SOCIAL STUDIES · COMMUNITY HELPERS · FOR GROWN-UPS

Answer key: Community helpers

Who Uses This Tool?

1. **Firefighter** → Fire hose
2. **Doctor** → Stethoscope
3. **Mail carrier** → Mailbag
4. **Teacher** → Books
5. **Chef** → Cooking pot
6. **Farmer** → Tractor
7. **Dentist** → Toothbrush
8. **Hairstylist** → Scissors

Where Do They Work?

1. **Teacher** → School
2. **Nurse** → Hospital
3. **Firefighter** → Fire station
4. **Librarian** → Library
5. **Postal worker** → Post office
6. **Farmer** → Farm
7. **Veterinarian** → Animal clinic
8. **Pilot** → Airport

Community Helpers Word Search

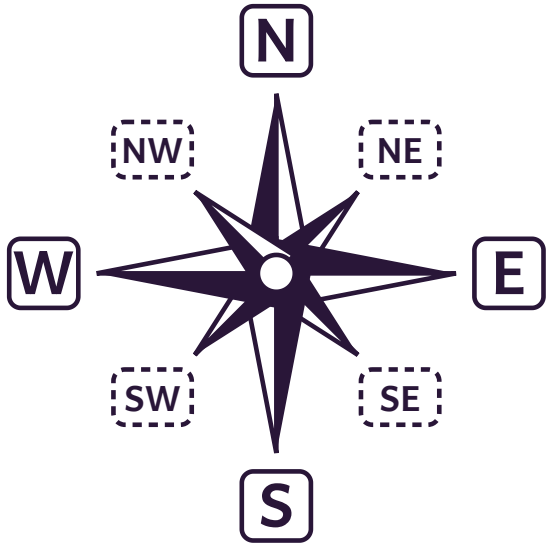
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SOCIAL STUDIES · MAPS AND CARDINAL DIRECTIONS · FOR GROWN-UPS

Answer key: Maps and cardinal directions

Label the Compass Rose



1. The sun rises in the **east**.
2. The sun sets in the **west**.
3. The opposite of north is **south**.
4. Between north and west is **northwest**.
5. Between south and east is **southeast**.

Directions Around Town

1. What is just north of the School? **Pond**
2. What is just south of the School? **Home**
3. What is just east of the School? **Park**
4. What is just west of the School? **Bakery**
5. Which way do you go from the Home to the Hospital? **east**
6. Which way do you go from the Park to the Library? **north**
7. Which way do you go from the Zoo to the Store? **north**
8. Start at Home. Go 1 square east, then 1 square south. Where are you? **Bank**

Treasure Island Grid

B2 Ship **E1** Volcano **C4** Cave **A5** Palm tree
F4 Parrot Treasure: **E6** Hut: **D2** Bridge: **D5**
Waterfall: **A3**

Follow the Directions

A	A	B	W	R	N
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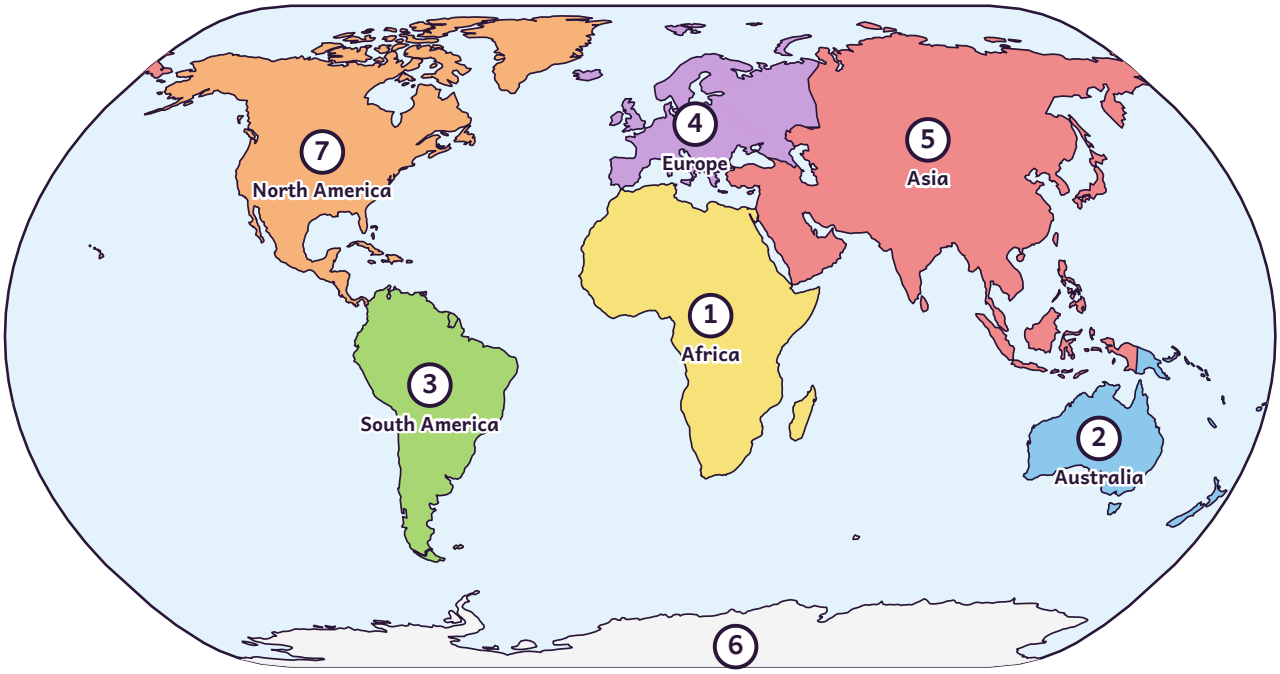
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SOCIAL STUDIES · CONTINENTS AND OCEANS · FOR GROWN-UPS

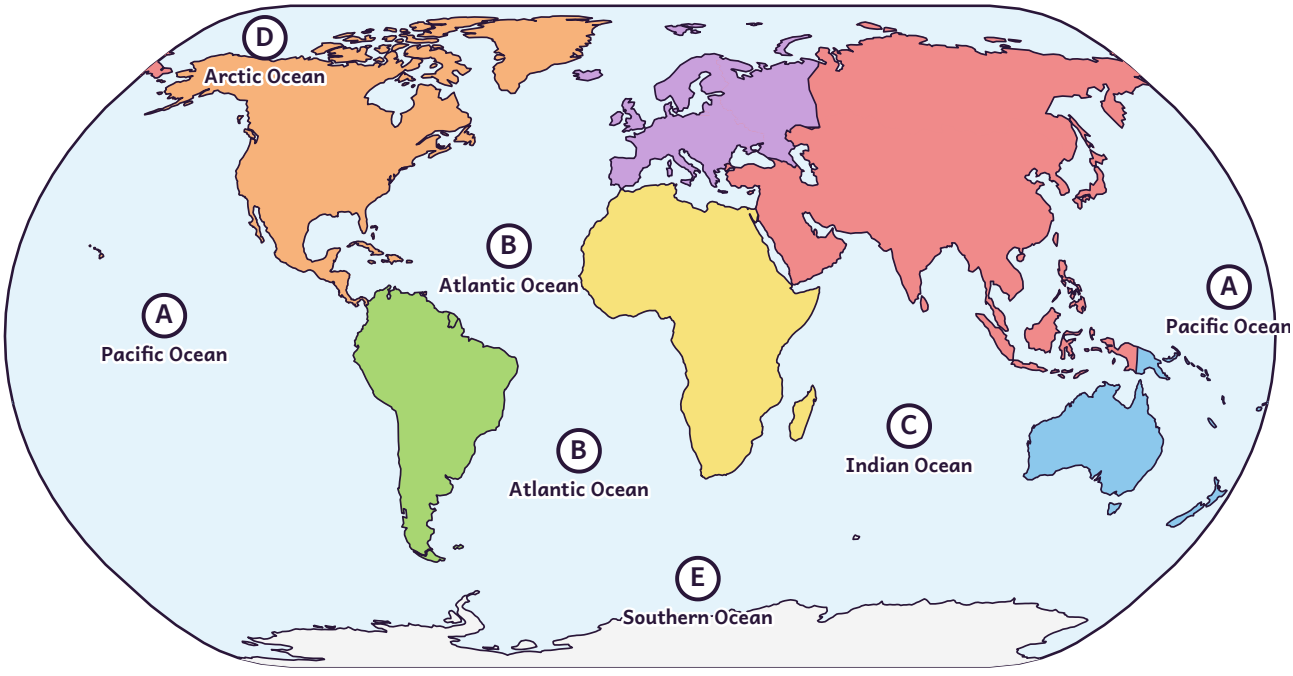
Answer key (1 of 2): Continents and oceans

Label the 7 Continents



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

Label the 5 Oceans



A Pacific Ocean **B** Atlantic Ocean **C** Indian Ocean **D** Arctic Ocean **E** Southern Ocean

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SOCIAL STUDIES · CONTINENTS AND OCEANS · FOR GROWN-UPS

Answer key (2 of 2): Continents and oceans

Which Continent? Which Ocean?

1. The biggest continent **Asia**
2. The coldest continent, covered in ice **Antarctica**
3. A continent that is also one country **Australia**
4. The Sahara Desert and the Nile River are here **Africa**
5. Canada, the United States and Mexico are here **North America**
6. The Amazon rain forest is here **South America**
7. France, Italy and Spain are here **Europe**
8. The biggest and deepest ocean **Pacific**
9. The ocean around the North Pole **Arctic**
10. The ocean between North America and Europe **Atlantic**
11. The ocean between Africa and Australia **Indian**
12. The ocean around Antarctica **Southern**

Continents and Oceans Word Search

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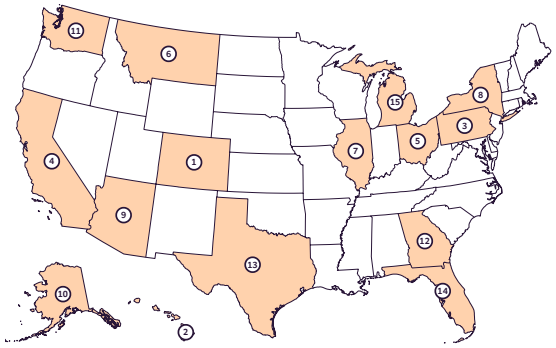
SOCIAL STUDIES · U.S. STATES AND CAPITALS · FOR GROWN-UPS

Answer key (1 of 2): U.S. states and capitals

The 50 States and Capitals Map

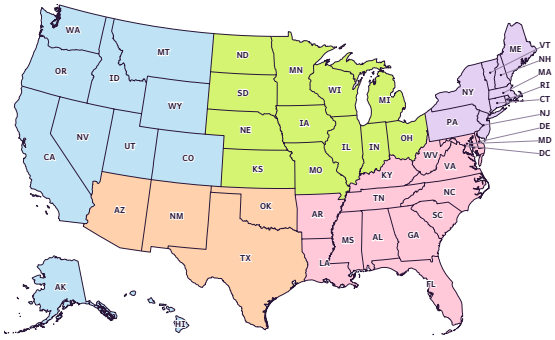
1. Answers depend on your state.
2. Four Corners: **Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico and Utah**
3. Farthest north: **Alaska**
4. Touch no other state: **Alaska and Hawaii**

Label the States



1 Colorado **2** Hawaii **3** Pennsylvania **4** California **5** Ohio **6** Montana **7** Illinois **8** New York
9 Arizona **10** Alaska **11** Washington **12** Georgia **13** Texas **14** Florida **15** Michigan

The 5 Regions of the United States



1. The region with the fewest states: **Southwest**
2. Alaska and Hawaii are in the: **West**
3. Florida is in the: **Southeast**

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Answer key (2 of 2): U.S. states and capitals

States and Capitals: Alabama to Missouri

1. Alabama: **Montgomery**
2. Alaska: **Juneau**
3. Arizona: **Phoenix**
4. Arkansas: **Little Rock**
5. California: **Sacramento**
6. Colorado: **Denver**
7. Connecticut: **Hartford**
8. Delaware: **Dover**
9. Florida: **Tallahassee**
10. Georgia: **Atlanta**
11. Hawaii: **Honolulu**
12. Idaho: **Boise**
13. Illinois: **Springfield**
14. Indiana: **Indianapolis**
15. Iowa: **Des Moines**
16. Kansas: **Topeka**
17. Kentucky: **Frankfort**
18. Louisiana: **Baton Rouge**
19. Maine: **Augusta**
20. Maryland: **Annapolis**
21. Massachusetts: **Boston**
22. Michigan: **Lansing**
23. Minnesota: **Saint Paul**
24. Mississippi: **Jackson**
25. Missouri: **Jefferson City**

States and Capitals: Montana to Wyoming

1. Montana: **Helena**
2. Nebraska: **Lincoln**
3. Nevada: **Carson City**
4. New Hampshire: **Concord**
5. New Jersey: **Trenton**
6. New Mexico: **Santa Fe**
7. New York: **Albany**
8. North Carolina: **Raleigh**
9. North Dakota: **Bismarck**
10. Ohio: **Columbus**
11. Oklahoma: **Oklahoma City**
12. Oregon: **Salem**
13. Pennsylvania: **Harrisburg**
14. Rhode Island: **Providence**
15. South Carolina: **Columbia**
16. South Dakota: **Pierre**
17. Tennessee: **Nashville**
18. Texas: **Austin**
19. Utah: **Salt Lake City**
20. Vermont: **Montpelier**
21. Virginia: **Richmond**
22. Washington: **Olympia**
23. West Virginia: **Charleston**
24. Wisconsin: **Madison**
25. Wyoming: **Cheyenne**

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SOCIAL STUDIES · AMERICAN SYMBOLS AND LANDMARKS · FOR GROWN-UPS

Answer key: American symbols and landmarks

Color the American Flag

1. How many red stripes? **7**
2. How many white stripes? **6**
3. How many stars? **50**
4. How many stripes in all? **13**

American Symbols Match

1. **Bald eagle** → The national bird
2. **American flag** → One star for each of the 50 states
3. **Statue of Liberty** → A gift from France that welcomes people to New York
4. **Liberty Bell** → A cracked bell in Philadelphia that stands for freedom
5. **White House** → Where the President lives and works
6. **U.S. Capitol** → Where Congress meets to make laws
7. **Mount Rushmore** → Four presidents carved into a mountain
8. **The Star-Spangled Banner** → The national anthem (song)

Read and Draw: The Statue of Liberty

1. Who gave the statue to the United States? **The people of France**
2. What does she hold in her right hand? **A torch**
3. Why is she green? **Her copper turned green over time**

American Landmarks: Where Is It?

1. **Statue of Liberty** → New York
2. **Liberty Bell** → Pennsylvania
3. **Mount Rushmore** → South Dakota
4. **Golden Gate Bridge** → California
5. **Gateway Arch** → Missouri
6. **Grand Canyon** → Arizona
7. **Space Needle** → Washington State
8. **White House** → Washington, D.C.

American Symbols Word Search

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SOCIAL STUDIES · NEEDS AND WANTS · FOR GROWN-UPS

Answer key: Needs and wants

Needs and Wants Cut and Sort

Needs: Food, Water, Clothes, A home, Medicine, A warm coat

Wants: Toys, Candy, Video games, A bike, Ice cream, Stickers

Need or Want?

1. Healthy food: **need**
2. A balloon: **want**
3. Clean water: **need**
4. A toy robot: **want**
5. A bed to sleep in: **need**
6. A cupcake: **want**
7. Soap: **need**
8. A trampoline: **want**
9. A toothbrush: **need**
10. A movie ticket: **want**
11. Shoes: **need**
12. Sparkly stickers: **want**

Shopping With $10

1. Which items are needs? Circle them on the store sign. **Bread, milk, apples and toothpaste**
2. How much do all the needs cost together? **$8**
3. How much money is left after the needs? **$2**
4. Which want could you buy with the money left? **Stickers ($1) or candy ($2)**
5. If you bought the toy truck first, could you still buy all the needs? **No: $10 − $5 = $5, and the needs cost $8**

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SOCIAL STUDIES · CULTURES AND TRADITIONS · FOR GROWN-UPS

Answer key: Cultures and traditions

Hello Around the World

1. **Hola** → Spanish
2. **Bonjour** → French
3. **Ciao** → Italian
4. **Guten Tag** → German
5. **Konnichiwa** → Japanese
6. **Ni hao** → Mandarin Chinese
7. **Namaste** → Hindi
8. **Jambo** → Swahili
9. **Olá** → Portuguese
10. **Annyeonghaseyo** → Korean

Foods Around the World

1. **Sushi** → Japan
2. **Tacos** → Mexico
3. **Pizza** → Italy
4. **Croissant** → France
5. **Kimchi** → South Korea
6. **Pierogi** → Poland
7. **Paella** → Spain
8. **Poutine** → Canada

Celebrations Around the World

1. **Diwali** → Light oil lamps for a festival of lights
2. **Lunar New Year** → Watch dragon and lion dances and give red envelopes
3. **Día de los Muertos** → Remember loved ones with marigolds and photos
4. **Hanukkah** → Light a menorah for 8 nights
5. **Kwanzaa** → Light 7 candles to honor African American culture
6. **Eid al-Fitr** → Feast with family at the end of Ramadan
7. **Holi** → Throw bright colored powder to welcome spring
8. **Carnival** → Wear costumes and dance in big parades

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Answer key: Government and citizenship

The Three Branches of Government

1. **Legislative:** Congress, makes laws
2. **Executive:** the President, carries out laws
3. **Judicial:** the Supreme Court, decides what laws mean

Local, State or National?

Local: **mayor** State: **governor** National: **President**

1. Fixes potholes on city streets: **local**
2. Runs the fire department: **local**
3. Picks up trash and recycling: **local**
4. Gives out driver's licenses: **state**
5. Takes care of state parks: **state**
6. Builds state highways: **state**
7. Prints money: **national**
8. Runs the U.S. Postal Service: **national**
9. Makes treaties with other countries: **national**

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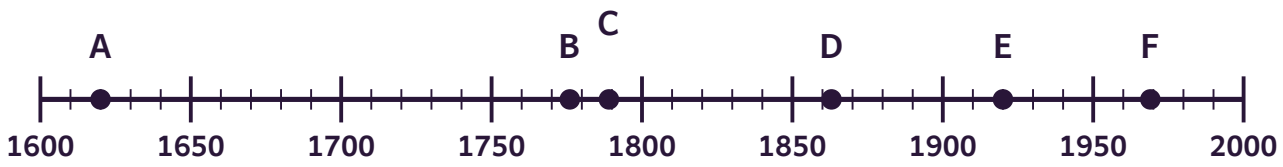
SOCIAL STUDIES · TIMELINES AND SEQUENCING · FOR GROWN-UPS

Answer key: Timelines and sequencing

How We Got Around: Put It in Order

1. **1804** The first steam railway locomotive runs in Britain
2. **1860** Pony Express riders start carrying mail across the West
3. **1869** The first railroad across the United States is finished
4. **1903** The Wright brothers make the first airplane flight
5. **1908** Ford starts selling the Model T car
6. **1969** Astronauts land on the Moon

American History Timeline



1. Which event happened first? **A: the Pilgrims land at Plymouth (1620)**
2. How many years after the Declaration did Washington become President? **13 years (1789 – 1776)**
3. Which two events are closest together? **B and C (13 years apart)**

Which Came First?

1. **Dinosaurs lived** (about 66 million years ago) before The pyramids of Giza were built (about 2500 BC)
2. **Columbus sails to the Americas** (1492) before The Pilgrims land at Plymouth (1620)
3. **The Pilgrims and Wampanoag share a harvest feast** (1621) before The American Revolution begins (1775)
4. **George Washington becomes President** (1789) before Abraham Lincoln becomes President (1861)
5. **The first telephone call** (1876) before The first airplane flight (1903)
6. **The Statue of Liberty is finished** (1886) before The Golden Gate Bridge opens (1937)
7. **Women win the right to vote** (1920) before Martin Luther King Jr. gives his "I Have a Dream" speech (1963)
8. **The Civil War begins** (1861) before Astronauts land on the Moon (1969)

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