

Map and Globe Skills Study Guide

Vocabulary:

- 1. Compass Rose-A symbol on a map that shows direction.
- 2. Legend/Key- Shows what different symbols stand for.
- 3. Scale- Helps to measure distance on a map.
- 4. Hemisphere- Half of the earth.
- 5. **Equator**-The 0 degree line of latitude that runs around the center of the earth and divides it into the Northern and Southern hemispheres.
- 6. Prime Meridian-The 0 degree line of longitude that runs around the center of the earth and divides it into the Eastern and Western hemispheres.
- 7. Lines of Latitude- These lines run from east to west.
- 8. Lines of Longitude-These lines run from north to south.

*Students need to be able to label the 8 points on a compass rose.

(North, South, East, West, Northeast, Southeast, Northwest, Southwest) It is fine to use abbreviations on the test.

