BASIC MAP SKILLS

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A. MAPS

Match each term in the first column with the correct definition in the second column by writing the correct letter in front of the number. The information in the Skills Handbook and Chapter1, Section 1 may help.

| 1. key or legend | A. one half of the globe |
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| 2. title | B. imaginary lines that measure how far north or south of the equator you are |
| 3. Tropic of Cancer | C. imaginary line running from the N. Pole to the S. Pole, which is used to determine longitude |
| 4. globe | D. compares distances on a map to distances on the surface of the earth |
| 5. latitude | E. part of a map that tells what the symbols on a map stand for |
| 6. scale | F. a diagram of the earth's surface drawn on a flat sheet of pape |
| 7. map | G. imaginary lines that circle the earth in a north-south direction |
| 8. compass rose | H. part of a map that tells what the map is about |
| 9. hemisphere | I. a scale model of the earth |
| 10. Tropic of Capricorn | J. directional indicator showing east, west, north and south |
| 11. Prime Meridian | K. latitude line that circles the globe at 23 ½°N |
| 12. longitude | L. latitude line that circles the globe at 23 ½°S |

B. CONTINENTS

Match the following continents with their shapes by writing the correct number in front of the name.

_____ 13. Africa ______ 14. Asia ______ 15. North America ______ 16. Antarctica ______ 17. Europe ______ 18. Australia ______ 19. South America

C. HEMISPHERES

- 20. Name the four hemispheres.
- 21. What two imaginary lines divide the earth into hemispheres?

D. LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE

| 22. What are the lines called that measure north-south distances | |
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| L or P | |
| 23. What are the lines called that measure east-west distance? | |
| L or M | |
| Use the map on page 28 to answer the following. | |
| Find the latitude and longitude of the following locations (+ or - 1°) | |
| 24. Tonga (Nukualofa) | |
| 25. Nauru (Yaren) | |
| 26. Darwin, Australia | |
| What is located at the following locations? | |
| 27. 9°S 160°E | |
| 28. 18°S 178°E | |
| 29. 20°N 156°W | |
| 30. 19°N 167°E | |
| E. GLOBE | |
| Locate the following places illustrated on the globe and write the correct letter in front of the na | me. |
| 31. Tropic of Cancer | |
| 32. North Pole | |
| 33. South America . | |
| 34. South Pole | |
| 35. Equator | |
| 36. Prime Meridian | • |
| 37. Africa | |
| 38. Antarctic Circle | |
| 39. North America | |
| 40. Tropic of Capricorn | |
| 41. Arctic Circle | |
| 42. Europe | |