

Map Compass Hunt

Students connect map positions and direction labels.

1.6.b “using cardinal directions on maps;”

NAME _____

DATE _____

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

1 CIRCLE IT _____

a	North	East	South	West
b	West	South	East	North

2 MATCH NAMES _____

N	•	•	South
E	•	•	North
S	•	•	West
W	•	•	East

HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Required: draw and display a map titled Practice Town. Draw a pond directly above a playground and a fire station directly right of a museum; label all four places. Add a compass rose: N up, E right, S down, W left. Explain the labels and compass rose; provide close copies if needed. Keep the map visible while every learner points to the named places and uses its compass to answer.

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

PART 1 • CIRCLE IT

SAY “Use the displayed Practice Town map and its compass rose. Point to both places I name, then tell the direction from the first to the second. I will read the choices; circle your answer.”

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	Point to the playground, then the pond on our map. Which direction would you move from the playground to the pond: North, East, South, or West?	North
b	Point to the museum, then the fire station on our map. Which direction would you move from the museum to the fire station: West, South, East, or North?	East

PART 2 • MATCH NAMES

SAY “Look at the direction letters on the left and the direction words on the right. I will read them with you. Draw a line from each letter to its matching direction word.”

- **N** matches **North**
- **E** matches **East**
- **S** matches **South**
- **W** matches **West**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Observe actual pointing and compass use: playground to pond is North; museum to fire station is East. Then each learner shows the reverse routes: South and West. Accept accurate oral or supported communication responses. Match N/North, E/East, S/South, W/West. Require the displayed map; correct word matches alone do not show map use.