

## The Language of Location

<b>Read the Background Pages before attempting the questions</b>	<b>Curriculum Area:</b> Social Studies Level 3-5	<b>Strand</b> Place and Environment
<b>Achievement Objectives</b>	Understand how people view and use places differently.	

1. What does geospatial data mean; \_\_\_\_\_

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2. Explain what latitude means; \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Explain what longitude means; \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Draw in lines of latitude and longitude on the picture below. Label the equator and poles.



5. Describe all the times when a map has been useful to you over the last month; \_\_\_\_\_

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Use google maps - <http://maps.google.co.nz> and locate your home, school and nearest library.

Find the distance between your home and school \_\_\_\_\_ km and between

your home and nearest library \_\_\_\_\_ km.

Draw a simple map in the box provided (or on the back) to show how you got from home to school today. What challenges did you face when drawing this map \_\_\_\_\_

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