

Florida Giant Map Activity

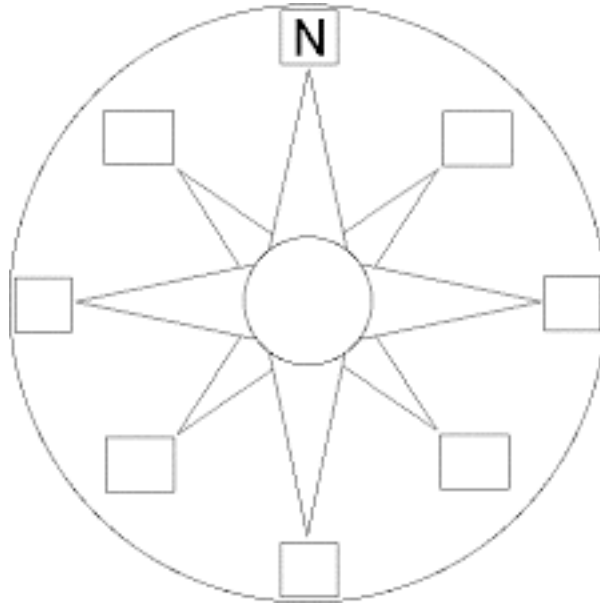


Questions:

1. In this map, draw a triangle around the compass. Draw a square around the title and a circle around the legend.



2. Label each of the directions of the compass rose. You can use this chart for the questions referring to the map of Florida.



3. Look at this map of Florida. If you go from Orlando to Georgia, you are going_____




If you go from Gainesville to Pensacola, you are going_____

If you go from Miami to the Florida Keys, you are going_____

If you go from Tallahassee to Jacksonville, you are going_____

FLORIDA

MAP KEY

★	State capital
● ● ●	City or town
— · — · — · — · —	Canal
—————	State boundary
	Swamp
	Indian Reservation
	National Park Service
	National Forest land

4. Using this legend, can you tell me what the three blue lines running from Lake Okeechobee to the Atlantic Ocean on the Florida Giant Map are?

5. Using this legend, can you tell me what the green patch just north of Orlando is?

Matching:

Each hemisphere matches with a different letter. Can you match them all?

Hemisphere	Letter and Number:
North	W
East	S
South	E
West	N

In this next section, you'll match letters and numbers with different cities. For example, Jacksonville meets at H and 2 on the map, so Jacksonville is H2. In the second section, using the letters and numbers along the yellow border to the map to match each city with its coordinate points. For example, Jacksonville is at 30N and 81W, so Jacksonville is at (30, 81). To get a better view of the map, you can zoom in.

City:	Letter and Number:
Tallahassee	G6
Daytona Beach	H4

Miami	C1
Panama City	E2
Orlando	D2
Lake Okeechobee	H3
Fort Myers	I7
Highest Point in Florida	H5

City:

Tallahassee	(29N, 81W)
Daytona Beach	(30N, 86W)
Miami	(26N, 80W)
Key West	(26.5N, 82W)
Orlando	(27N, 81W)
Lake Okeechobee	(30N, 84W)
Fort Myers	(28.5N, 81W)
Highest Point in Florida	(24.5N, 82W)

Bonus Question: If you look on the upper/lower and left/right sides of the map, there are Ns and Ws (next to each coordinate point). Why are they on this map?