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TODALSIGGS-Elements of a good Map Rubric

Mnemonic	#	Map Element	Possible point total
	1.	Drawn in pencil	5
T	2.	Title of map (what does it represent?)	5
O	3.	Orientation (Compass Rose-  Cardinal/Intermediate directions)	5
D	4.	Date (Top left- hand margin) date began	5
A	5.	Author (Top right-hand margin)	5
L	6.	Legend/Key (physical features, cities, etc....) Uses appropriate symbols ex. Forrest = 	10
S	7.	Scale (represents distance on a map)	5
I	8.	Index (Alpha listing to show addresses and places-listed on the back of the map)	5
G	9.	Grid -Helps locate places A,B,C-1,2,3	10
G	10.	Glossary -defines physical features(Mountain Ranges, desserts, etc...)	5
S	11.	Source : Bibliographical Information (Where did you get your information).	5
	12.	Required size 18 x 12 inches	10
	13.	One Inch Border	5
	14.	Everything outlined in black (names, places, physical features, etc...)	10
	15.	Map(shaded appropriate colors-Blue only for water)	10
	16.	Points deducted for using markers	10

Total pts _____