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Earth

Earth is our planet.
Landforms and bodies of
water are on Earth.

A globe is a model of
the Earth. Do you see
the United States on
the globe? Can you
see Texas? Use your
classroom globe to find
your community.



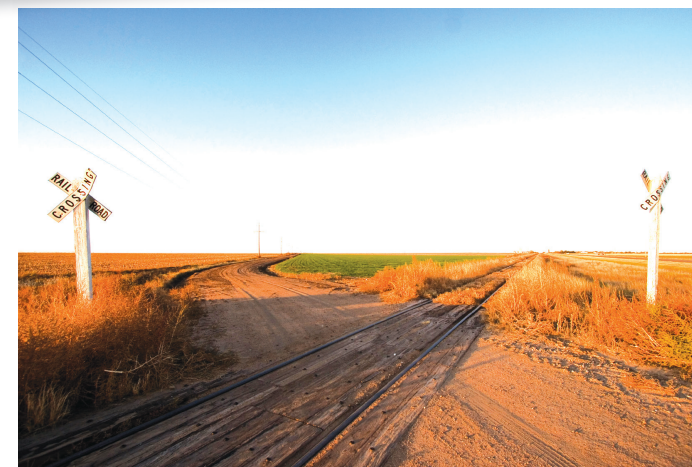
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Look at the map of the United States. Do you see your city or town? Maps cannot show every city and town. Maps usually show larger cities. Do you live close to any of the cities on the map? Have you been to any of the cities on the map?



Look at the map. Do you see Texas? What large bodies of water are next to the United States?



The middle part of the United States is sometimes called the Plains. The land there is mostly flat.



In most parts of the world, there are oceans, rivers, lakes and streams.



In the West, the Rocky Mountains can be seen from miles away.



But in deserts, like the Sahara Desert of Africa, there is almost no water at all.

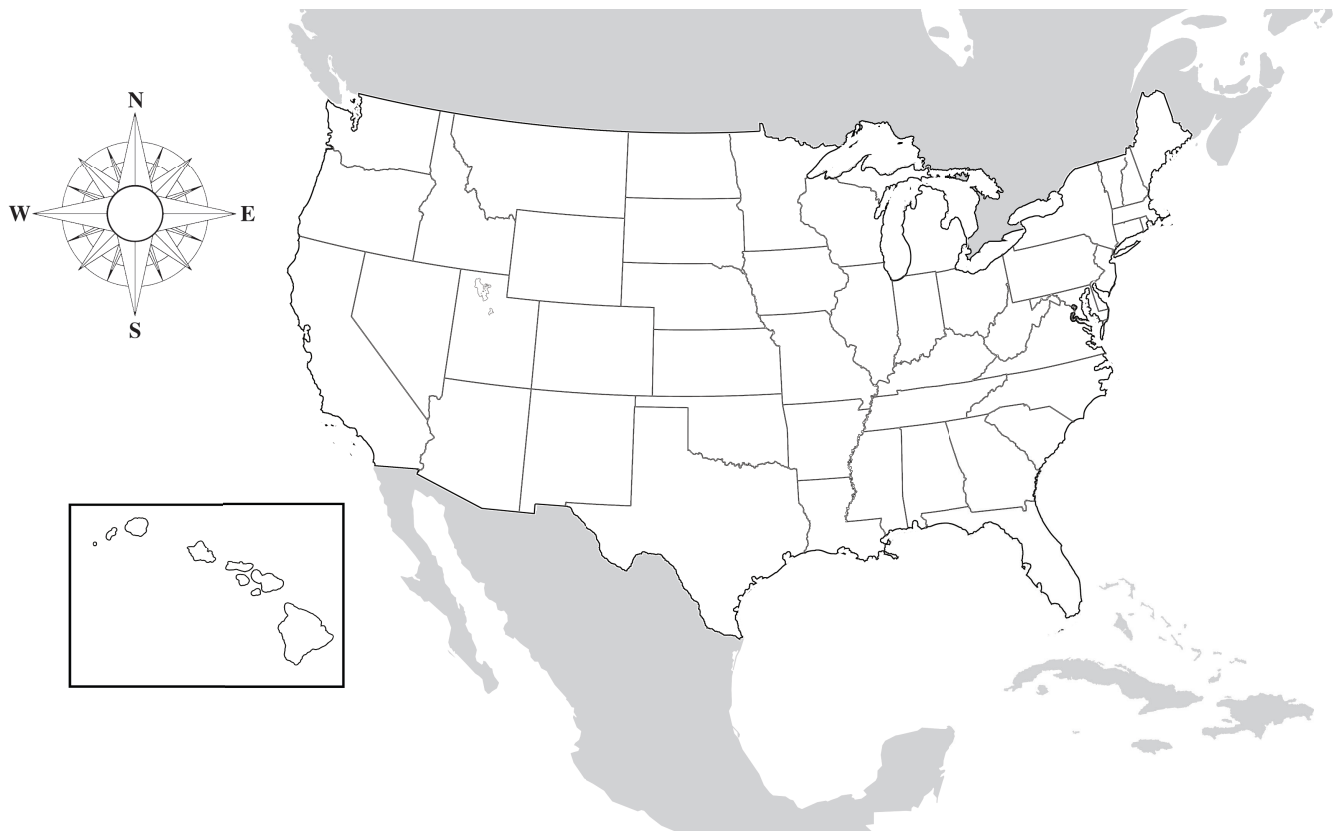


Natural resources are found across our state and our country. A natural resource is a thing found in nature that humans can use. Water, trees and oil are natural resources. What natural resources are found in your community?

Name _____



Find your state on the map. Label it **Texas**, and color it your favorite color. Find the Atlantic Ocean, the Gulf of Mexico and the Pacific Ocean on the map. Write the names of these bodies of water on the map.



Use a map in your classroom to find your city or town. Draw a dot on this map of the United States to show where it is. Write the name of your city or town next to the dot. Color the Great Lakes **blue**. Draw a star on Washington, D.C.

