

EL/Civics Lesson Plan

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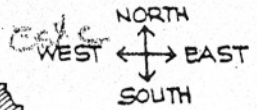
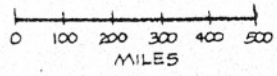
Date(s) Used	September, 2007
Civics Category	II. Civic Participation
Civics Objective	II. 7—Community Resources—Directory Identify, locate, and map important places in the country and list services available and/or importance of each location
Time Frame to Lesson	2-4 hours
EFL(s)	1 -5
Standard(s) / Components of Performance	Speaking C.1,2,3, Writing C.1,2, Listening C.1,3,4
Benchmarks	S 1.1 to 5.1 L 1.1 to 5.1 W 1.1 to 5.1 S 1.2 to 5.2 L 1.3 to 5.3 W 1.6 to 5.6 S 2.3 to 5.3 L 1.4 to 5.4
Materials	Teacher prepared United States Word Search Teacher prepared maps of the United States (one with the state names included and one without the state names) Teacher prepared practice USA MAP ACTIVITY will familiarize students with map usage
Activities	INTRODUCTION/WARMER: United States Word Search Pass out the labels map of the US Do a "listen and repeat" to practice pronouncing the 50 states of the United

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	<p>Students will then write the state names in alphabetical order on the backside of the map. Pass out a copy of the unlabeled US map to each student.</p> <p>Students will then practice asking a partner to locate and say the names of various states using the unlabeled map.</p> <p>Students (either alone or with a partner) will then use their labeled maps to complete the USA MAP ACTIVITY handout.</p> <p>The class will share the results of this activity.</p>
Assessment /Evidence	<p>Students will label as many of the states as they can.</p>
Reflection	<p>It is very important to be aware of the location of other states within the US, especially when persons are new to this country. Opportunities may occur that warrant the need to know the location of other states; such opportunities may include, job opportunities, vacation locations, and the like.</p>



CANADA



ATLANTIC OCEAN

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TEXAS = State
 • DALLAS = City

Gulf of Mexico

MEXICO

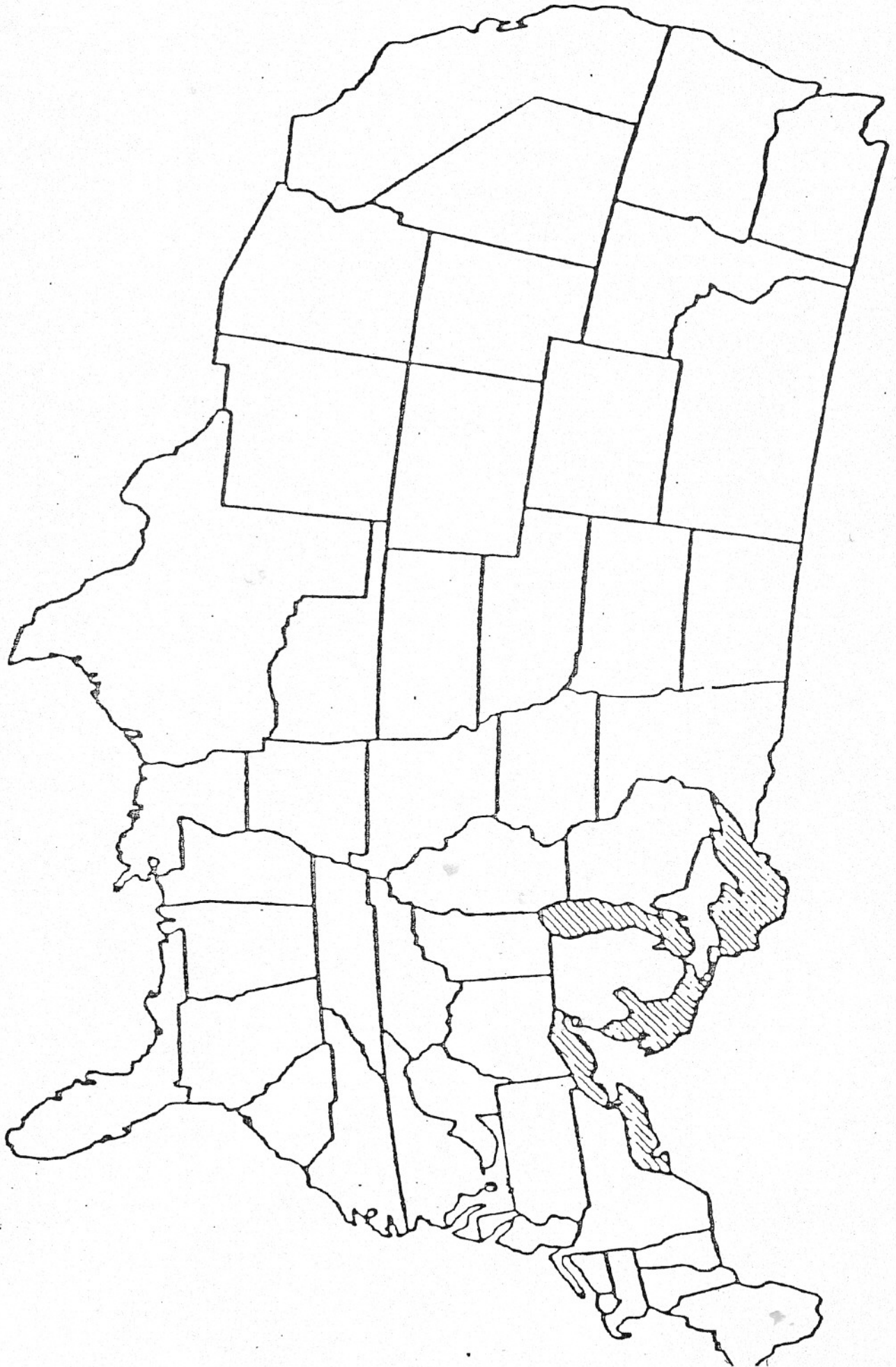
PACIFIC OCEAN



United States Word Search Puzzle

A L A B A M A B V R F N J T K O Y E S R E J W E N
 N I L L I N O I S Y N Q M E R K Z K O N S I Z Q M
 E S A I A D R O W B E X I N D L H N C X F Q M Q A
 W O S V E R M O N T W G C N L A W M R U M B P I S
 H U K B N W H F C E Y E O E O H S A X E T H U X S
 A T A R I Z O N A K O R Y S U O R E G O N N R M A
 M H S W A T W Q L R R T S S I M L F R W A F E Q C
 P C T V M L C V I F K G C E S A U P I D L E X K H
 S A X Z U O S T F P S A O E I N X I A H C A J A U
 H R O D A R O L O C N P N O A Z B V T T S T W N S
 I O F E J K L G R O O O N S N I E X P K C O X S E
 R L U L I G X G N V T H E Y A N A I D N I K I A T
 E I G A O L T Q I I G A C A K S I C S K W A A S T
 N N T W U R S P A R N D T R G P R G O J E D N A S
 D A A A H O I T V G I I I A W A H K I I S H I I X
 N R T R A J M D Y I H E C W K A X A G J T T L N N
 A V O E T J Q I A N S L U Y T V Y N B R V R O A N
 L X K O O L U D I I A R T U C H I A R V I O R V I
 S C A B S Y C T G A W S N H K M F T F R R N A L S
 I C D S E H M A R Y L A N D O G K N U R G Y C Y N
 E W H D N V P G O E E H V Y G B D O I G I H H S O
 D B T R N W T H E E A J W T W S S M W O N O T N C
 O D U M I C H I G A N E B R A S K A J L I K R N S
 H J O N M I S S I S S I P P I G V T X H A L O E I
 R W S J A P D D N I N E W M E X I C O N B T N P W

ALABAMA	ALASKA	ARIZONA	ARKANSAS	CALIFORNIA
COLORADO	CONNECTICUT	DELAWARE	FLORIDA	GEORGIA
HAWAII	IDAHO	ILLINOIS	INDIANA	IOWA
KANSAS	KENTUCKY	LOUISIANA	MAINE	MARYLAND
MASSACHUSETTS	MICHIGAN	MINNESOTA	MISSISSIPPI	MISSOURI
MONTANA	NEBRASKA	NEVADA	NEW HAMPSHIRE	NEW JERSEY
NEW MEXICO	NEW YORK	NORTH CAROLINA	NORTH DAKOTA	OHIO
OKLAHOMA	OREGON	PENNSYLVANIA	RHODE ISLAND	SOUTH CAROLINA
SOUTH DAKOTA	TENNESSEE	TEXAS	UTAH	VERMONT
VIRGINIA	WASHINGTON	WEST VIRGINIA	WISCONSIN	WYOMING



USA MAP ACTIVITY

Look at the USA map and write the answers to the 20 questions.

1. Which state is the biggest?
2. Which state is the smallest?
3. Which state is the most southern?
4. Which state is the most northern?
5. Write the names of 3 states that begin with "M."
6. Name 3 states that start with "A."
7. Which state is west of Kansas?
8. Which state is north of Tennessee?
9. Which state is east of Montana?
10. Which state is west of California?
11. Which is south of Colorado?
12. Name 3 states that begin with "I."
13. Which state is the last one alphabetically?
14. Write 3 states that start with "New."
15. Write 2 states that begin with "North."
16. Write 2 states that begin with "South."
17. How many states form the west coast?
18. How many states form the east coast?
19. How many states touch Canada?
20. Which is your favorite state?