

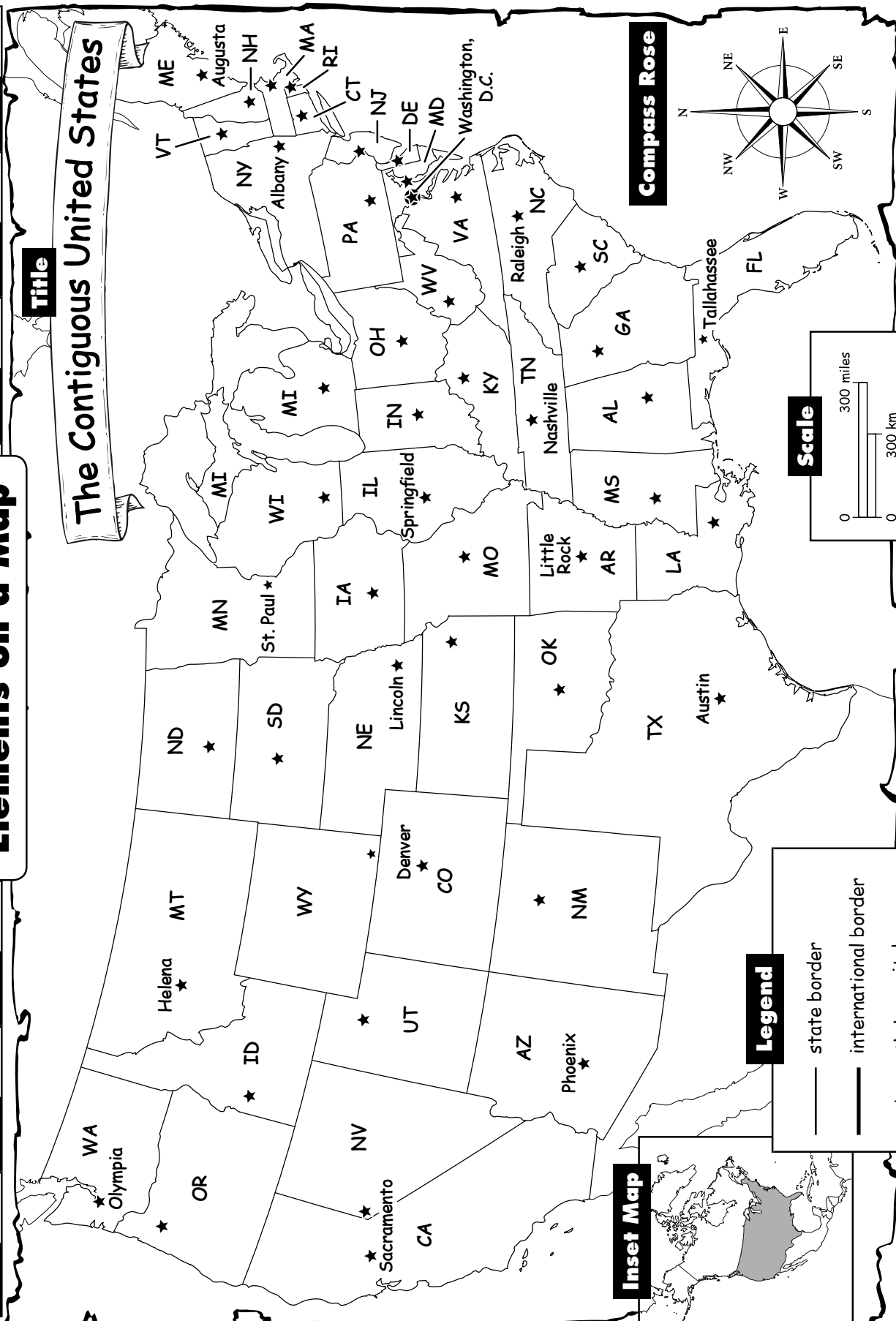
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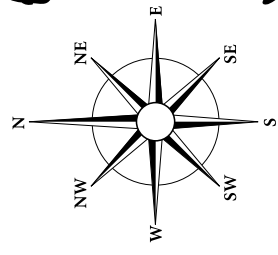
# Elements on a Map

## The Contiguous United States

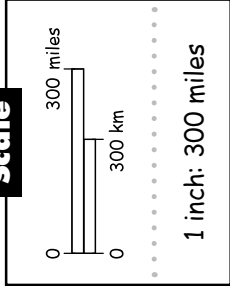
**Title**



**Compass Rose**



**Scale**



**Legend**

- state border
- international border
- ★ state capital
- ★ national capital

**Inset Map**





# Elements on a Map

## Monday

1. Name the five elements that are shown on the map.

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2. What does the title tell you about the map?

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## Tuesday

1. How many states are part of the contiguous United States? Which states are not contiguous?

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2. Name the cardinal and intermediate directions shown on the compass rose.

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## Wednesday

1. What is another name for a legend? What kinds of things are shown on the legend?

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2. Name the two countries that border the United States. Which elements help to identify them?

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# Elements on a Map

## Thursday

1. Why is the inset map of North America included?

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2. Use the scale and a ruler to find the approximate distance from Denver to Lincoln. Measure to the nearest  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch.

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## Friday

1. Use the scale and a ruler to find the approximate distance from Raleigh to Little Rock and then to Austin. Measure to the nearest  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch.

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2. Use the scale and a ruler to find the approximate distance from the nation's capital to the capital of California. Measure to the nearest  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch.

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## Challenge

Write two questions about the distance between capitals on the back of the map. Be sure to include the answers. Ask a classmate to solve the two problems.