

POLITICAL MAP OF CANADA

YOUR TASK:

Create your own map of Canada by following the mapping rules you have learned in class. Use the map given to you by your teacher.

Use the checklist to track your progress when you complete each step.

INSTRUCTIONS: CHECK WHEN COMPLETED

1. Use a ruler to draw a 1 cm border _____
2. Create a small legend. Use a dot for each city and a star (*) for Ottawa. _____
3. Lightly shade each province and territory a different colour. No blue!
4. Label all the provinces and territories using **pencil**. Print horizontally and check your spelling. _____
5. Label all of the capital cities. Make sure you place the dot and label where the city is actually located. _____
6. Colour the water BLUE _____
7. Add a north arrow near the top of your map. _____
8. Give your map an appropriate title. _____
9. Add an appropriate scale _____
10. Double check your work and have a classmate check it one last time! _____

EVALUATION CHECKLIST

REQUIREMENTS

Province/Territory		Capital City		Major Cities	
		OTTAWA		Vancouver	
British Columbia		Victoria		Montreal	
Alberta		Edmonton		Calgary	
Saskatchewan		Regina		Saskatoon	
Manitoba		Winnipeg		Kitchener	
Ontario		Toronto			
Quebec		Quebec City			
New Brunswick		Fredericton			
Nova Scotia		Halifax			
Prince Edward Island		Charlottetown			
Newfoundland and Labrador		St. John's			
Yukon		Whitehorse			
Northwest Territories		Yellowknife			
Nunavut		Iqaluit			

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Mapping Checklist

- //1 Title is appropriate for what is shown on the map
- /1 Legend includes proper symbols to identify capital cities and capital of Canada
- /1 North arrow is included and located properly
- /1 USA is coloured grey
- /1 Name and date of publication are written

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Communication

- /1 Each province and territory is neatly shaded a different colour
- /1 Water is coloured blue
- /1 Words are written horizontally
- /2 Map is well-organized, clear, and easy to read (ruler used!)

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Comments:

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