Map Word Hunt

Students identify cardinal directions and relative word positions.

K.C.3.4 "Identify basic cardinal directions and terms used to describe relative location."

NAME _____ DATE _____

Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 MAP DIRECTIONS

a	west	north	south
b	north	west	east
c	south	east	north
d	east	west	south

2 WORD PLACES

a	sun	hat	cup
b	pen	map	box

ANSWER KEY

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HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Use this sheet after a lesson on map directions and position words. Read each prompt and its choices aloud, and observe which students identify the answer independently.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 · MAP DIRECTIONS

SAY "Think about directions on a map. Listen to each question and the three choices, then circle one word."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	Which direction is at the top of a map? Your choices are west, north, south. Circle one.	**north**
b	Which direction is on the right side of a map? Your choices are north, west, east. Circle one.	**east**
c	Which direction is at the bottom of a map? Your choices are south, east, north. Circle one.	**south**
d	Which direction is on the left side of a map? Your choices are east, west, south. Circle one.	**west**

PART 2 · WORD PLACES

SAY "Now look at where the words sit in each row. Listen as I read them from left to right, then circle the word I ask about."

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	From left to right, the words are sun, hat, cup. Which word is between sun and cup? Circle it.	**hat**
b	From left to right, the words are pen, map, box. Which word is to the right of map? Circle it.	**box**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Map Directions: north, east, south, west. Word Places: hat, box. Record any help given separately from independent answers.