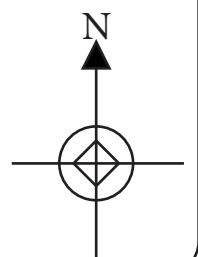
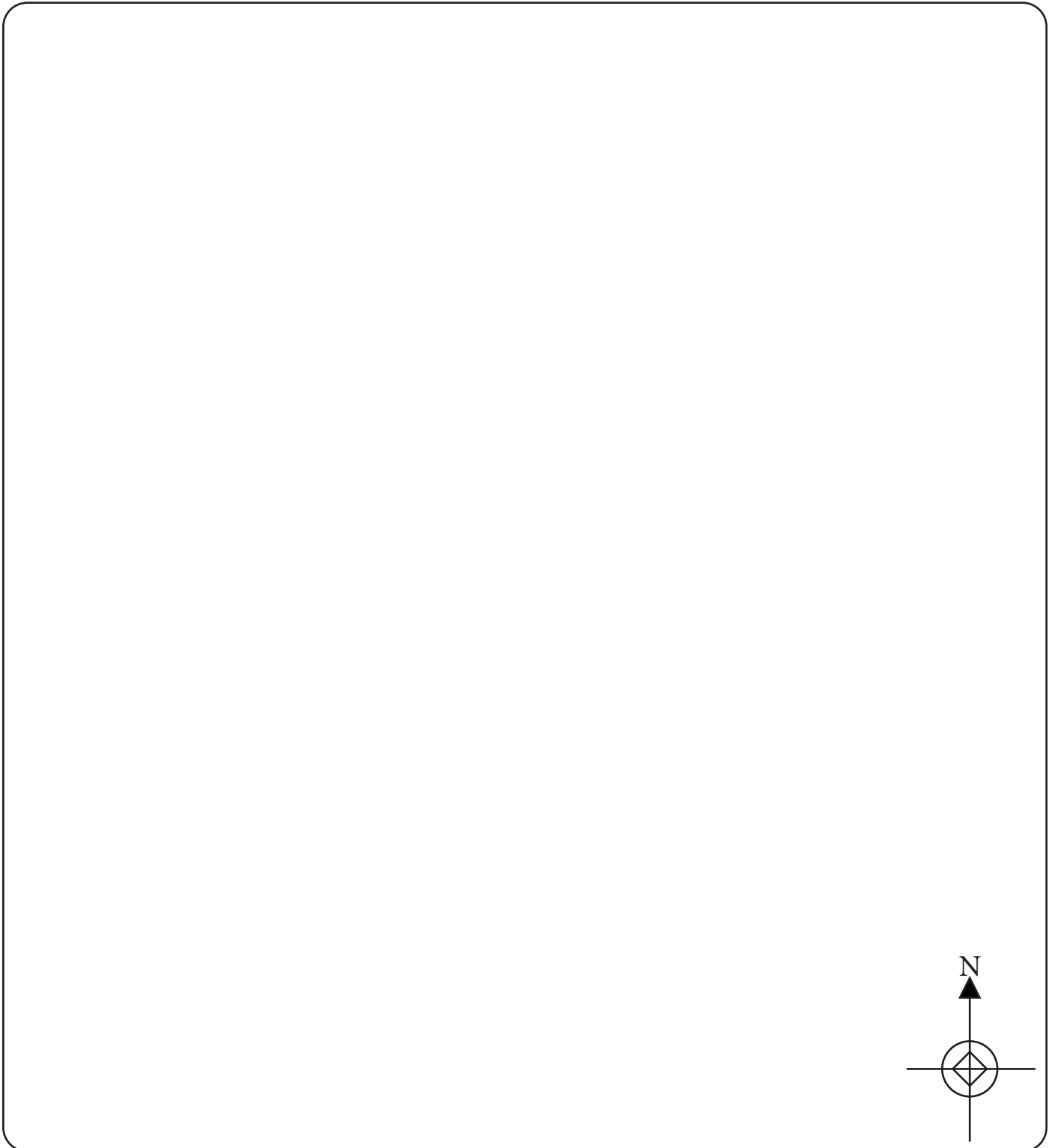


A Game of Thrones, The Lord of the Rings, Winnie the Pooh.  
What do they all have in common? Maps!

Use the outline below to draw your own fantasy map. It can  
include landmarks, towns, or anything else you want.



# The Fictionarium

## Create a World Map Teachers' Notes

You will need:

- Pencils
- Colour pencils
- Rulers
- One copy of the *Create a World Map* sheet for each student

Ask the students if any books they've read have included a map. Discuss with the class what makes each fantasy map unique. Explain that the students will be drawing their own world maps, and they can be any kind of world they like. Instruct the students to spend five-ten minutes writing a few notes in their notebook about what their world will be like. Does it have magic? Do Elves or Dwarves or Aliens live there? Is the landscape green and beautiful or dark and scary?

Hand out the art supplies and worksheets. Give students 30-40 minutes to draw their map.

If students are struggling, give them examples of landmarks they could include, for example:

- Forests
- Lakes
- Rivers
- Towns/Cities
- Villages
- Mountains
- Volcanoes
- Swamps
- Deserts
- Plains

Once they are finished allow them time to share their world if they wish, either in groups or as a whole class.

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### Curriculum Links

[The Arts] Exploring artworks and images to create their own ideas and stories & exploring ideas, characters and setting in the community through stories in images, sounds and texts.

[Humanities and Social Sciences] Evaluating and reflecting & communicating/ both verbally and through text or images etc.

[English] Expressing and developing ideas, phonics and word knowledge & creating texts.