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Which line of longitude is known as the Prime Meridian?
○ 90°E
○ 0° ○ 180°
○ 160 ○ 45°W
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What is the latitude of the Equator?
○ 0°
○ 45°N
○ 90°S
○ 180°
What is the maximum degree of latitude possible?
○ 45°
○ 90°
○ 180°
○ 360°
Which of the following coordinates could represent a location in the Southern Hemisphere? (Select all that apply)
☐ 45°N, 120°E
☐ 30°S, 60°W
☐ 15°S, 45°E
☐ 60°N, 90°W
Which unit is used to measure latitude and longitude?
○ Kilometers

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○ Degrees
○ Meters
○ Inches
How would you calculate the distance between two points given their latitude and longitude?
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Which of the following are true about the Prime Meridian? (Select all that apply)
☐ It is located at 0° longitude
☐ It runs through Greenwich, England
☐ It is the starting point for measuring latitude
☐ It helps establish time zones
What is the primary purpose of the Prime Meridian?
○ To divide the Earth into time zones
○ To measure distance from the Equator
To separate the Eastern and Western Hemispheres
○ To calculate altitude
What is the longitude of the International Date Line?
○ 0°
○ 90°
○ 180° ○ 360°
○ 300

Discuss the importance of the Prime Meridian in global navigation.



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Which of the following are applications of latitude and longitude? (Select all that apply)	
Determining climate zones	
Calculating altitude	
Navigation and GPS	
Setting time zones	

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What is the process for converting coordinates from degrees, minutes, and seconds to decimal

degrees?



What are the characteristics of the Equator? (Select all that apply)	2
☐ It is at 0° latitude	
☐ It divides the Earth into Eastern and Western Hemispheres	
☐ It is the longest line of latitude☐ It runs through the poles	
Which hemisphere is located above the Equator?	
Eastern Hemisphere	
○ Western Hemisphere	
○ Northern Hemisphere	
○ Southern Hemisphere	
Explain how latitude and longitude are used in GPS technology.	
Which of the following statements about the International Date Line are correct? (Select all that apply)	
☐ It is located at 180° longitude	
☐ It is used to calculate altitude	
☐ It marks the change of one calendar day to the next	
☐ It divides the Earth into Northern and Southern Hemispheres	

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Which direction do lines of latitude run?



○ North-South	
○ East-West	
○ Diagonal	
○ Vertical	
Which of the following are true about lines of longitude? (Select all that apply)	
Which of the following are true about lines of longitude? (Select all that apply) They run parallel to the Equator They converge at the poles	
☐ They run parallel to the Equator	