

Map Skills: The Compass Rose & Cardinal Directions



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Complete the statements below using cardinal directions from the word bank.

Word bank: North, South, East, West, Compass Rose, Map Key

1. A symbol on a map that shows directions is called a_____.
2. The cardinal direction that points straight up toward the top of most maps is_____.
3. Directly opposite of North, pointing toward the bottom of the map, is_____.
4. The Sun rises in the morning toward the_____.
5. The Sun sets in the evening toward the_____.