




Two Column Notes Form

Directions: Two-column notes are a way for you to separate main ideas from detail notes using folded paper. It's really simple. Take a sheet of notebook paper and fold it so there is about 1/3 of the space devoted to a left-hand column and 2/3 of the paper leftover for the right-hand column. Main ideas are usually shorter in length because of their simplicity. Detail notes often require more room.

	Chapter 1 – The Tools of Geography	Mr. Pepper September 5th, 2007 Core 4
1.2 The Geographic Setting	Locating Things on Earth: The Main Purpose of Maps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. A way of showing absolute location would be giving your street address. b. You would give someone's relative location by telling someone where he or she lives near.
	Distortion: The Big Problem with Maps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. A flat map distorts how the world really looks. b. Globes are better because they show correct size, shape, distance, and directions of places on Earth. c. Geographers use different map projections according to the information they need it to show.
1.3 Map Titles and Symbols	The Title Tells What a Map Shows	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. A title will tell you what information is on a map.
	A Compass Rose Shows Directions on a Map	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The needle on a compass rose always points north. b. Early maps had the direction tool shaped like a flower, which is where it got its "rose". c. A compass rose shows all 4 cardinal directions as well as the intermediate directions.
	A Legend Identifies Symbols on a Map	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Blue lines (rivers), Blue areas (lakes, oceans) b. Symbols are usually identified as a map legend.