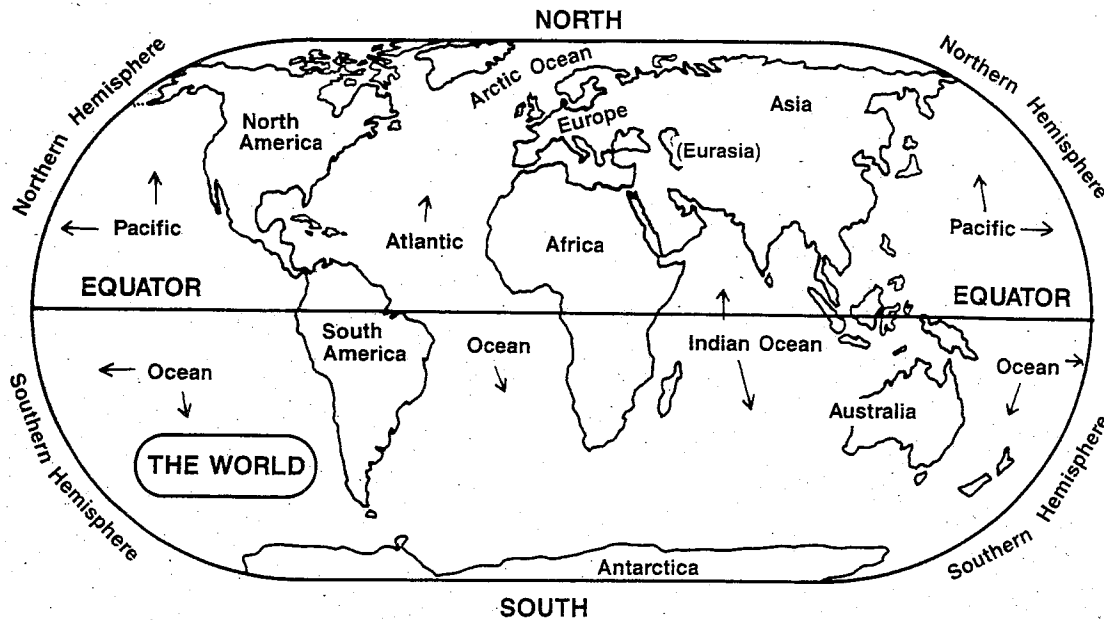


LOCATING THE CONTINENTS AND OCEANS



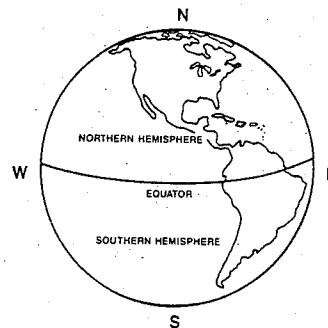
1. Continents are the great land masses of the earth. They are shown and named on the map above. How many continents are there?

2. Sometimes Europe and Asia are called one continent because they are joined together. According to the map, what is the name of the one combined continent?

3. Oceans are the great water bodies of the world. What are the names of the world's four oceans?

4. Find the line on the map called *equator*. This line divides the earth into two parts called *hemispheres*. A *sphere* is a ball, which is what the earth appears to be. *Hemi* means "one-half." So a hemisphere is one-half of a ball, or one-half of the earth.

The half of the earth that contains the North Pole is called the *Northern Hemisphere*. The half that contains the South Pole is called the *Southern Hemisphere*. The small globe map above shows these two hemispheres.



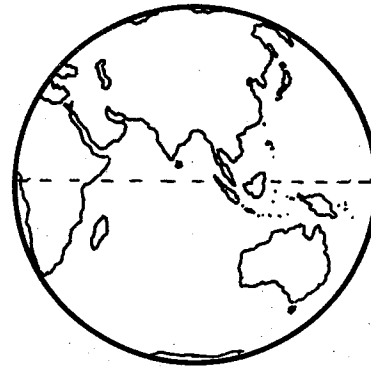
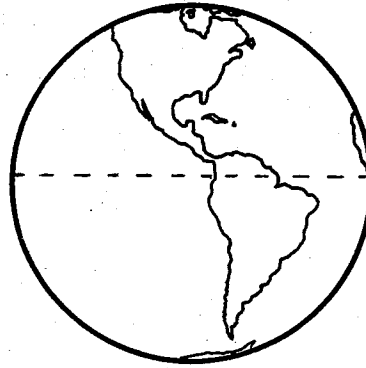
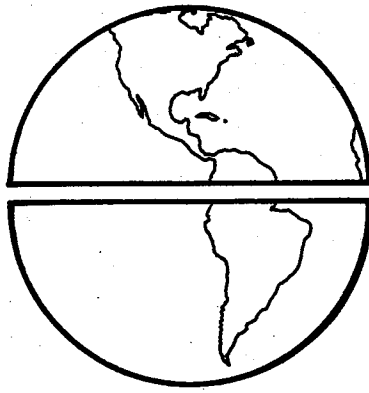
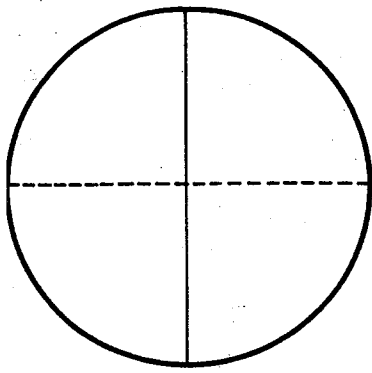
THE HEMISPHERES (North & South)

Following are some incomplete sentences about hemispheres, continents, and oceans. Draw a circle around the word that correctly completes each sentence.

- a. Most land is in the (southern, northern) hemisphere.
- b. Most water is in the (southern, northern) hemisphere.
- c. Australia is in the (northern, southern) hemisphere.
- d. Most of South America and all of Antarctica are in the (northern, southern) hemisphere.
- e. Europe, Asia, and North America are all in the (northern, southern) hemisphere.

5. What ocean would you cross to go from:

- a. North America to Europe? _____
- b. Africa to South America? _____
- c. Australia to Africa? _____

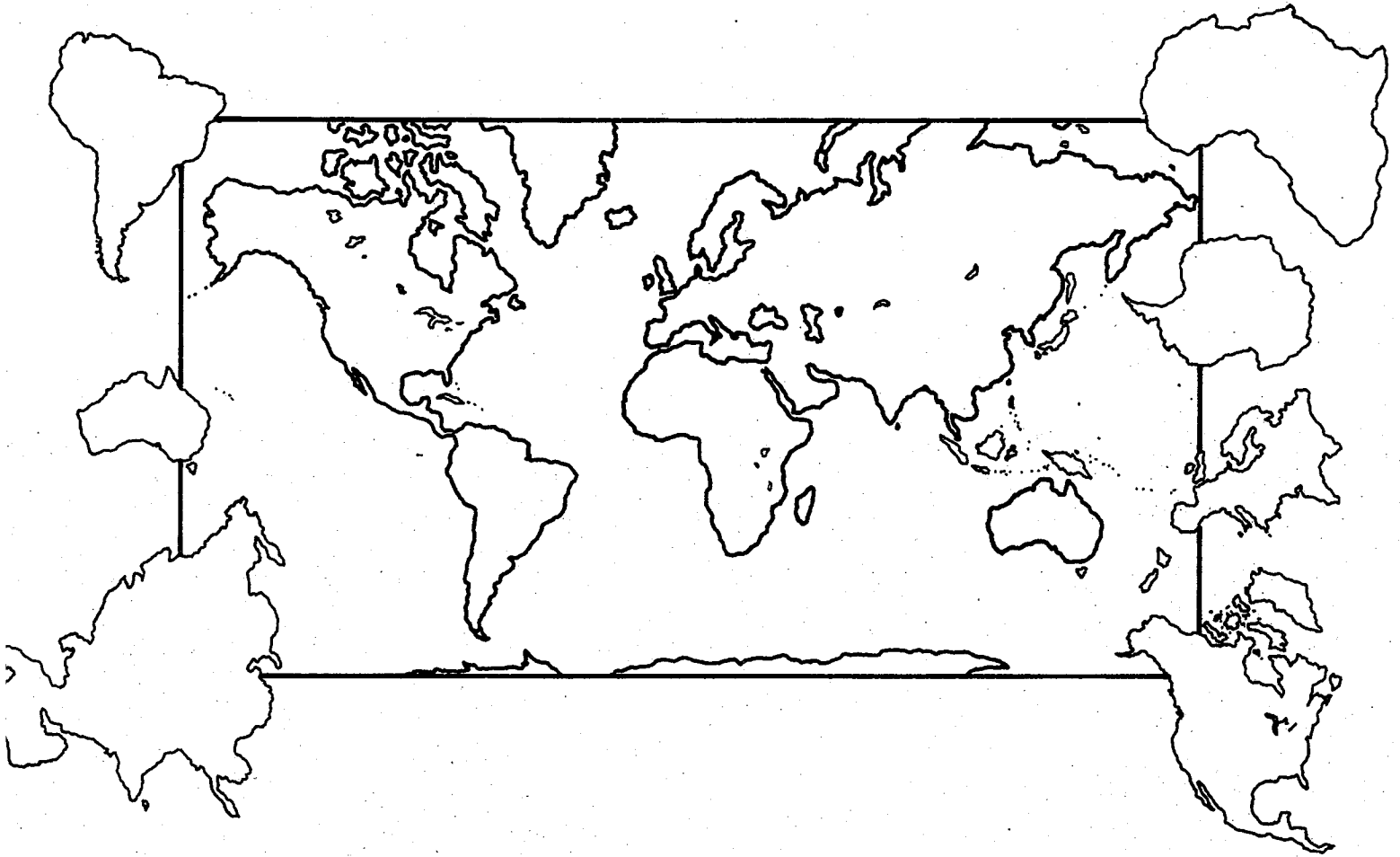


Label the information shown on the globes.

1. World globes are divided into Northern and Southern Hemispheres by the _____.
2. The point farthest north on the globe is the _____.
3. The _____ also divides the earth into Hemispheres.
4. The direction toward the South Pole from the Equator is _____.
5. The Arctic Ocean is not found in the _____ Hemisphere.
6. The Western Hemisphere includes _____,
_____, and part of _____.
7. The largest continent is located in the _____.
8. The _____ Ocean is not found in the Western Hemisphere.
9. The Northern Hemisphere is located between the _____ and the
_____.
10. The Arctic Ocean is closest to the _____.

Which Way?

1. The Equator runs _____ and _____.
2. The Prime Meridian runs _____ and _____.
3. As you face the South Pole the direction on your right is _____.
4. To get from your city to the Equator you would travel _____.
5. You live _____ of the Prime Meridian.
6. As you face east, the North Pole is on your _____.
7. All of Australia is _____ of the Equator.



1. The seven continents are:

1. _____

5. _____

2. _____

6. _____

3. _____

7. _____

4. _____

Label each continent outline with the number of your answer.

2. The four oceans are:

1. _____

3. _____

2. _____

4. _____

Label the oceans on the map.

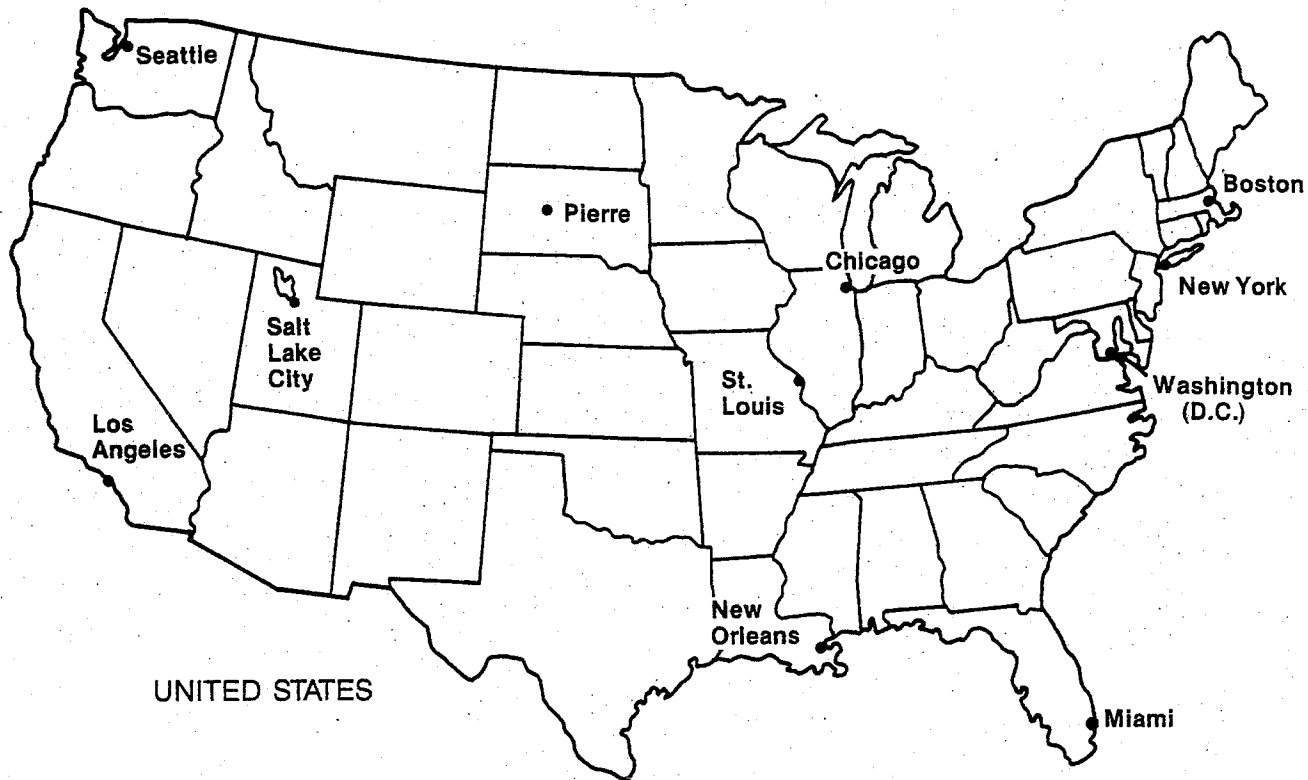
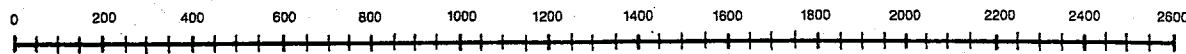
3. The smallest continent on earth is _____.

4. The largest continent on earth is _____.

5. On what continent do you live? _____

Name _____ Date _____

USING A SCALE OF MILES TO FIND AIR DISTANCE



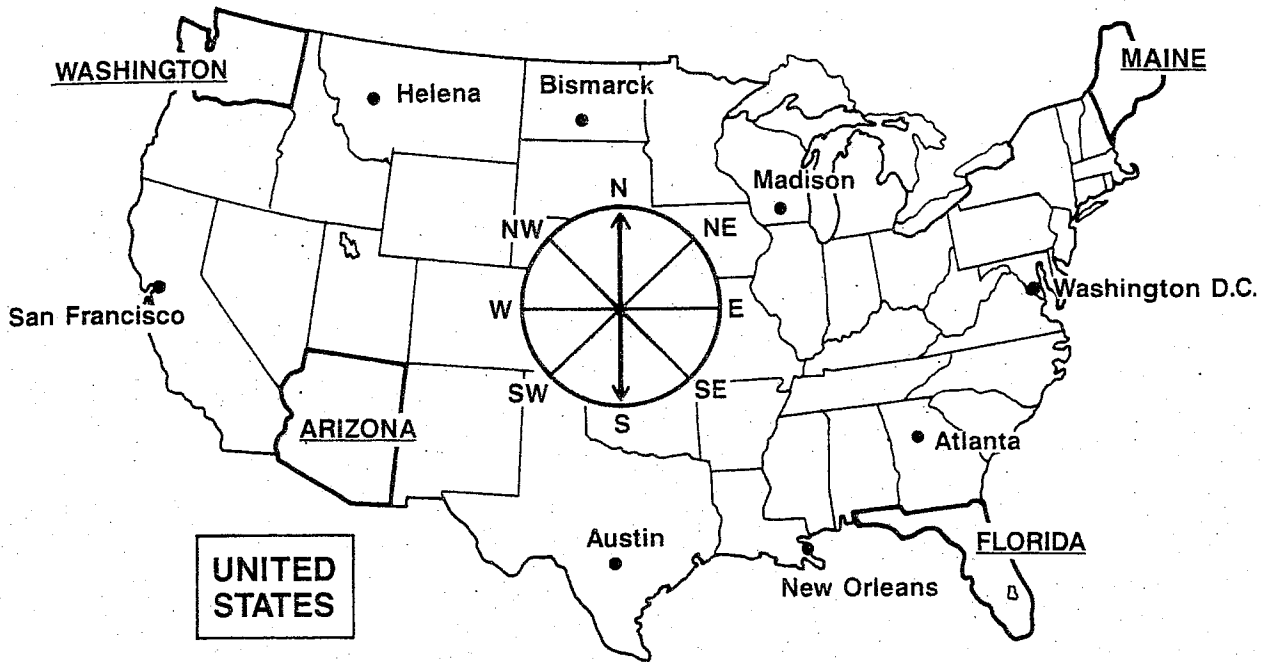
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Cities	New Orleans, LA	Seattle, WA	St. Louis, MO	Salt Lake City, UT	Washington, D.C.
1 Boston, MA	A	B	C	D	E
2 Chicago, IL	A	B	C	D	E
3 Los Angeles, CA	A	B	C	D	E
4 Miami, FL	A	B	C	D	E
5 Pierre, SD	A	B	C	D	E

Name _____

Date _____

USING DIRECTIONS TO LOCATE CITIES AND STATES



Imagine that you are in the center of the direction circle shown on the map. You are deciding which direction you should take to go to the four states and eight cities shown on the map.

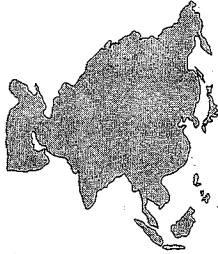
The table below lists the states and cities. Put a check (✓) in the column that best tells the direction from your position to the place. Remember that the dot (•) shows the location of the city, not the printed name.

PLACE	DIRECTION FROM THE CENTER OF THE MAP CIRCLE							
	N (North)	NE (Northeast)	E (East)	SE (Southeast)	S (South)	SW (Southwest)	W (West)	NW (Northwest)
1. Arizona								
2. Florida								
3. Maine								
4. Washington								
(Cities)								
5. Atlanta								
6. Austin								
7. Bismarck								
8. Helena								
9. Madison								
10. New Orleans								
11. San Francisco								
12. Washington, D.C.								

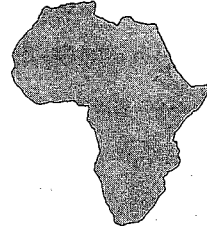
Match the names of the continents in the list with their shapes below.

- a. North America
- b. Africa
- c. South America
- d. Asia

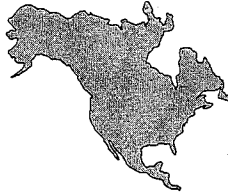
- e. Australia
- f. Europe
- g. Antarctica



_____ 1.



_____ 2.



_____ 3.



_____ 4.



_____ 5.



_____ 6.



_____ 7.