

Chapter – 9

Directions

Key words

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| 1. Compass | 6. Landmark |
| 2. Instrument | 7. Sketch |
| 3. Directions | 8. Location |
| 4. Destination | 9. Distance |
| 5. Intermediate | 10. Symbol |

Fill In the Blanks : -

Directions, compass, landmarks, four, language

1. There are Four cardinal directions.
2. People generally follow landmarks when they have to reach a place.
3. The hand of a compass always points to north.
4. In between the four cardinal directions there are four intermediary directions.
5. It is important to learn the language of a map.

Answer in one word :-

1. When you face the rising sun, which direction is to your right and to left?

Ans :- 1) Right – South

2) Left – North

2. What is used to represent the ratio between distance on map and distance on ground?

Ans :- Scale

3. What is a book of maps called?

Ans :- Atlas

4. What do symbols represent on a map?

Ans :- Real objects

5. Draw a road sign that shows – No Horn

Ans :



Long Questions : Answers

1. Which is the importance of a sketch?

Ans : - 1) A sketch gives us a rough idea of a place.

2) It helps in locating a place.

3) It guides us to reach our destination.

2. What is a difference between a map and a sketch?

Ans : 1) A sketch gives us a rough idea of a place.

2) A map gives us an exact idea of a place.

3. List four problems that you can face if you do not know directions.

Ans : - 1. We can go to wrong way.

2. Sailors can lost their way in oceans.

3. Pilots may not know where to land the aeroplane.

4. People can lost their way to home

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4. What do you understand by the language of a map? Why is it important to use same map symbols all over the world?

Ans : - 1) The language of a map helps us to read a map easily e.g. symbols, colour, scale, direction.

2) Same symbols on map make it easy for everyone to read any map anywhere in the world.

5. How will you find different directions if you do not have a compass?

Ans : 1) With the help of sun.

2) With the help of pole star.

6. Which colours are used to show water, hills and plains?

Ans : 1) Blue colour is used to show water.

2) Green colour is used to show plains.

3) Brown colour is used to show hills.

7. Write the name of intermediary directions and draw diagram.

Ans : 1) North east (NE)

2) North west (NW)

3) South east (SE)

4) South west (SW)