

representation

the description or portrayal of someone or something in a particular way



Example: A map is a representation of an actual location or place.



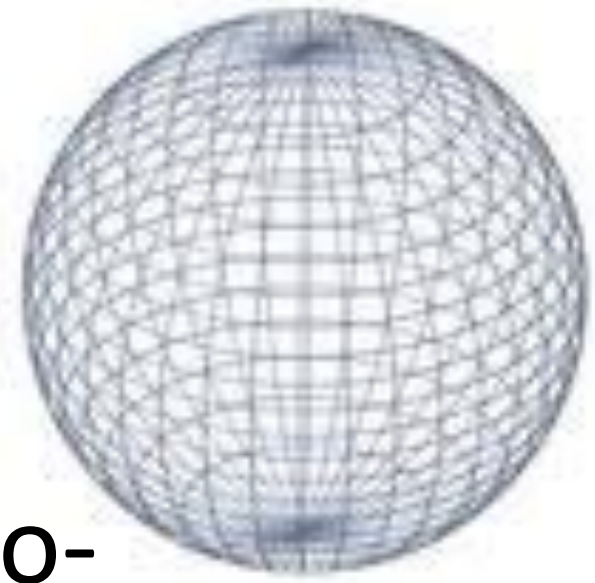
Representation

Each student gave a different set of directions when explaining how to get to Fremont/store.

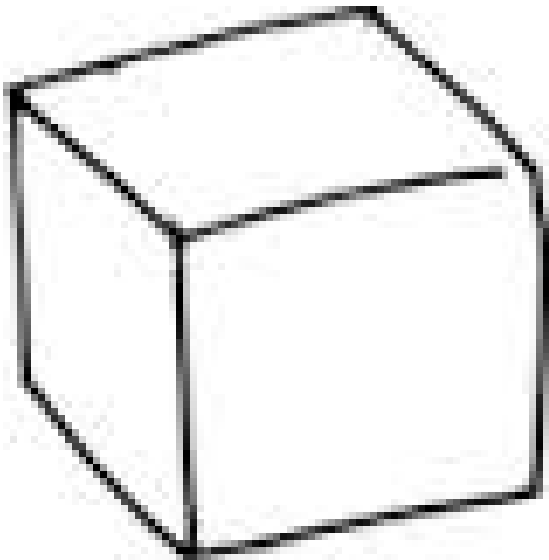


Many people have different representations of what the Mona Lisa painting is trying to depict!

three dimensional



Having length, width
(measurement from side-to-
side) and depth



*Example: The earth is a
three dimensional
object.*

Three Dimensional

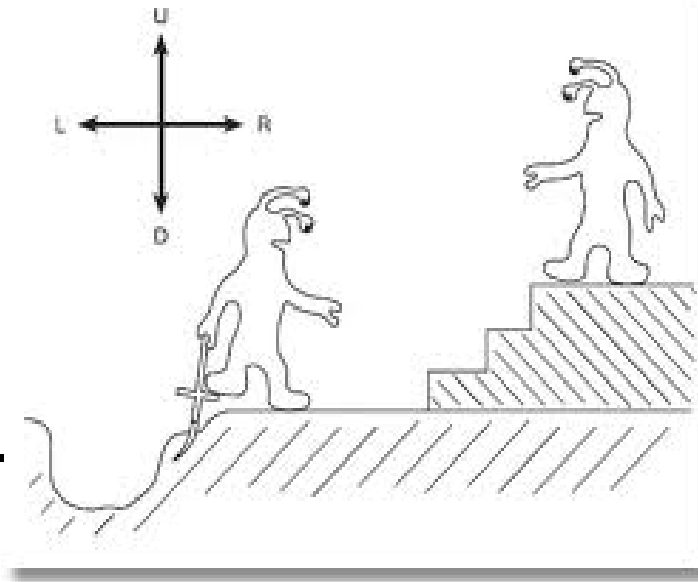
When you can see that an object has depth



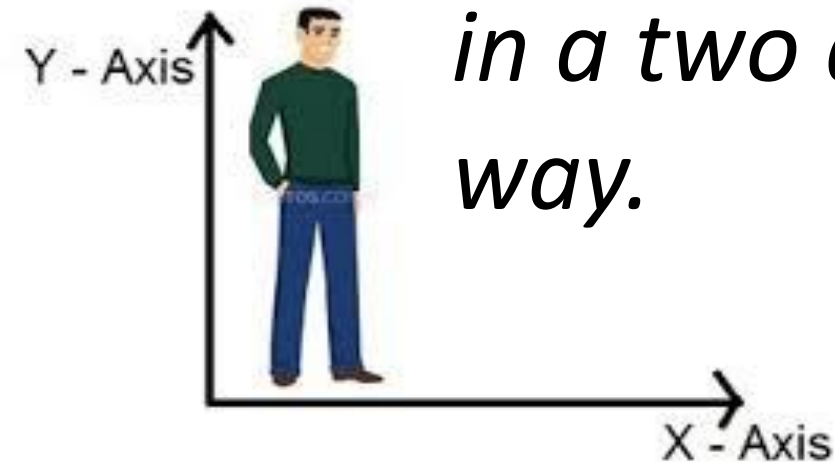
Who has seen a 3-D
movie?

two dimensional

Having length and width
but no depth



*Example: Maps depict the earth
in a two dimensional
way.*



Two dimensional

When an object looks flat

No light source:
flat two-dimensional appearance



Light source:
three-dimensional appearance



map

a visual representation of
an area



*Example: Maps are
representations of places, but
not the actual places
themselves*





Everybody has seen one?



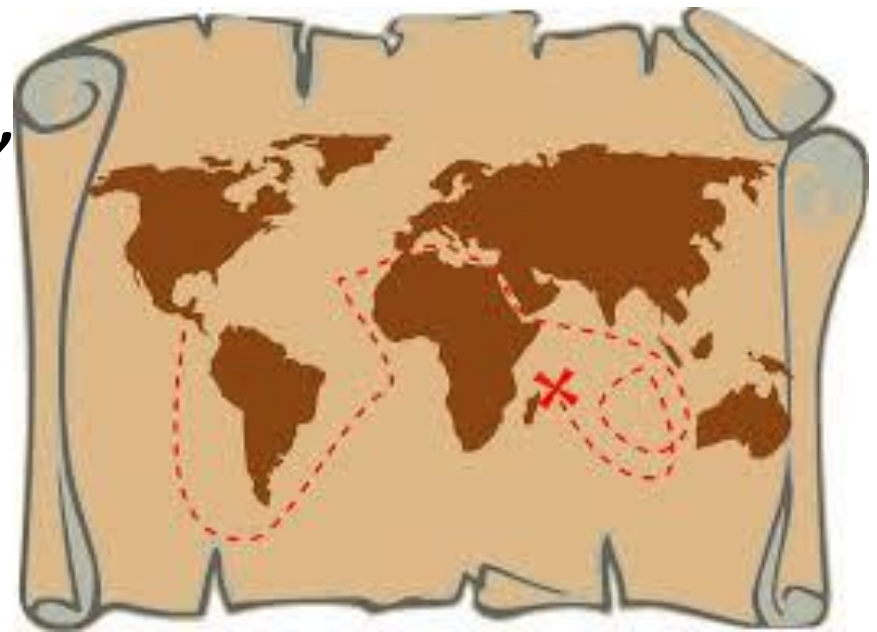
Several different kinds:
World map, street map,
county map, etc.

continent

any of the world's
continuous expanses of land



*Example: Africa,
Antarctica, Asia, Australia,
Europe, North America,
and South America are
the seven continents in
the world.*



continent

Which continent do we live on?



map key/legend

the wording on a map
explaining the symbols

LEGEND	
Regular Bus Route	
Peak Only Bus Route	
Shuttle Route	
Selected Trips	
BLUE LINE	
GOLD LINE	
Transit Center	
Landmark	
Hospital	
Park & Ride Lot	
Bike Lockers	

Example: When reading a map, look for key/legend near the margin of the page. It is usually surrounded by an outline and explains every symbol shown on the map.

LEGEND			
	INTERSTATE		STATE PARK
	U.S. ROUTE		COUNTY PARK
	W.V. ROUTE		RAILROAD
	RAIL TRAIL		COUNTY LINE
	MILE MARKER		RIVER
	TUNNEL		STREAM
	REST STOP & CAMPING		

Map key / legend



The key to reading the map is in the legend.

Recreational Legend

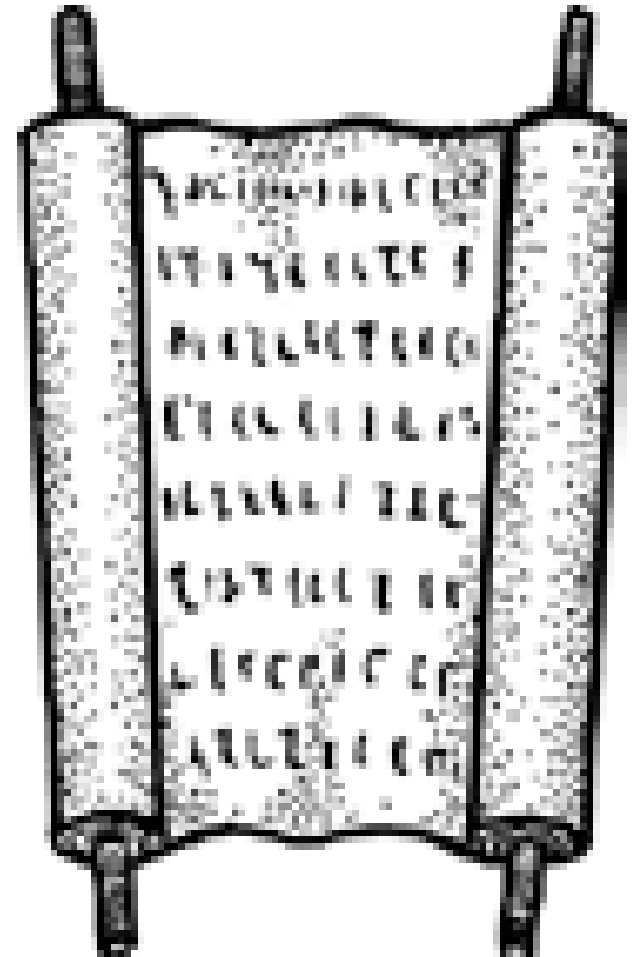
	Picnic Area		Electricity Available		Canoeing
	Picnic Area with shelter available		Showers		Camping
	Restrooms		Dogs on Leash ok		Cross-Country Skiing
	Playground Area		Boat Landing		Snowmobile Trails
	Baseball Diamond		Fishing		ATV Trails
	Basketball Court		Swimming		Running Water
	Volleyball Court		Horseback Riding		Handicap Accessible
	Tennis Court		Mountain Biking		
	Hiking Trails		Biking		

account



a report or description of an event or experience

***Example:** A map is an “account” of how the person created the map “sees” the place they are representing. This is influenced by the person’s knowledge, purpose, and point of view.*



Account



What was your recollection of seventh grade?

