# MY WORLD PROJECT - HVS Common Assessment

Using an 18" X 24" piece of paper, you will create your own world of 7 continents and 4 oceans. Before beginning, you must decide upon a theme for your world. For instance, you might have a theme of "Hockey World", where each of your continents revolves around the theme of hockey (shape of a stick, helmet, etc.). This project is worth 40 points!



### TO BEGIN:

- 1) Fold your paper as you are shown. You should end up with 7 horizontal lines and 7 vertical lines.
- 2) Using a pencil and ruler, trace on the folds, making a grid.
- 3) Label the Equator and Prime Meridian. {+1 pt.}
- 4) Label the lines of latitude just above and below the equator 23 ½ degrees. Label them the Tropic of Cancer and Tropic of Capricorn. (Remember to use N or S.) {+1 pt.}
- 5) Label the next line 45 degrees. (Remember to use N or S.)
- 6) Label the latitude lines that are closest to the top and bottom of the page 66 ½ degrees. Label these the Arctic Circle and the Antarctic Circle. (Remember to use N or S.) {+1 pt.}
- 7) Label the lines of longitude with the appropriate degrees. The end of either side of the page is 180 degrees. (Remember to use E or W.) {+3 pts.}

# **CONTINENT #1**

- 8) To begin, place point L (35 N, 90 W) on the map to represent the city of Lutzie. {+1 pt.}
- 9) Next, place point D (65 N, 88 W) on the map to represent the city of Digsby. {+1 pt.}
- 10) When designing this continent, make sure that you keep in mind the theme of your world.
- 11) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is located only in the Northern Hemisphere and Western Hemisphere. **{+1 pt.}**
- 12) When drawing this continent, make sure that its southern border is not below 23 ½ N Latitude. {+1 pt.}
- 13) When drawing this continent, make sure that there are 3 countries within the continent.
- 14) Make sure the city of Lutzie and the city of Digsby are in separate countries.
- 15) Name the continent and the three countries within the continent.
- 16) Color each country a different color.

#### **CONTINENT #2**

- 17) To begin, place point D (11 N, 43 W) on the map to represent the city of Digsby. Signify that it is a capital city by identifying it with a star. **{+1 pt.}**
- 18) When designing this continent, make sure that you keep in mind the theme of your world.
- 19) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is located only in the Western Hemisphere. {+1 pt.}
- 20) When drawing this continent, make sure that it crosses the Equator into the Southern Hemisphere. {+1 pt.}
- 21) When drawing this continent, make sure that it connects to Continent #1. {+1 pt.}
- 22) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is West of 20 W Longitude. {+1 pt.}
- 23) When drawing this continent, make sure that there are 2 countries within the continent.
- 24) Name the continent and the countries within the continent.
- 25) Color each country a different color.

### **CONTINENT #3**

- 26) To begin, place point R (66 S, 0) on the map to represent the city of Ryan {+1 pt.}.
- 27) When designing this continent, make sure that you keep in mind the theme of your world.
- 28) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is located only in the Southern Hemisphere. {+1 pt.}
- 29) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is located in both the Eastern Hemisphere and the Western Hemisphere. **{+1 pt.}**
- 30) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is South of 45 S Latitude. {+1 pt.}
- 31) Name the continent.
- 32) Color the continent with one color.



# **CONTINENT #4**

- 33) To begin, place point S (45 N, 45 E) on the map to represent the city of Skatzka. {+1 pt.}
- 34) When designing this continent, make sure that you keep in mind the theme of your world.
- 35) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is located only in the Northern Hemisphere and Eastern Hemisphere. {+1 pt.}
- 36) When drawing this continent, make sure that it does not cross the Prime Meridian. {+1 pt.}
- 37) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is West of 90 E Longitude. {+1 pt.}
- 38) Name the continent.
- 39) Color the continent with one color.

#### **CONTINENT #5**

- 40) To begin, place point M (56 N, 135 E) on the map to represent the city of Marszalek. {+1 pt.}
- 41) When designing your continent, make sure that you keep in mind the theme of your world.
- 42) When drawing this continent, make sure that it "wraps around" to the Western Hemisphere. Mr. Lutz will show you how to do this. {+1 pt.} ay was a single of the same of

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- 43) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is the largest continent. {+1 pt.}
- 44) When drawing this continent, make sure that it connects to Continent #4. {+1 pt.}
- 45) When drawing this continent, make sure that there are 3 countries within the continent.
- 46) Name the continent and the three countries within the continent.
- 47) Color each country a different color.

### **CONTINENT #6**

- 48) To begin, place point H (0, 20 E) on the map to represent the city of Hurst. {+1 pt.}
- 49) When designing your continent, make sure that you keep in mind the theme of your world.
- 50) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is located in all 4 Hemispheres. {+1 pt.}
- 51) When drawing this continent, make sure that it crosses the Equator and the Prime Meridian. {+1 pt.} 52) Name the continent.
- 53) Color the continent with one color.

#### **CONTINENT #7**

- 54) To begin, place point C (45 S, 90 E) on the map to represent the city of Chotkowski. {+1 pt.}
- 55) When designing your continent, make sure that you keep in mind the theme of your world.
- 56) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is located only in the Southern Hemisphere and Eastern Hemisphere. {+1 pt.}
- 57) When drawing this continent, make sure that it is the smallest continent. {+1 pt.}
- 58) Name the continent.
- 59) Color the continent with one color.

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  60) Plan where you will label the 4 oceans.
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- 62) Name the other 3 oceans. Underline them. {+2 pts.}

### KEY / SCALE

- 63) Create a key that contains the title of you world. {+1 pt.}
- 64) Your key must contain 2 other symbols. (example: boundary, city, capital, phys. feature, etc.) {+1 pt.}
- 65) Since the circumference of the world at the equator is approximately 24,900 miles, your key must contain a scale that represents 1 inch = 1,000 miles.  $\{+1 \text{ pt.}\}$ .

## **COMPASS ROSE**

66) Draw a compass rose somewhere on your map. It must contain both cardinal & intermediate directions. {+1 pt.}