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# CH -1: know your planet

#### B. Write T for True or F for false:

- 1.We can make a globe for a small part of the Earth ... False...
- 2. Forest and industry cannot be shown on a map .....False....
- 3. Symbols on a map show features that cannot be drawn .... True....
- 4. Place and mountains are shown in different colours ... True....

# C. Answer this question:

1. How was it proved that the Earth is spherical in shape?

Ans: it was proved that Earth is round in shape as a sailor travelled from one point of the earth took the whole round of it and came back at the same place. So Hence proved that the Earth is spherical in shape.

- 2. How is globe useful to us?
  - Ans: it show the distribution of land and water on the surface of the earth. It show the correct shape, size and location of the continents and oceans in globe.
- 3. How do maps help us? why is a map less accurate than a globe?

Ans: maps are less accurate than globe because map is Flat presentation of our earth but globe is the spherical presentation of the earth and globe are more accurate than map because globe is

a model of earth and we can imagine how our earth looks like by the blue.

4. What are the features that help us to read a map?

Ans: the scale symbol and direction are important tools that help you to read the map conveniently. The map is used for showing as well as recording the information such as relief features social features, political boundaries and others.

### D. Think and answer:

 The earth look mostly blue when seen from space why?

Ans :The Earth looks mostly blue when we seen from space because 71% of Earth's surface is covered with water reflect Sky colour.

## G.MAP WORK (H.W. WORK)

On the map of India given on page 142 use appropriate colour to show the following.

- Indian Ocean
- Arabian Sea
- Bay of Bengal
- Himalayas
- Northern plains
- Thar Desert