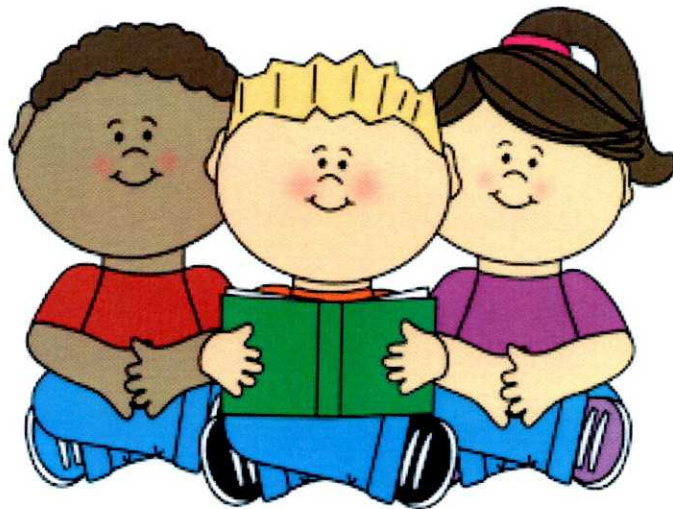


Taylor County Schools

Day 1

Third Grade



1. Complete this packet on the first ICE Day.
2. Write your name on the booklet.
3. Return this completed packet after the ICE Pack Day. You will keep the others in the envelope for future ICE Pack Days.

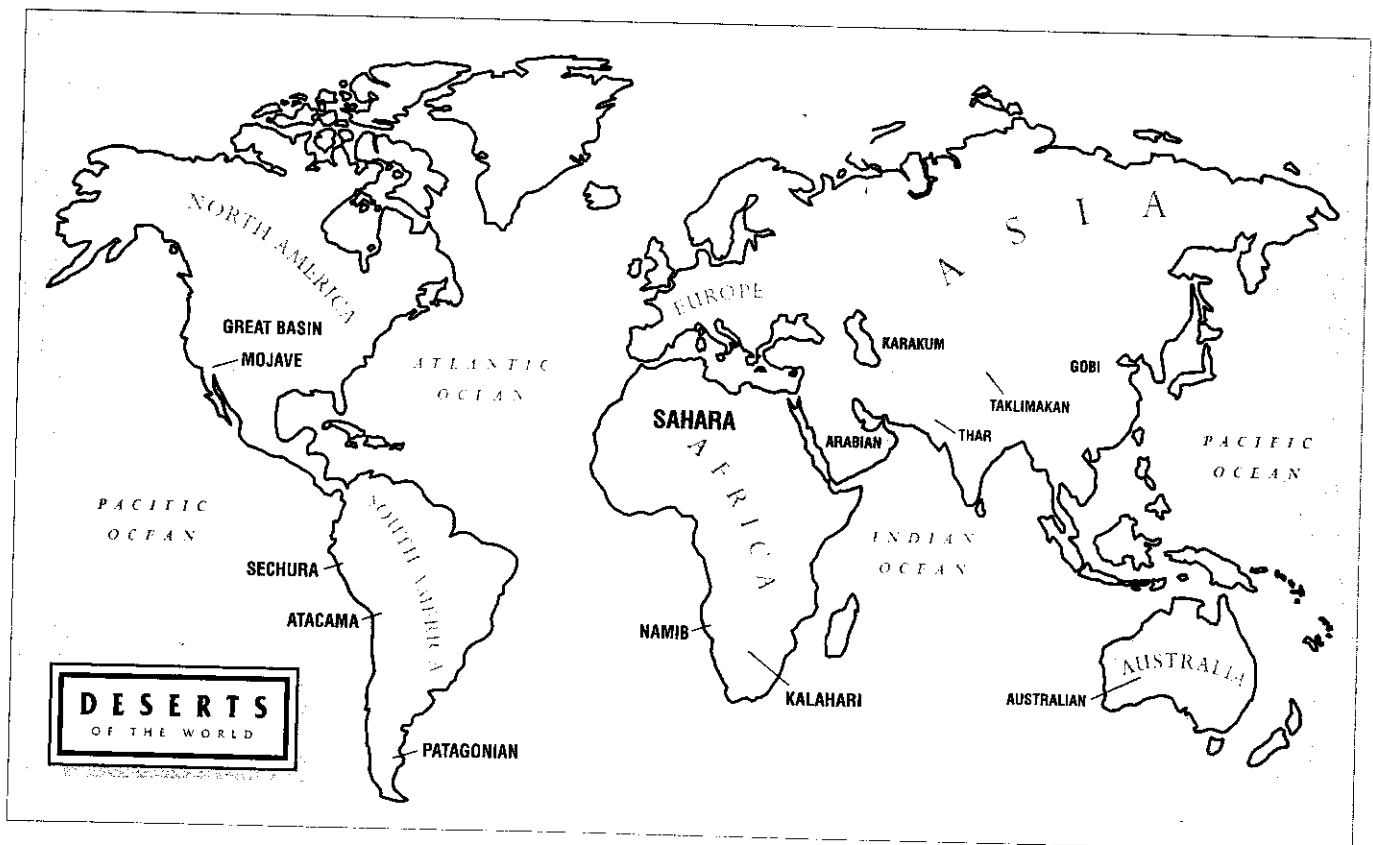
Deserts

What do you think of when you hear the word *desert*? Do you picture a hot, sandy, dry place? Most deserts are hot. Many are sandy. All are dry. It does not rain often. In fact, it hardly rains at all. In some places, it rains less than one inch each year.

Hot deserts get very hot during the day. The ground temperature can reach 180 degrees F. It's so hot that you could fry an egg on the ground. The air gets hot, too. In deserts in North Africa, the air can reach 136°F. The weird part is that these deserts get cold at night. Then the temperature drops close to freezing!

Why are so many deserts sandy? The heat of the day makes rocks swell. The cold of the night makes rocks shrink. This swelling and shrinking causes the rocks to crack. They break apart and slowly turn into sand.












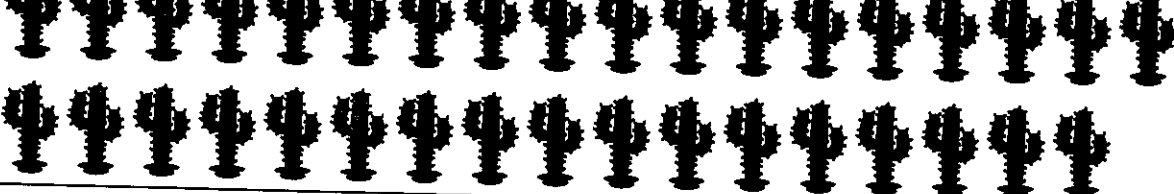
There are cold deserts, too. The continent of Antarctica is a desert! That's because it is so dry. It gets very little snowfall. The snow that is already there blows around. But new snow doesn't fall often.



Deserts

Earth's Biggest Deserts

Each cactus = 100,000 square miles

Atacama	
Taklimakan	
Thar	
Great Basin	
Kalahari	
Karakum	
Patagonian	
Mojave & Chihuahuan	
Gobi	
Australian	
Arabian	
Sahara	

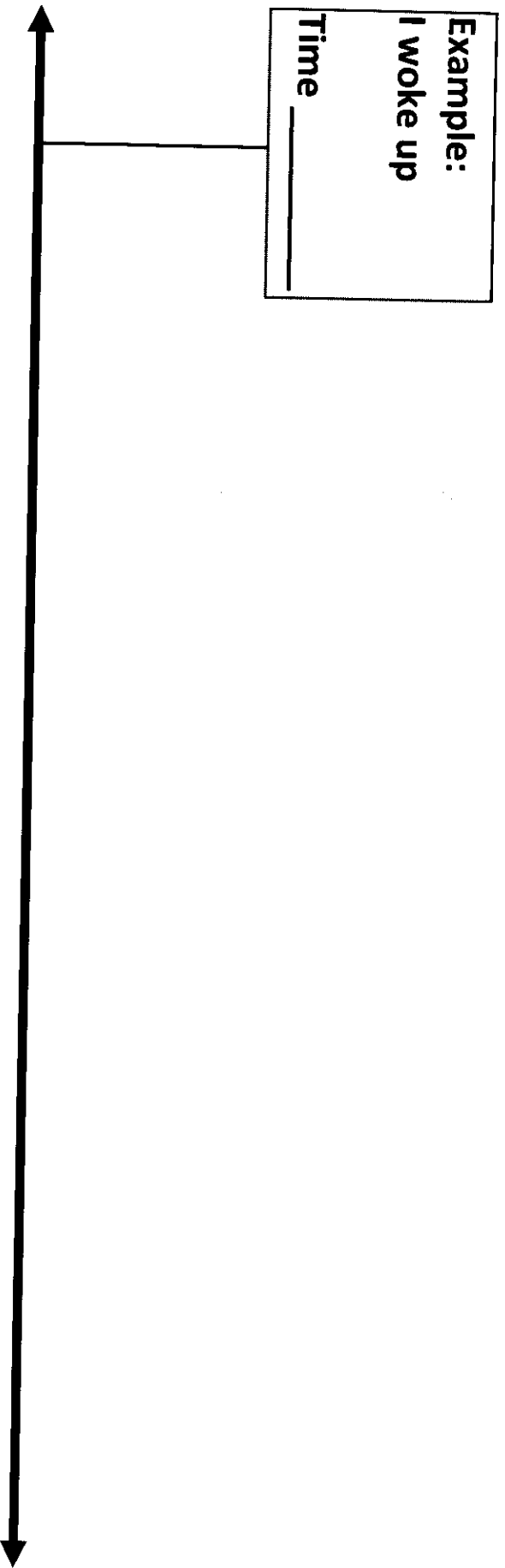
Deserts

1. All deserts are
 - a. hot.
 - b. dry.
 - c. sandy.
2. The temperature in North African deserts
 - a. always stays the same.
 - b. never goes above 100°F.
 - c. is hot in the day and cold at night.
3. How do deserts become sandy?
 - a. Windstorms bring sand from other places.
 - b. Desert rocks break apart and become grains of sand.
 - c. People dump their extra sand there.
4. Look at the map and the pictograph. The world's biggest desert is in Africa. True or False? Tell why.

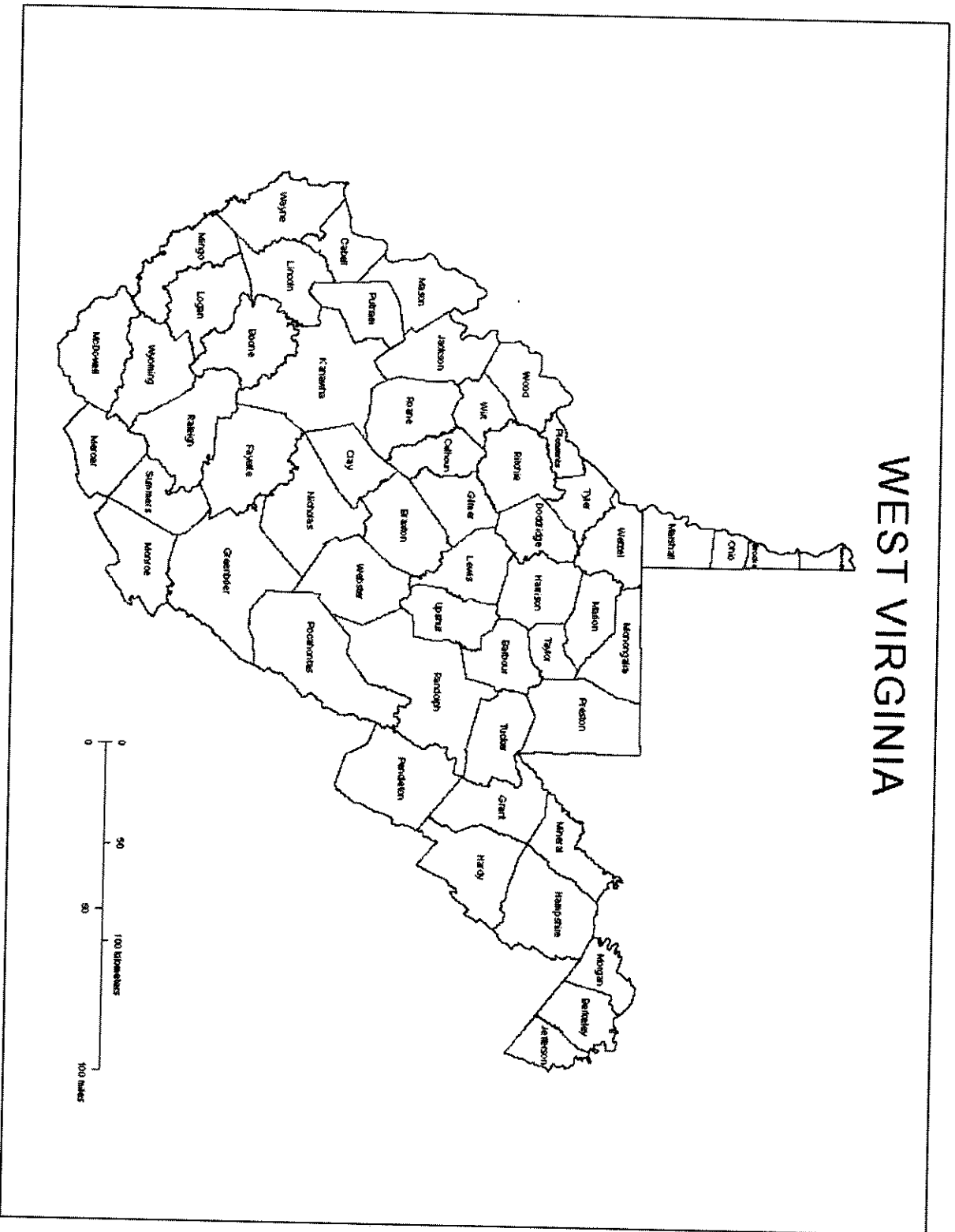
5. Look at the pictograph. Which two deserts are the same size? Which desert is the smallest?

6. Would you like to visit a desert? Why or why not?

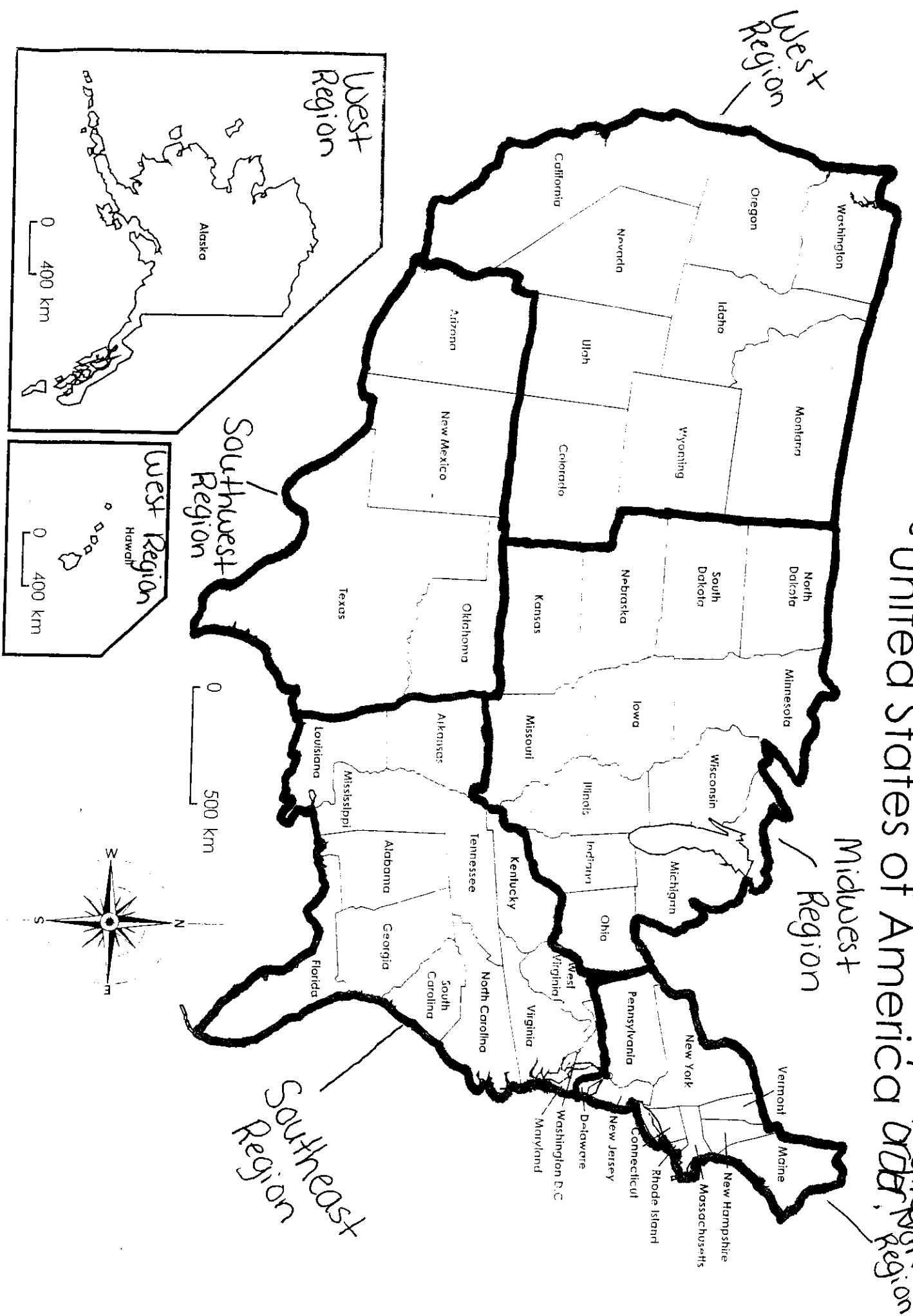
Create a timeline of your day off from school. Draw and fill in boxes with each activity you did and the time you started.



Color ALL counties on the West Virginia map that closed schools today.

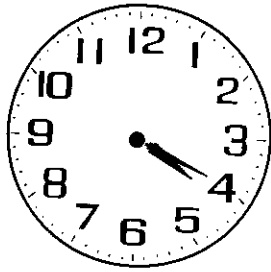


*Color the Northeast Region. List those states in alphabetical order.



Time: Five-Minute Intervals (II)

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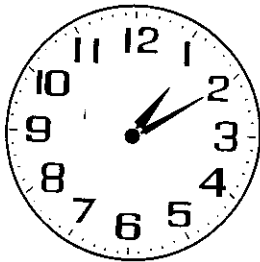


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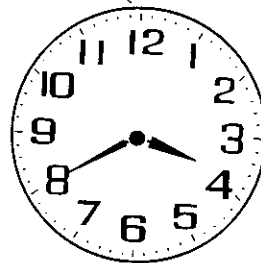
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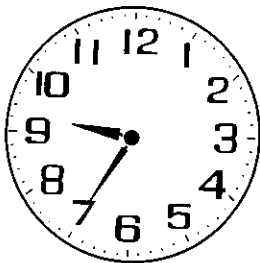
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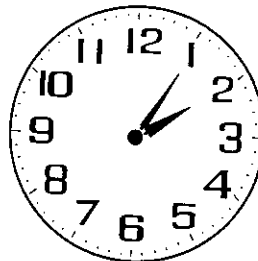
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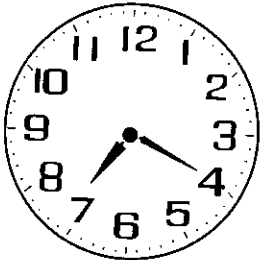
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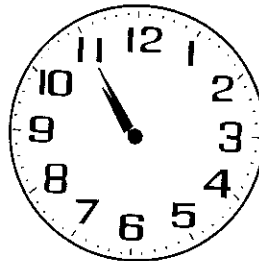
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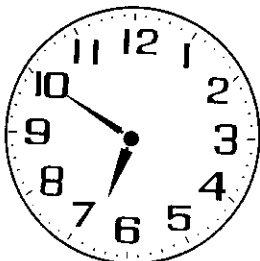
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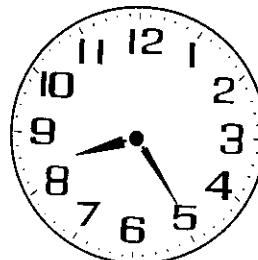
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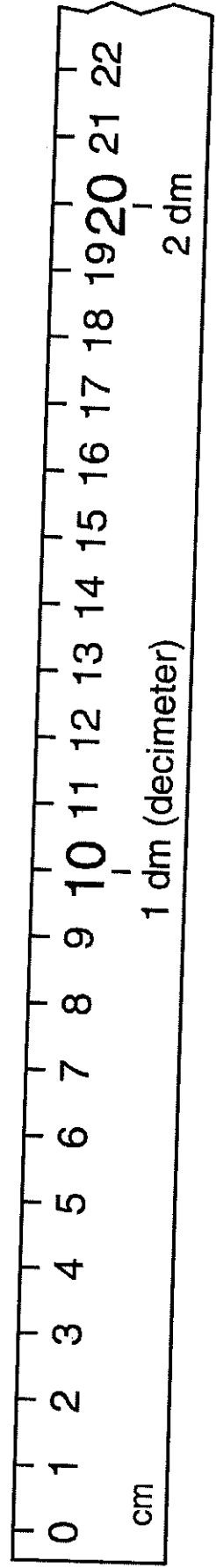
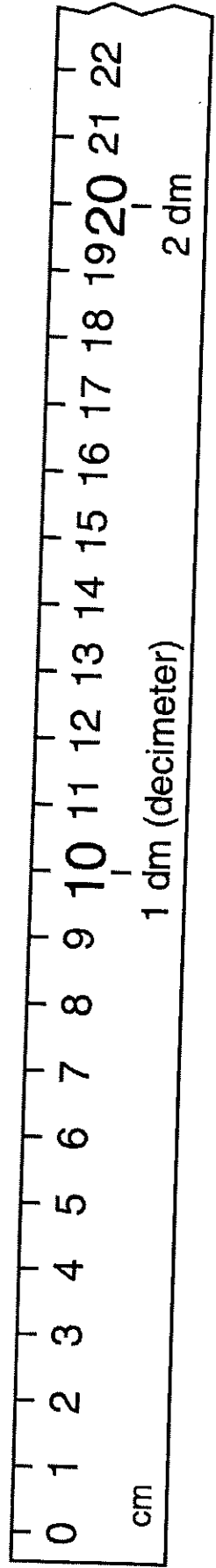
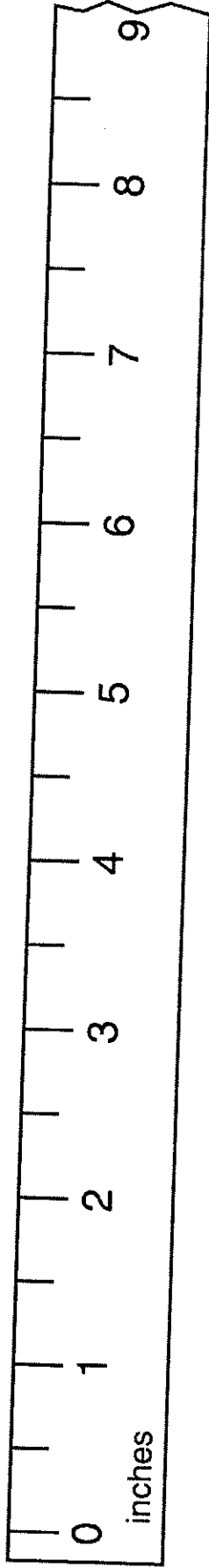
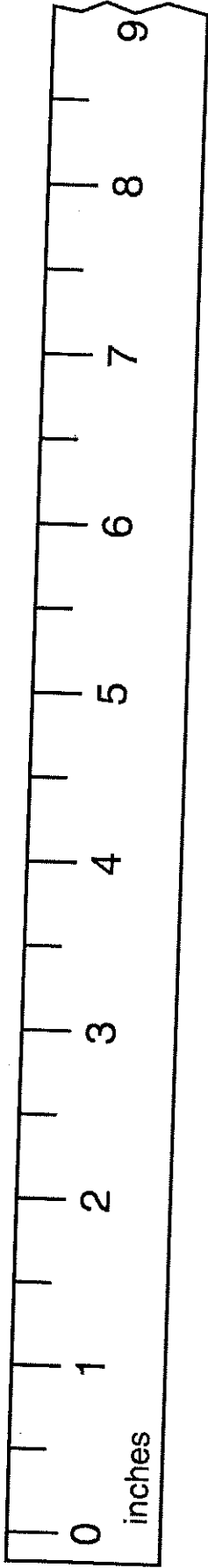
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Measure at least 5 items. Record each item and measure in both inches and centimeters.






 **Music Word Search** 

Can you find the music terms and instruments listed below? When you finish, be sure to toot your own horn!

MARTHOBFDQPORKSYMPHONYSHBI
 OTVHBPUIUQWERLESRTYOBKDQPP
 GHTYUPOIBHTNMFJVUIWAF LUTEX
 RISUDIBHVCMRDAVIIGRSUROBNU
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 AHESTREPOVOCCQANDQRECI PXLZ
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MARCH	DRUMS 	BAND
CLARINET 	TUBA	PIANO
TRUMPET	TROMBONE	CONDUCTOR
ORCHESTRA	MELODY	VIOLIN 
SYMPHONY	HARMONY	FLUTE