

Washington State History Project  
Relief Map of Washington State  
Due October 13, 2008

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Topic: The Geography of Washington State

Create a relief map of WA State using salt dough. (Recipe on the back)

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Scoring Criteria	1	2	3	4	Score
<b>Visual appeal</b> ❖ Color code the 5 land regions ❖ Include a key for the colors	Regions are not color coded	Regions are color coded but no key to colors included	Regions are color coded and a key is included but the work is messy of the regions are hard to distinguish	Regions are color coded and a key is included	___ x 4 ___ (16)
<b>Neatness and legibility</b> ❖ All locations should be labeled ❖ Work shows effort	Project is messy	Map shows effort but labels are hard to read	Labels can be read and work shows effort	Labels can be read and work shows much effort	___ x 3 ___ (12)
<b>Clearly Identified on the map</b> ❖ Name ❖ Grade ❖ Subject ❖ Assignment	Map is not identified	Map is identified but missing some information.	Map is identified but not clearly.	Map is clearly and completely identified on the back.	___ x 2 ___ (8)
<b>Content</b> ❖ Mountain ranges (3) ❖ At least 5 mountain peaks	Includes less than 5 mountain ranges or peaks	Includes less than 7 mountain ranges or peaks	Includes all mountain ranges or peaks but one or more is located incorrectly	Includes all mountain ranges or peaks all are located correctly	___ x 5 ___ (20)
<b>Content</b> Bodies of water 5 Rivers 2 Lakes 1 Ocean	Includes less than 5 bodies of water	Includes less than 7 bodies of water	Includes all bodies of water but one or more is located incorrectly	Includes all bodies of water and locates them incorrectly	___ x 5 ___ (20)

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Content ❖ Land Regions (5)	Regions are not indicated	Includes less than 5 regions	Includes all regions but locates one or more incorrectly	5 Regions are included and located correctly	___ x 5 ___ (20)
Content ❖ Border states ❖ Border countries ❖ Border bodies of water	One or no borders are noted	Two or fewer borders are indicated	Borders included but incorrectly	Borders included and correctly located and labeled	___ x 5 ___ (20)
Content ❖ 8 major cities ❖ Capital included	Fewer than 4 cities included	Fewer than 6 cities included	Fewer than 8 cities included	8 or more cities located correctly and labeled	___ x 5 ___ (20)
Content ❖ Direction indicator	Does not include direction indicator	Includes direction indicator but done incorrectly	Includes direction indicator but done sloppily	Includes direction indicator	___ x 3 ___ (12)

Total: 148

### Self-Hardening Salt Clay Recipe

1 ½ cups salt

4 cups flour

1 ½ cups water

1 teaspoon alum (as preservative if clay is not baked)

Mix the dry ingredients together in a plastic bowl; then add water gradually.

When dough forms a ball around the spoon, knead the dough well, adding water if it is too crumbly.

**Remember: You will have to transport this may to school so make sure it is supported and will fit in the car!**