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Cardinal Directions and Map Legend

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Read each sentence about directions and maps. Write True or False on the line. Remember: north is the opposite of south, east is the opposite of west, and on most maps north is at the top.

1. A compass helps you find the time. _____

2. If the shop is north of the field, then the field is north of the shop. _____

3. If the well is east of the bus stop, then the bus stop is west of the well. _____

4. The letter N on a compass rose stands for north. _____

5. North and south are the only two main directions. _____

6. A map shows a place as if you were looking at it from the side. _____

7. If the bakery is east of the shop, then the shop is west of the bakery. _____

8. If the bridge is north of the well, then the well is south of the bridge. _____

9. If the pond is south of the gate, then the gate is north of the pond. _____

10. On most maps, east is on the right. _____

11. If the garden is south of the well, then the well is south of the garden. _____

12. If the bridge is south of the playground, then the playground is south of the bridge. _____

13. If the market is east of the station, then the station is west of the market.

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14. On most maps, north is at the top. _____

15. If the bridge is east of the field, then the field is east of the bridge. _____

16. The sun sets in the north.

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17. East is the opposite of west.

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18. On many maps, blue stands for water. _____

19. A compass rose on a map shows the time. _____

20. If the garden is east of the playground, then the playground is east of the garden. _____

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ANSWER KEY

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1. A compass helps you find the time. **False**

2. If the shop is north of the field, then the field is north of the shop. **False**

3. If the well is east of the bus stop, then the bus stop is west of the well. **True**

4. The letter N on a compass rose stands for north. **True**

5. North and south are the only two main directions. **False**

6. A map shows a place as if you were looking at it from the side. **False**

7. If the bakery is east of the shop, then the shop is west of the bakery. **True**

8. If the bridge is north of the well, then the well is south of the bridge. **True**

9. If the pond is south of the gate, then the gate is north of the pond. **True**

10. On most maps, east is on the right. **True**

11. If the garden is south of the well, then the well is south of the garden. **False**

12. If the bridge is south of the playground, then the playground is south of the bridge. **False**

13. If the market is east of the station, then the station is west of the market. **True**

14. On most maps, north is at the top. **True**

15. If the bridge is east of the field, then the field is east of the bridge. **False**

16. The sun sets in the north. **False**

17. East is the opposite of west. **True**

18. On many maps, blue stands for water. **True**

19. A compass rose on a map shows the time. **False**

20. If the garden is east of the playground, then the playground is east of the garden. **False**