



map

a symbolic representation of a place drawn on a flat surface



chart

maps used to sail the wide oceans



explore

travel through an unfamiliar area in order to learn about it



globe

a spherical representation of earth



realistic

accurately representing
what is real



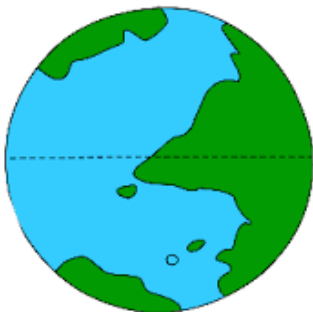
distort

to twist or make it seem out
of shape



direction

which way something is or
which way to go

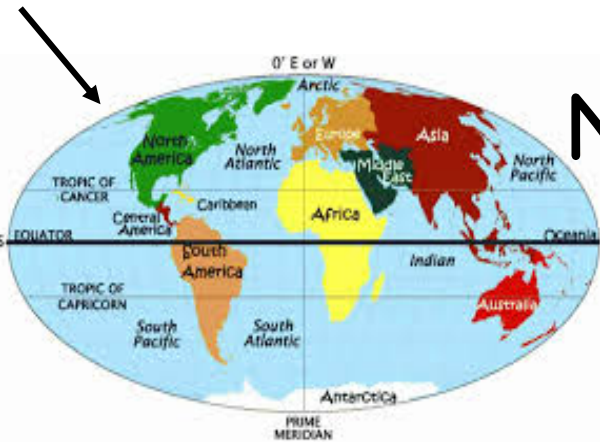


equator

an imaginary line forming a great
circle around the earth

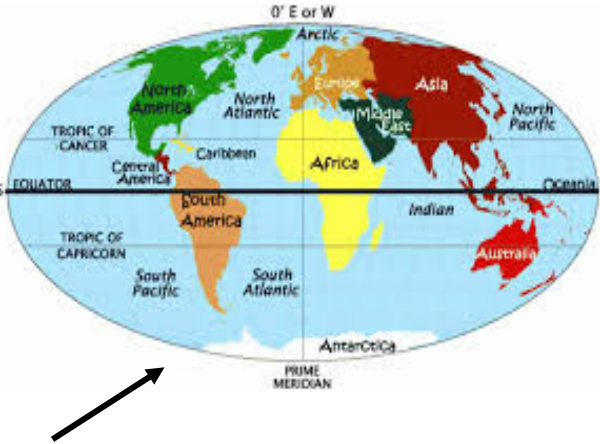
Northern Hemisphere

the northern half of the earth, above the equator



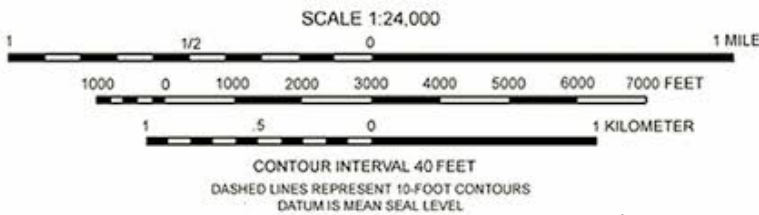
Southern Hemisphere

the southern half of the earth, below the equator



scale

the system that reduces the real land and oceans to fit on paper



key (legend)

an explanatory list of symbols used on a map





prime meridian

an imaginary line that runs from the north to the south



coordinates

a group of numbers used to show location



physical map

a map that focuses on the geography of an area – landforms, etc.



political map

a map that focuses on the location of boundaries like state and country borders



features

the structure or form of something



landmark

special features that are big, easy-to-see and remember



cultural features

visible evidence of human work and activity upon the earth



elevation

how high something is



depression

areas of land that lie below sea level

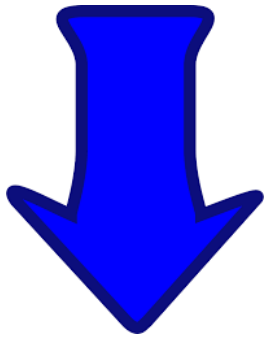
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altitude

the height above a certain level, particularly sea level

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depth

the distance from top to bottom

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a list of titles of parts of a book

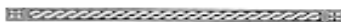


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Glossary

abdomen	belly of an animal	molt	get rid of skin that is too small
adult	grown-up	nymph	baby walking stick
antennae	(one is an antenna) body parts that sense touch and smell	predator	animal that hunts other animals for food
female	girl	protect	keep safe
hatch	come out of an egg	regenerate	to make a new body part
herbivore	animal that eats plants	temperate forests	forest in a place where there are four seasons
insect	animal with six legs and three body parts	thorax	chest of an insect's body
male	boy	tropical	warm
mimic	look or act like something else		
mimicry	looking or acting like something else		

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glossary

definitions of hard or unusual words in a book

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an alphabetical listing of subjects in a book