



Maps and Map Keys

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 2

Part A: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The map _____ tells you the name of the area the map shows.
2. A map scale shows how far apart places really _____.
3. The compass _____ shows north, south, east, and west.
4. A map key is usually found in a small _____ on the map.
5. One inch on a map might stand for one _____ in real life.
6. Without a map key, you cannot tell what the _____ mean.
7. A map with no title makes it hard to know what _____ it shows.
8. The compass rose helps you know which _____ you are going.
9. A map _____ uses a short bar to measure distance.

Part B: Matching

Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

1. Match each map part to what it does.

Map title	→ _____	Shows directions
Map key	→ _____	Explains symbols
Compass rose	→ _____	Measures distance
Map scale	→ _____	Names the map

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Part B: Matching

Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

1. Match each map part to what it does.

Map title	→ <u>Names the map</u>	Shows directions
Map key	→ <u>Explains symbols</u>	Explains symbols
Compass rose	→ <u>Shows directions</u>	Measures distance
Map scale	→ <u>Measures distance</u>	Names the map