

### Approximate Absolute Location

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Use an atlas to answer the following questions.

1. What body of water is located at  $0^{\circ}$ ,  $0^{\circ}$ ? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What city is located near  $30^{\circ}\text{S}$ ,  $30^{\circ}\text{E}$ ? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What country is at  $10^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $0^{\circ}$ ? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What island country lies at  $20^{\circ}\text{S}$ ,  $45^{\circ}\text{E}$ ? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Write the **approximate** location of Kigali, Rwanda using latitude and longitude. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Write the **approximate** location of Cape Town, South Africa using latitude and longitude. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Write the **approximate** location of Equatorial Guinea using latitude and longitude. \_\_\_\_\_
8. Write the **approximate** location of Tunisia using latitude and longitude. \_\_\_\_\_

*Student notes to Mrs. Liljemark:*

**Star:** I feel like I'm really strong with...

**Step:** I feel like I could use more practice with ...

### Rubric

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<b>Approximate Absolute Location</b>	Students can accurately determine approximate absolute location.	Students can determine approximate absolute location with a few errors	Students struggle with determining approximate absolute location. Assignment should be corrected and re-submitted.	Student understanding of approximate absolute location is minimal or the assignment was not completed. Student has fundamental confusion about the concept of latitude and longitude. Please re-do and/or see Mrs. Liljemark.

*This assignment may be corrected and turned in again for full credit!*

Teacher Notes:

**B** Use Map 1-8 of Africa to answer the following questions. Be sure always to begin counting degrees of latitude from the equator and degrees of longitude from the prime meridian. Also, be sure to notice that the number of degrees gets larger as you go away from the zero lines.

Map 1-8

