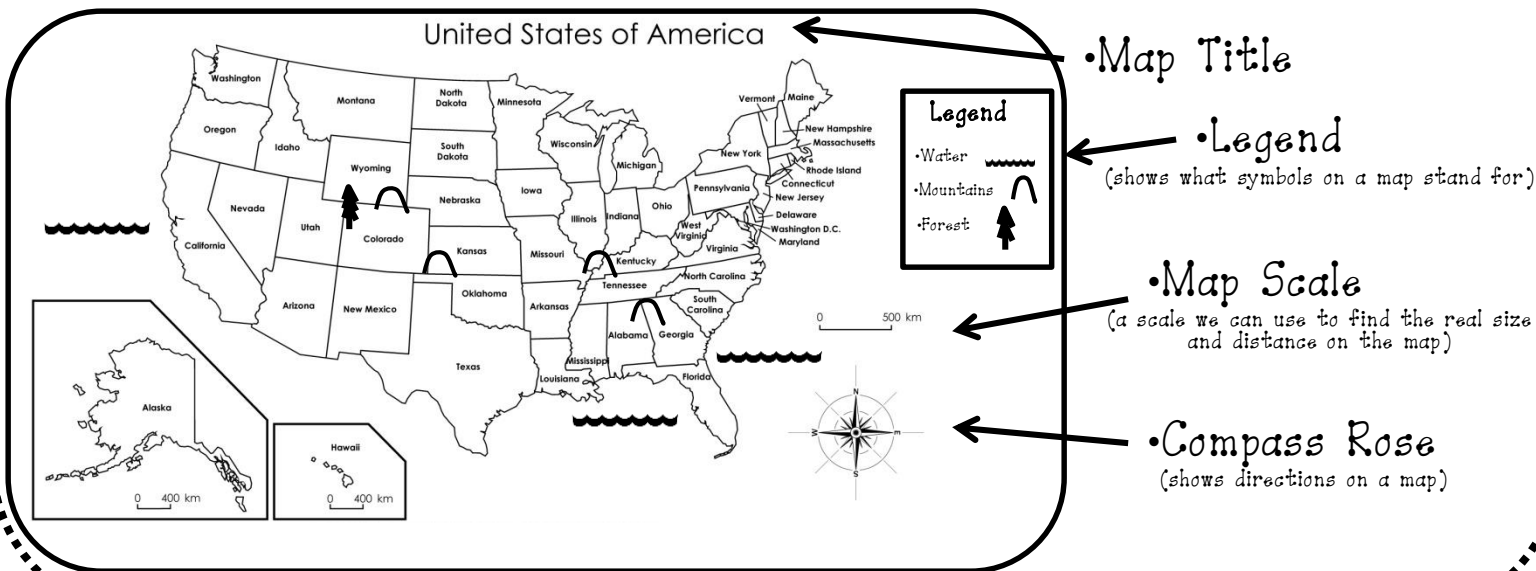
Color the State You Live in Yellow.

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

Maps

• A Map is a flat model that shows how a place looks from above and where places are located.

• We use Maps to help us find our way to places we want to go.



1

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

The United States is made up of 50 States.

- | | | | | |
|----------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Alabama | 11. Hawaii | 21. Massachusetts | 31. New Mexico | 41. South Dakota |
| 2. Alaska | 12. Idaho | 22. Michigan | 32. New York | 42. Tennessee |
| 3. Arizona | 13. Illinois | 23. Minnesota | 33. North Carolina | 43. Texas |
| 4. Arkansas | 14. Indiana | 24. Mississippi | 34. North Dakota | 44. Utah |
| 5. California | 15. Iowa | 25. Missouri | 35. Ohio | 45. Vermont |
| 6. Colorado | 16. Kansas | 26. Montana | 36. Oklahoma | 46. Virginia |
| 7. Connecticut | 17. Kentucky | 27. Nebraska | 37. Oregon | 47. Washington |
| 8. Delaware | 18. Louisiana | 28. Nevada | 38. Pennsylvania | 48. West Virginia |
| 9. Florida | 19. Maine | 29. New Hampshire | 39. Rhode Island | 49. Wisconsin |
| 10. Georgia | 20. Maryland | 30. New Jersey | 40. South Carolina | 50. Wyoming |

Highlight the name of the State where you live and write it in the blank below.

If you have lived in any other states, circle them.

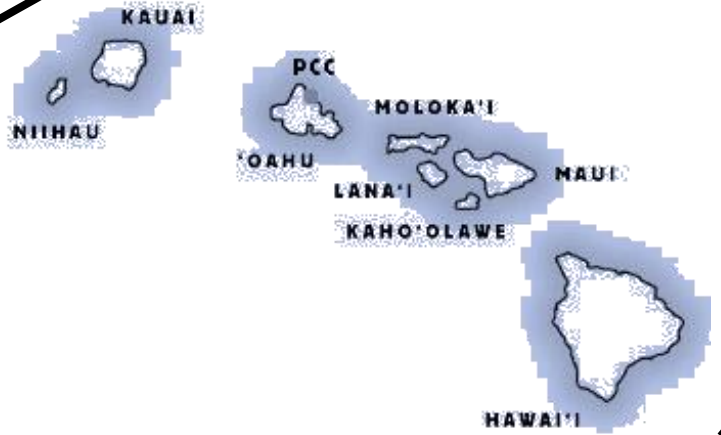
3

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

There are two states that are not connected to the other forty-eight states....



Alaska



Hawaii

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

4

Political & Physical Maps

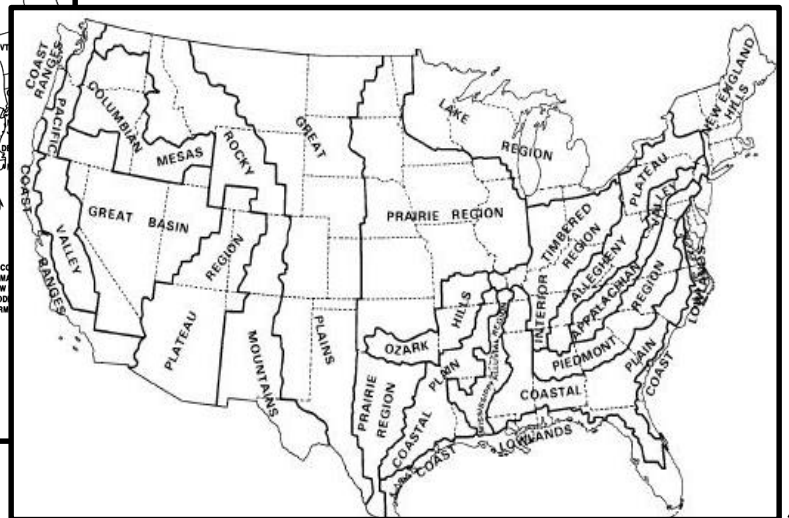
Political Map

(Shows boundaries of Countries, States, and Counties).



Physical Map

(Shows Landforms, Mountains, Deserts, etc.)



Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

6

Each State has a Capital. This map shows the Capital of each State.



5 What is the Capital of Your State? _____

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

Globe

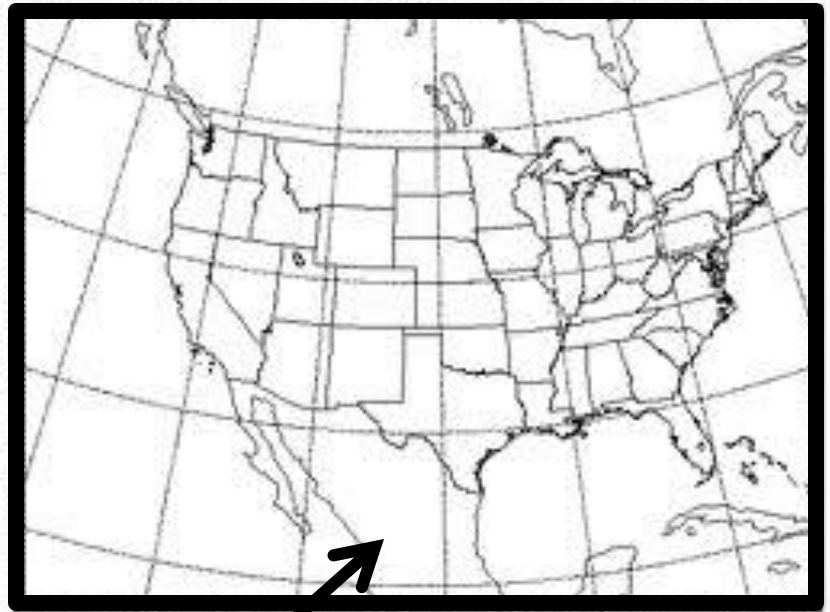
- It is a Round Model of the Earth.
- It is in the Shape of a Sphere.
- Color the Land Green.
- Color the Water Blue.
- Color the Stand Brown.



7

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

This is How the United States Looks on the Globe

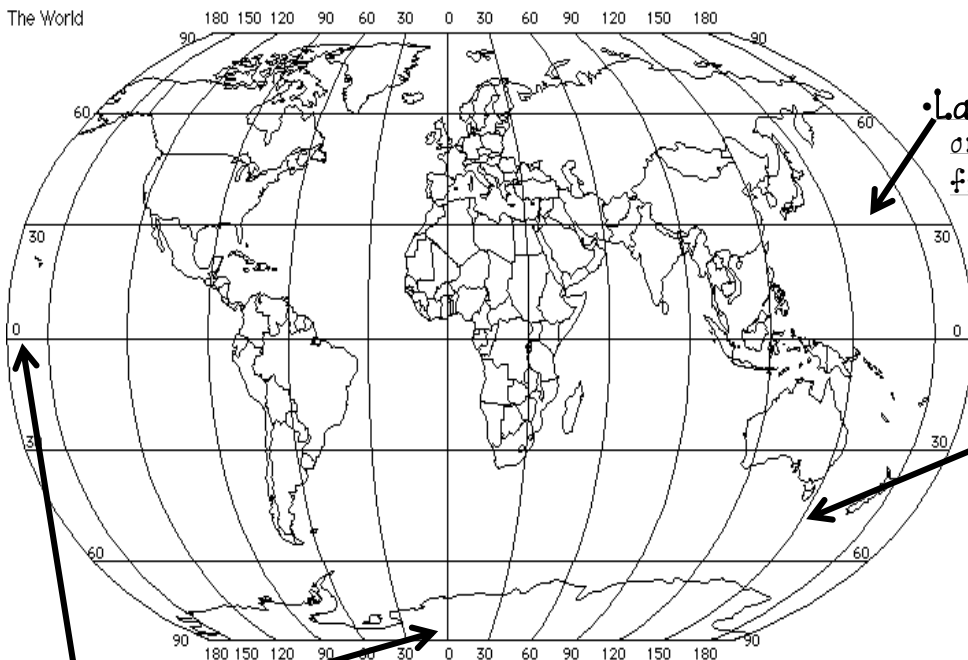


A Closer View

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

8

Latitude and Longitude



• **Latitude** - The imaginary "flat" lines on the globe that show the distance from the equator.



• **Longitude** - The imaginary lines on the globe that run up and down and show the distance from the Prime Meridian.



• **Prime Meridian** - The imaginary "0" line that runs up and down

• **Equator** - The imaginary "0" flat line.

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

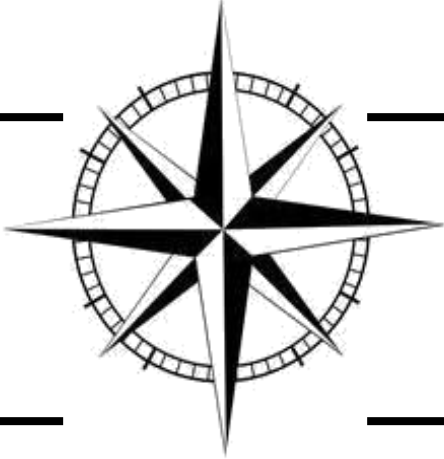
10

Compass Rose

A Symbol That Shows Directions on a Map.

• Cardinal Directions - The four main directions (North, South, East, West).

N



• Label the Compass Rose Using the Following Labels.

(cross out each label after it has been used)

NE

SE

E

SW

S

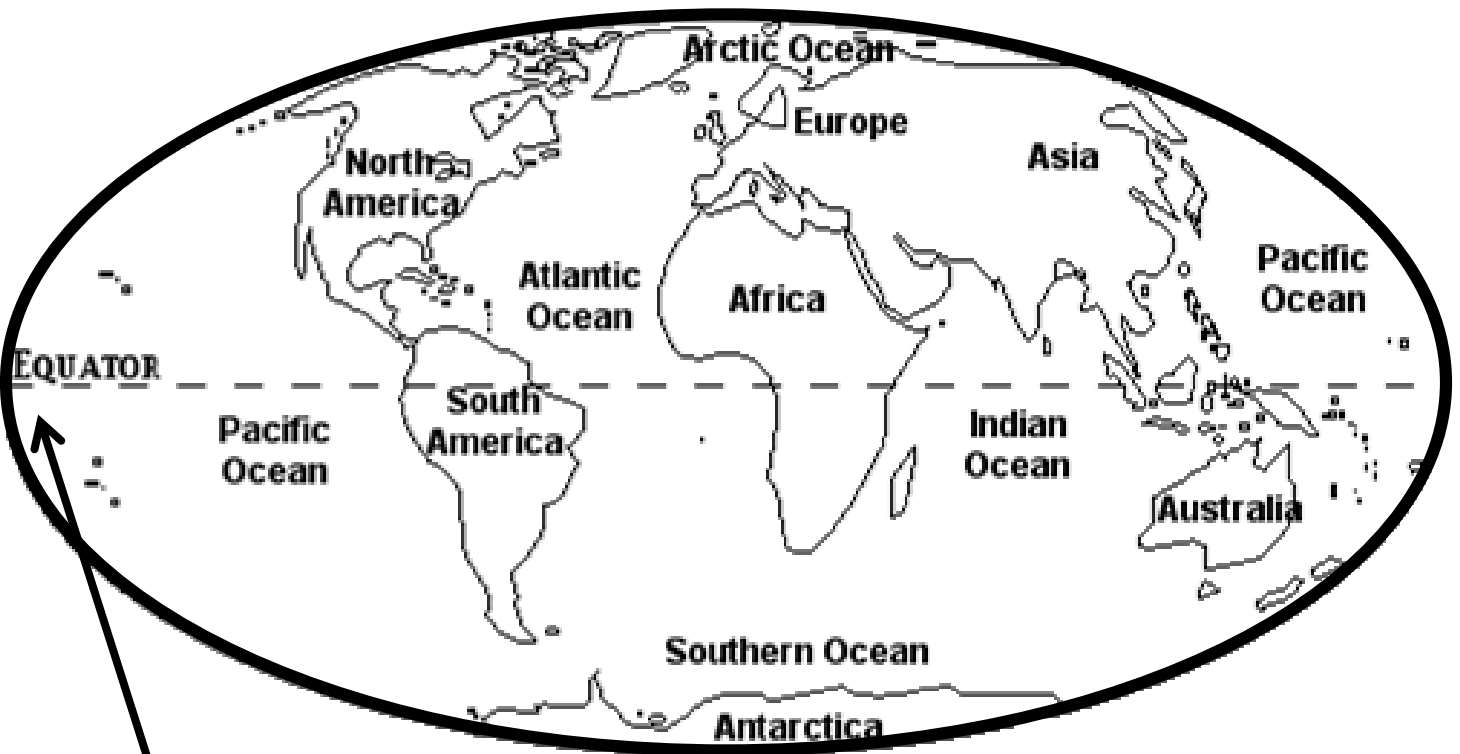
W

NW

9

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

There are Seven Continents and Five Oceans.



The Equator is an imaginary line around the Earth.

11

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

Continents

(Large Bodies of Land on Earth)



1. Africa
2. Antarctica
3. Asia
4. Australia
5. Europe
6. North America
7. South America

Oceans

(Large Bodies of Water on Earth)

1. Atlantic Ocean
2. Pacific Ocean
3. Indian Ocean
4. Arctic Ocean
5. Southern Ocean

On What Continent is the United States Located?

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

12

Review

8. An _____ is a large body of water on earth.
9. The four main directions are called _____.
10. A _____ shows country, state, county boundaries.
11. A _____ shows landforms, mountains, and deserts.
12. The four Cardinal Directions are 1. _____, 2. _____, 3. _____, 4. _____.
13. The _____ is a round model of the earth.
14. The United States is on what continent? _____.
15. There are _____ continents and _____ oceans.
16. What two states are not connected to the other 48 states?
_____ and _____.
17. A _____ is a large body of land on earth.

Copyright © 2015 T. Rowell

14

Review

Fill in the Blank

1. A _____ is a flat model that shows how a place looks from above and where places are located.
2. The name of the state I live in is _____.
3. The name of my state capital is _____.
4. A _____ shows directions on a map.
5. _____ are the flat lines on the globe. _____ lines are the lines that run up and down on the globe.
6. The _____ is the imaginary flat ("0") line that runs around the earth
7. The United States of America has _____ states.