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How Our Earth Looks

Key Concepts

In this lesson, we will learn about:

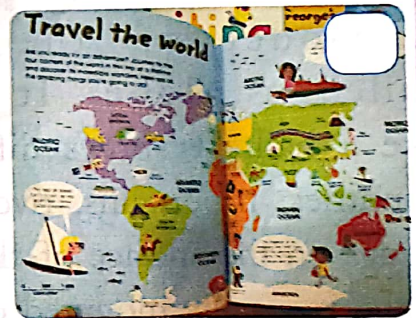
- Globe
- Maps
- Continents and Oceans
- Directions



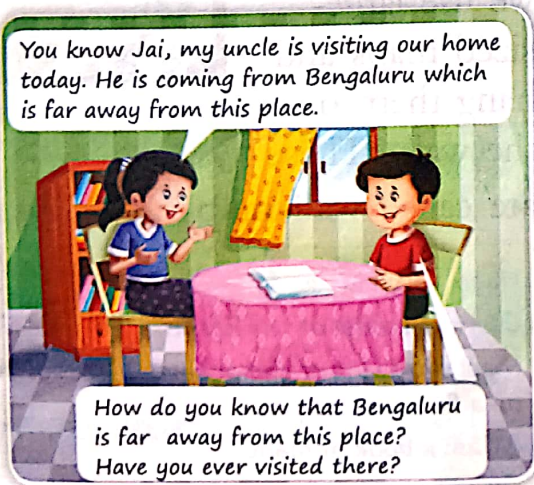
Warm-Up

Direct Perception

The Earth is a unique planet. We should study in detail about it. Amongst the following which is the best representation of the Earth? Tick (✓) the right choice in the box.



Tina and Jai are conversing at Tina's home.





Think and answer

Communication

A. Answer the following questions orally.

1. How is globe different from map?
2. Your home is in which direction of your school?
3. Which is the ocean situated near your country?

Indian Ocean



B. Tick (✓) the correct answers.

1. A model of the Earth is called a/an
 - a. atlas
 - b. sketch
 - c. globe
2. Large water bodies are called
 - a. seas
 - b. oceans
 - c. rivers
3. Which is the largest ocean?
 - a. Pacific Ocean
 - b. Indian Ocean
 - c. Atlantic Ocean
4. Which is the largest continent?
 - a. Europe
 - b. Africa
 - c. Asia

C. Fill in the blanks. Choose words from the box.

blue atlas Wall maps Earth brown

1. A globe is a model of the Earth.
2. A book of maps is called an atlas.
3. Wall maps are the maps that we hang on the walls.
4. The blue part on the globe shows water and the brown part shows the land on the Earth.

D. Write T for the True and F for the False statements.

1. A globe shows different cities, countries, etc., on the Earth.
2. Small maps can be hanged on the walls.
3. About 71% of the Earth is covered with land.
4. The Arctic Ocean is the largest ocean.
5. Asia is the largest continent.

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T

E. Answer these questions.

1. What is a globe?
2. What do you understand by the word 'map'?
3. What is the difference between an ocean and a continent?
4. What are four main directions?
5. What is a compass? What is its use? **VALUE BASED QUESTION**
6. Why is an ocean named after India? **HOTS**

F. Art-Integration based question.

Draw the sketch of the route of your school from your house. Use at least three landmarks.



Do and learn

Intellectual Development

G. Directions: Use the map to complete the sentences below. Circle the correct answer, then write it in the space provided.

Map Key	
	mountains
	lake
	hills
	plain
	forest
	town
	river

Little Town

1. The town is East of the forest. (North/South/East/West)
2. The lake is West of the river. (North/South/East/West)
3. The river is South of the mountains. (North/South/East/West)
4. The town is North of the plain. (North/South/East/West)
5. The forest is West of the river. (North/South/East/West)
6. The hills are South of the plain. (North/South/East/West)