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**Geography Island Project**

**Due \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**100 points**

**REQUIREMENTS – 10 points for each category**

1. **Island Name (map title)**
	1. Write the name of your island on your map. The name may be creative; however it should be school appropriate and reflect the type of culture your island has.
	2. Island Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. **Location (latitude and longitude coordinates)**
	1. Choose a location for your island in an ocean on our planet. Remember the climate of your island, as well as the land forms and bodies of water must be appropriate in your chosen location.
	2. Coordinates:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. **Climate Zone**
	1. Based on your island’s coordinates, what climate zone would it have? Remember, it must be appropriate for the part of the world where your island is located.
	2. Climate Zone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. **Land forms and bodies of water**
	1. Choose 5 land forms that are located on your island. Remember, they must match your climate zone! Label each land form on your map.
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	7. Choose 3 bodies of water (the ocean surrounding your island does NOT count as one of your bodies of water). Remember, they must match your climate zone! Label each body of water on your map.
	8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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5. **Compass**
	1. Include a compass on your map to show the Cardinal Directions.
6. **Scale**
	1. Include a scale on your map to show how large your island is. Remember 1 inch = a certain number of miles. It needs to be a reasonable size and have room for people to live there.
7. **Legend**
	1. Include a legend that has symbols to represent each of your land forms and bodies of water. There should be a symbol next to the name of what it represents. Include a capital city for your island in your legend. Name your capital city and write this on the map.

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1. **Paragraph on culture and migration patterns of country**
	1. Write a paragraph about the culture of your island. You may include traditions, holidays, special foods, clothing, etc. Be sure to include why people would migrate to your island. What does it offer that other countries do not?
	2. Write your paragraph neatly on a piece of loose leaf paper. It will be attached to your map. Check for correct spelling and punctuation.
2. **Neatness, Creative, Colored**
	1. Your map and paragraph should be neat, colorful (use colored pencils, not markers or highlighters) and shows creativity. Remember, this your creation so it should reflect you.
3. **First draft of project**
	1. By completing this worksheet (draft of your country) you have earned 10 points. If you do not thoroughly complete it and turn it in you will lose points.

**\*\* Bonus Opportunities\*\***

1. If you would like to earn extra points on this project, you can include elements of human geography on your island (ex. hospital, school, bridge, etc. basically man-made things that can appear on a map). Please label these places on your map.
2. You may also write about the government your island has, its money, and/or create a flag or national anthem for your country.