

SDPB MapReading

Some of the answers may be a little off if your class is using an older or newer version of the South Dakota state map.

1. What State(s) Border(s) South Dakota on the following?

North North Dakota
East Minnesota; Iowa
South Nebraska
West Montana; Wyoming

2. What symbol is used to locate the state capital?

Draw the symbol:



red symbol

What is the capital of South Dakota? Pierre

3. What is the shortest distance between Yankton and Mitchell?

By car: 85 using mileage chart miles

By plane: approximately 66 using ruler and map scale miles (as the crow flies)

4. What is the population of the following towns?

State: 2000 census – 754,844

	Population (using map index)	% of total population (town population / SD population)
Avon:	<u>561</u>	<u>.07%</u>
Hill City:	<u>780</u>	<u>.1%</u>
Yankton:	<u>13,528</u>	<u>1.8%</u>
Sioux Falls:	<u>123,975</u>	<u>16.4%</u>
Wounded Knee:	<u>328</u>	<u>.04%</u>

5. What is the symbol used for the county seat?

Draw the symbol:



black symbol

6. What is the county seat of the following counties?

Bon Homme County Tyndall

Sully County Onida

7. Is Witten, South Dakota located in the Central Time Zone or Mountain Time Zone?

Check one.

- Central Time Zone (locate using index)

- Mountain Time Zone

8. What is the distance between Okreek, SD and Carter, SD?

(find using index)

By car: 10 using mileage on road miles

By plane: approximately 9.6 using ruler and scale miles (as the crow flies)

9. What is the elevation of Custer?

5318 feet above sea level. indicated on map by town

10. Wanblee is located on this Indian Reservation Pine Ridge Indian Reservation

Additional Questions

11. Question: _____

Answer: _____

12. Question: _____

Answer: _____
