How do the surface areas of land and water on Earth compare?

If an inflatable globe is tossed and caught, what percent of the time will the catcher's right index finger be on water?

Surf 'n Sand Count

Which continents and/or oceans touch all four hemispheres?

How might the land areas on Earth have once been joined together as one supercontinent?

new country has just been discovered. Where in the world is it?

How does this country look from an airplane?

What physical features give clues to a country's economy?

How can you locate the opposite of any point on Earth?

How can we find distances on a globe?

How do the countries of South America fit together?

You are planning a trip to another city. How will you decide what clothes to pack?

How can you use a compass to find your way to certain location?

How can you find your way around the amusement park?

How can a compass be used to locate fires, assist campers and save lives?

How can a large population be determined without counting every member?

How has the population changed?

How does the growth of the world's most populated countries compare?

How does the amount of living space per person in these countries compare? How is the population of the world changing?

How can we find places on a map?

How can we fit this room onto piece of paper? How can you shrink a basketball court?

What things do you have to consider when making a scale drawing of house plan?

## Challenge:

Design a new school. You parachute from an airplane somewhere in the United States. You scramble out from under your silken canopy. The first thing you see is an interstate road sign.

Where in the United States are you?

You have been chosen to participate in a "See America Road Rally." You will choose, at random, five cities to visit. After choosing your five cities, how long do you think your trip will

take?

What information does our relief map give us?

- 1. If you were on a backpacking trip, how could you actually see how high you are going to climb?
- 2. Which mountain matches this map?