

CATEGORY	4	3	2	1
Neatness and Choice of Color	Student always uses appropriate colours and an appropriate weight and direction of colouring.	Student usually uses appropriate colours and an appropriate weight and direction of colouring.	Student sometimes uses appropriate colours and an appropriate weight and direction of colouring.	Student seldom uses appropriate colours and an appropriate weight and direction of colouring.
Spelling/Capitalization	All words are correctly spelled and capitalized.	Most words are correctly spelled and capitalized.	Some words are correctly spelled and capitalized.	Less than half the words are correctly spelled and/or capitalized.
Labels - Accuracy	All places are correctly labeled and located	Most places are correctly labeled and located.	Some places are correctly labeled and located.	Less than half the places are correctly labeled and located.
Labels & Features - Neatness	All labels and features can be easily read and identified.	Most of the labels and features can be easily read and identified..	Some of the labels and features can be easily read and identified..	Less than half of the labels and features can be easily read and identified.
Map Legend/Key	The legend is easily found & contains a complete set of symbols, including a compass rose.	The legend contains a complete set of symbols, including a compass rose.	The legend contains an almost complete set of symbols, including a compass rose.	The legend is absent or lacks several symbols.
Title / Name	The title is accurate, descriptive and printed in capital letters at the top of the map. Student's full name is printed discreetly in the bottom right-hand corner.	The title is accurate and printed at the top of the map. Student's name is printed discreetly in the bottom right-hand corner.	The title is accurate but not at the top of the map. Student's name is printed in the bottom right-hand corner.	The title is vague or missing. Student's name is not in bottom right-hand corner.