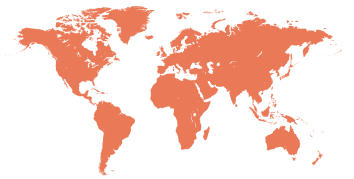


Maps – Fact or Opinion?



Read the following statements about maps, and decide whether each one is a fact or an opinion. Color the facts **green** and color the opinions **blue**.

Remember:

A fact is something that is true about a subject, and can be tested or proved.

An opinion is what someone thinks about something.

Cartography is the science of making a map.

Maps look better than globes.

Cartography is very interesting.

Maps are used to find places, get directions and learn more about a specific geographic area.

Distances on maps are smaller than the actual distance they represent.

The symbols used in maps are funny.

Maps make road trips more stress-free.

People should always carry maps with them wherever they go.

If you want to know the average temperature in New York city, a climate map will help you.

It is possible to find out the elevation of different cities using a physical map.