Map Analysis Worksheet

Student name

1. TYPE OF MAP (check one):
   ____ Raised relief map
   ____ Topographic map
   ____ Political map
   ____ Contour-line map
   ____ Natural resource map
   ____ Military map
   ____ Bird’s-eye view
   ____ Artifact map
   ____ Satellite photograph/mosaic
   ____ Pictograph
   ____ Weather map
   ____ Other ( )

2. PHYSICAL QUALITIES OF THE MAP (check one or more):
   ____ Compass
   ____ Handwritten
   ____ Date
   ____ Notations
   ____ Scale
   ____ Name of mapmaker
   ____ Title
   ____ Legend (key)
   ____ Other

3. DATE OF MAP: 

4. CREATOR OF MAP: 

5. WHERE WAS THE MAP PRODUCED?

6. MAP INFORMATION
   A. List three things in this map that you think are important:
      1.
      2.
      3.
B. Why do you think this map was drawn?

C. What evidence in the map suggests why it was drawn?

D. What information does the map add to the textbook’s account of this event?

E. Does the information in this map support or contradict information that you have read about this event? Explain.

F. Write a question to the mapmaker that is left unanswered by this map.

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