



Assessment Rubric



Mapping Skills with Google Earth™

Student's Name: _____ Assignment: _____ Level: _____

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Understanding Concepts	Demonstrates a limited understanding of the concepts. Requires teacher intervention	Demonstrates a basic understanding of the concepts. Requires some teacher intervention	Demonstrates a good understanding of the concepts. Requires minimal teacher intervention	Demonstrates a thorough understanding of the concepts. Requires no teacher intervention
Responses to the Text	Expresses responses to the text with limited effectiveness, inconsistently supported by proof from the text	Expresses responses to the text with some effectiveness, supported by some proof from the text	Expresses responses to the text with appropriate skills, supported with appropriate proof	Expresses thorough and complete responses to the text, supported by concise and effective proof from the text
Application of Own Interests	Interprets and applies various concepts in the text with few, unrelated details and incorrect analysis	Interprets and applies various concepts in the text with some detail, but with some inconsistent analysis	Interprets and applies various concepts in the text with appropriate detail and analysis	Effectively interprets and applies various concepts in the text with consistent, clear and effective detail and analysis

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STRENGTHS:

WEAKNESSES:

NEXT STEPS:



Map Your Continent

Answer the questions with a complete sentence.

1. The Northern part of the continent North America is covered in snow and ice. What animal lives there?

2. The Pacific Ocean is home to some massive creatures. Can you name any?

3. **Circle** the word **TRUE** if the statement is true or **circle** the word **FALSE** if it is false.

a) There are 6 continents in the world.

TRUE

FALSE

b) Mexico is one of the countries in North America.

TRUE

FALSE

c) The Arctic Ocean is on the west coast of North America.

TRUE

FALSE

d) A continent is a large lake.

TRUE

FALSE

e) A continent is a large area of land.

TRUE

FALSE

f) Canada is in South America.

TRUE

FALSE

g) Lake Minnesota is one of the Great Lakes.

TRUE

FALSE

h) The Pacific Ocean is off the west coast of North America.

TRUE

FALSE

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Comprehension Quiz



Part A

Match the answers in the list to the questions below.



compass rose

relative location

title

route

North East

a) What is the location of a place or object when compared to another place or object?

b) What is the name of a map also called?

c) What symbol shows you the direction on a map?

d) What is the intermediate direction between North and East?

e) What is the way you travel from one place to another called?

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Part B

Label 3 continents, 3 oceans, 3 countries, and 2 lakes on the world map to the right.



SUBTOTAL: /16

Urban Neighborhood

Using the map of an urban neighborhood, find the locations of the following places.

What grid reference is the library at? _____

What grid reference is the postal office at? _____

What grid reference is the school at? _____

What grid reference is the hospital at? _____

What grid reference is the house at? _____

What grid reference is the park at? _____

