

Workcard

Level 3**Strand: Space****Substrand: Represent Location**

School Design

Draw a draft map of the school. Show the location of all the building and paths in the main school area.

Show this draft map to the teacher. Now fill out an out of room activity contract for the next lesson. Decide on what equipment you will need. (You can work one the directions questions if you have time)

You will have up to a ½ hour out of the room to improve your map. Make it more accurate. If you need extra time you will need to do it at lunch and recess.

After your time outside the class draw a final map with legend and all information you have gathered.

Directions

Using the terms right left forwards backwards and the number of steps, describe how to get from you desk to the teachers desk.

Give descriptions of how to get from your classroom to these locations.

- The canteen
- The Gym
- The library
- The nearest toilet
- The front office
- The Nurse's Office

Check with another person to see if your directions are accurate.

Reflection

What improvements did you make to your draft map after your out of class activity?

Do you think your map of the school is accurate? How would you improve it?

What did you learn about giving directions?