## Geographic Map

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Objective: Create a composition on top of a map that deals with images of the culture and/or history of the region in the map.

- First pick a map whose region you are interested in learning more about.
- Next, research the history and culture of the region you picked. While researching, brainstorm ideas that could lead to imagery you could use in your work.
- Then, sketch out several thumbnails of images you plan to use within your composition.
- Incorporate those images into a planned composition directly on top of the map of your region. Some portion of the map should remain as a part of your background.
- Be sure to think about your color scheme and your overall composition before you begin.



## THINGS TO FIND OUT:

- -How/when was your region founded?
- -What is the region famous for?
- -What tourist attractions are located in the region?
- -Historical events in your region?
- -What types of plants and/or animals reside in your region?

Average

Needs

Improvement

## Student Name:

## Lesson: Geographic Map Painting

Circle the number **in pencil** that best shows how well you feel that you completed that criterion for the assignment.

**Criteria 1** – **Composition:** Overall composition includes several images which describe the geographic region are well placed giving the painting a strong focal point, while leaving some of the map showing.

**Criteria 2** – **Images/Planning:** Several images that describe the culture, history, or symbols of the area included on the map. These have been well researched and planned out before incorporating them into the work.

**Criteria 3** – **Proportion of Imagery**. Student's images are well planned with proper proportions.

**Criteria 4 – Painting/Depth:** Paint or other mixed media creates value range within the color to create depth in the work.

**Criteria 5 – Effort**: took **time** to develop idea & complete project? (Didn't rush.) Read the article and followed the steps within. Good use of class time?

**Criteria 6 - Craftsmanship** - Neat, clean & complete? Skillful use of the art tools & media?

Total: 60 Grade: (possible points) /60 pts

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**Excellent** 

Good