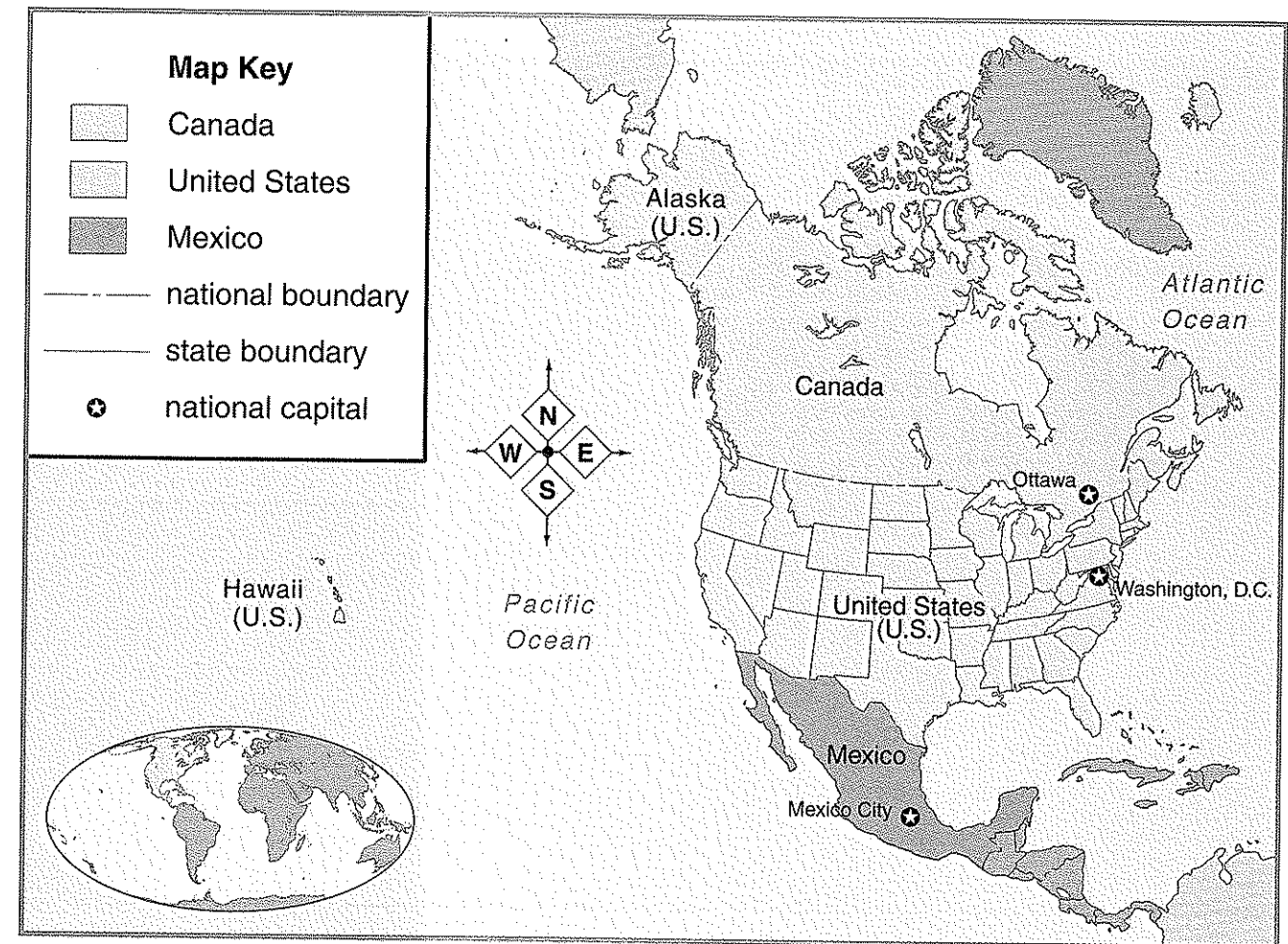


Can you see North America on this globe? North America has three large countries. They are Canada, Mexico, and the United States.

Can you see the edges or lines around each country? These are called **boundaries**. Boundaries show the end of one place and the beginning of another.

Name _____

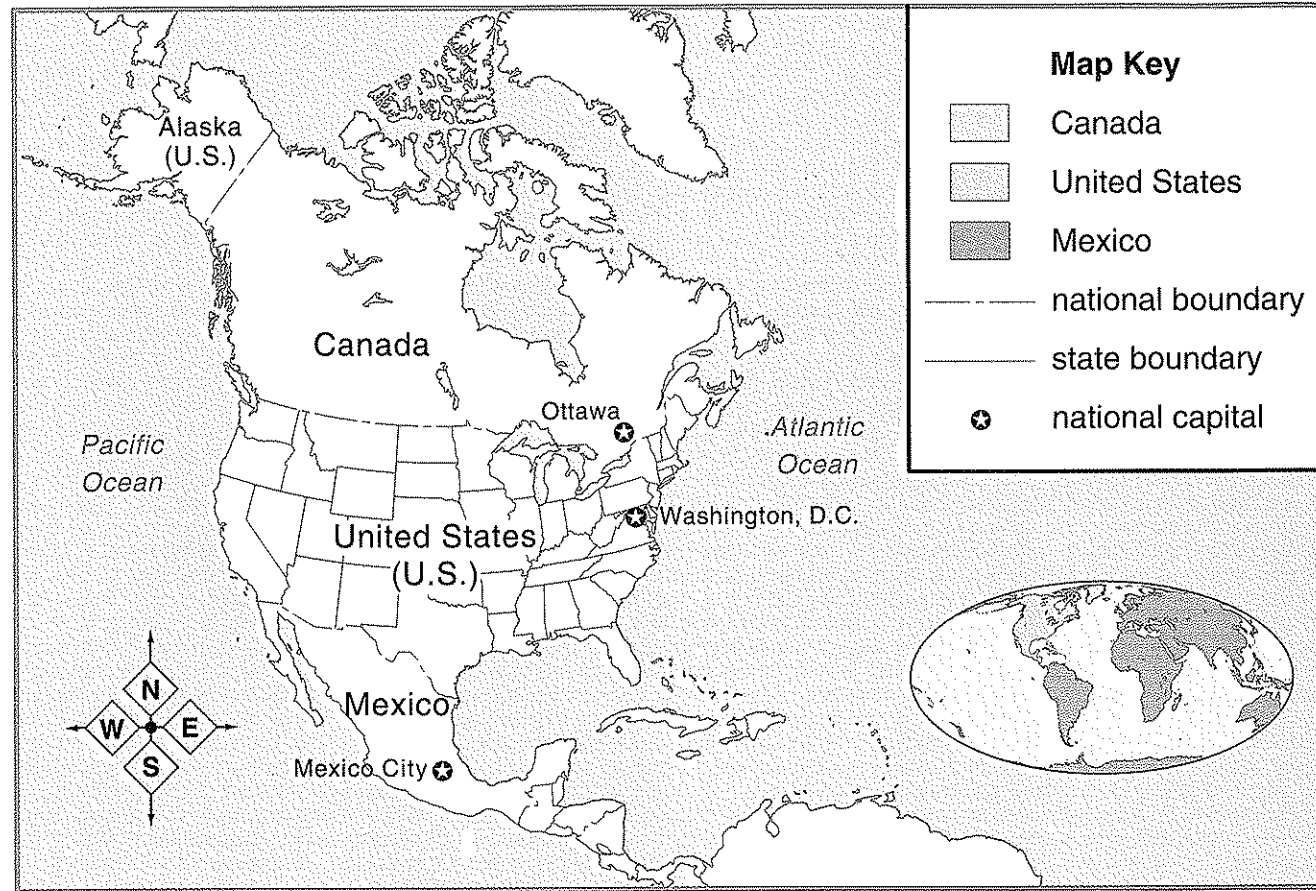


The small map shows where North America is in the world. The large map shows North America by itself.

Find the United States on the map. It is divided into 50 different states. A **state boundary** is shown with a solid black line. Alaska and Hawaii are states that are away from the rest of the United States. Find Alaska and Hawaii on the map. Circle them.

Canada is the country north of the United States. Mexico is the country south of the United States. Each country, or nation, has one capital city. The map key shows the symbols for a **national boundary** and a **national capital**. Circle one example of each symbol on the map.

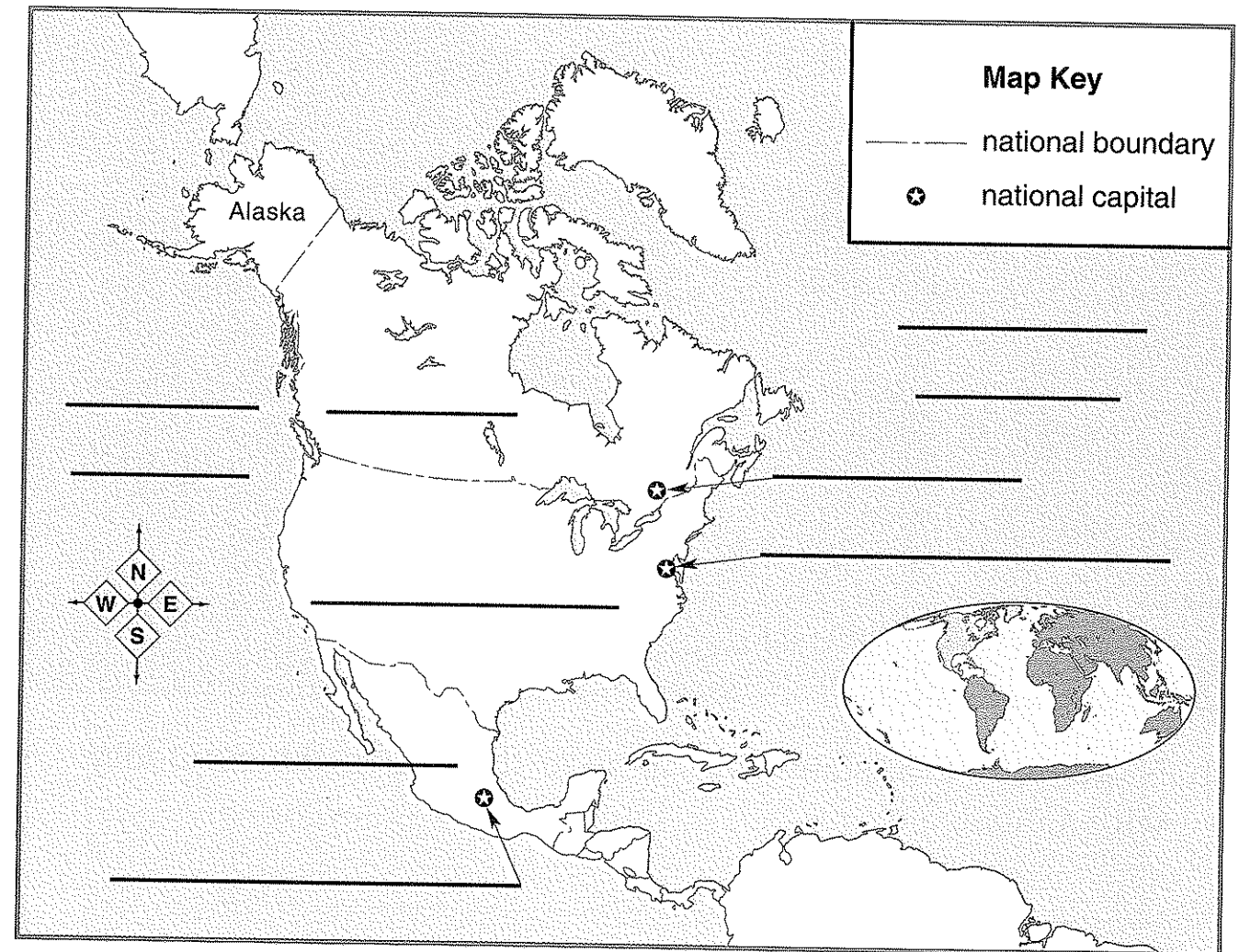
Finding Places in North America



1. Color the United States green. Alaska and Hawaii are part of the U.S. Hawaii is not part of North America.
2. Color Canada yellow.
3. Color Mexico orange.
4. What is the capital of Mexico? _____
5. What is the capital of Canada? _____
6. What is the capital of the U.S.? _____
7. Circle the ocean name that is east of North America.
8. Put an **X** on the ocean name that is west of North America.

Name _____

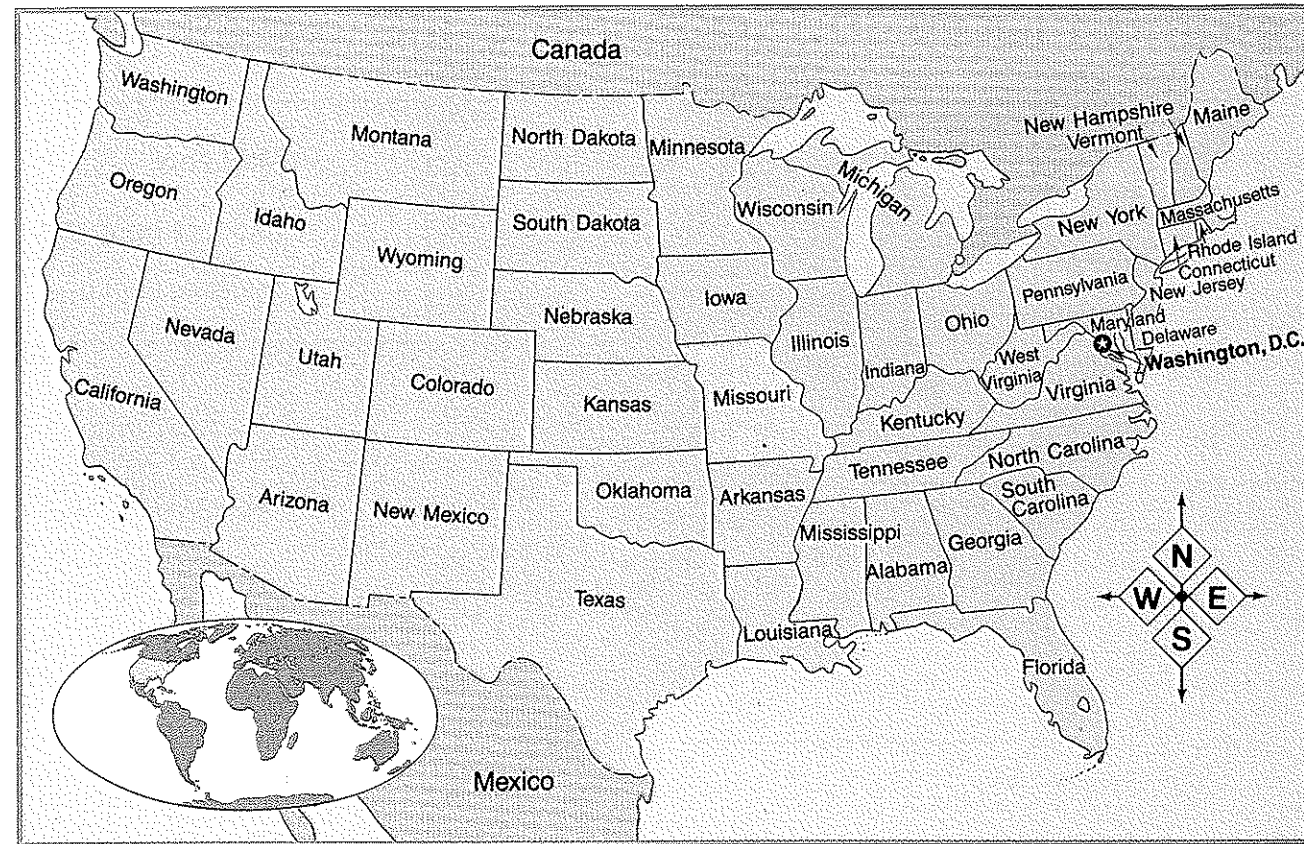
Finding Places in North America



1. Write these names on the map where they belong.

Atlantic Ocean	Mexico	United States
Pacific Ocean	Canada	Washington, D.C.
Mexico City	Ottawa	
2. Draw a green line to show the boundaries between the U.S. and Canada. Remember that Alaska is part of the U.S.
3. Draw an orange line to show the boundary between the U.S. and Mexico.

Finding Boundaries



1. Name four U.S. states on this map that touch the boundary with Canada.

2. Name two states that touch the boundary with Mexico.

3. Name one state that touches each side of Missouri.

north _____ east _____

south _____ west _____

Name _____

Skill Check







Words I Know boundary state boundary
 national boundary national capital

Draw the symbols for:



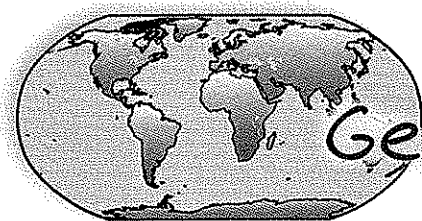
national boundary state boundary national capital

Map Key

-  Canada
-  United States
-  Mexico
-  national boundary
-  state boundary
-  national capital




























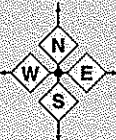
Write the number of each place on the map where it belongs.

- ① Canada
- ③ Mexico
- ⑤ Washington, D.C.
- ② United States
- ④ Ottawa
- ⑥ Mexico City



Geography Themes Up Close
















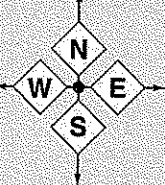








Place tells what a location is like. It tells what makes a location special.

				Kenji's Neighborhood Map Key  school  soccer field  playground  stores  bike path  Kenji's house  other houses
	Maple Road			
				
First Street				
				
	Oak Road			
				
				

1. There is a soccer field north of the playground. It is south of the school. Draw a soccer field on the map.
2. Name two other things in Kenji's neighborhood.

3. How is Kenji's neighborhood different from your neighborhood?

Place has things from nature like trees and rivers. Place also has things like houses that people build.

	Jackson Road			Tami's Neighborhood Map Key  factory  mall  school  library  pool  Tami's house  other houses  apartments
	Elm Street			
	Walton Road			
				
				

4. There are apartments south of the mall. Draw the apartments on the map.
5. The pool is east of the mall. Is the pool from nature or did people build it?

6. Find the hills on the map. Mark an **N** on them if they are from nature. Mark a **P** if people made them.
7. What things in the neighborhood did people build?

