Canada's Interactions With The Global Community

Lesson 2 Reading a Map

Numeracy Activity: Using Map Coordinates

Activity: Finding countries based on coordinates.

Activity overview:
Students will develop their understanding of coordinates by finding countries based on instructions with coordinates.

Instructions:

Hand students the activity sheet below and tell students that they will be discovering different countries based on their coordinates. Ensure students have prior knowledge of longitude and latitude by doing the lesson at the link above.

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Activity sheet

Instructions:
Using google maps you will add the following coordinates and write down each country.

1. **25.2744° S, 133.7751° E** _____
2. **40.4637° N, 3.7492° W** _____
3. **38.9637° N, 35.2433° E.** _____
4. **41.1533° N, 20.1683° E** _____
5. **31.7917° N, 7.0926° W** _____
6. **9.1900° S, 75.0152° W** _____

Using the first letter of each country fill out the boxes below to answer the question.

What travels around the world but stays in one place?
