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Alberta is diverse.

diverse

synonyms = differing, disparate, divergent, diversified,
varied, assorted, several, unique, unlike, separate

antonyms = alike, similar, same, conforming, parallel,
identical, uniform

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- Natural Resources Canada
- Textbook: "Voices of Alberta"
- Book: "Alberta Climate"
- Canadian Geographic magazine and map
- D. Harrison

Natural Regions of Alberta

Legend

Canadian Shield = pink

Boreal Forest = green

Foothills = brown

Rocky Mountains = purple

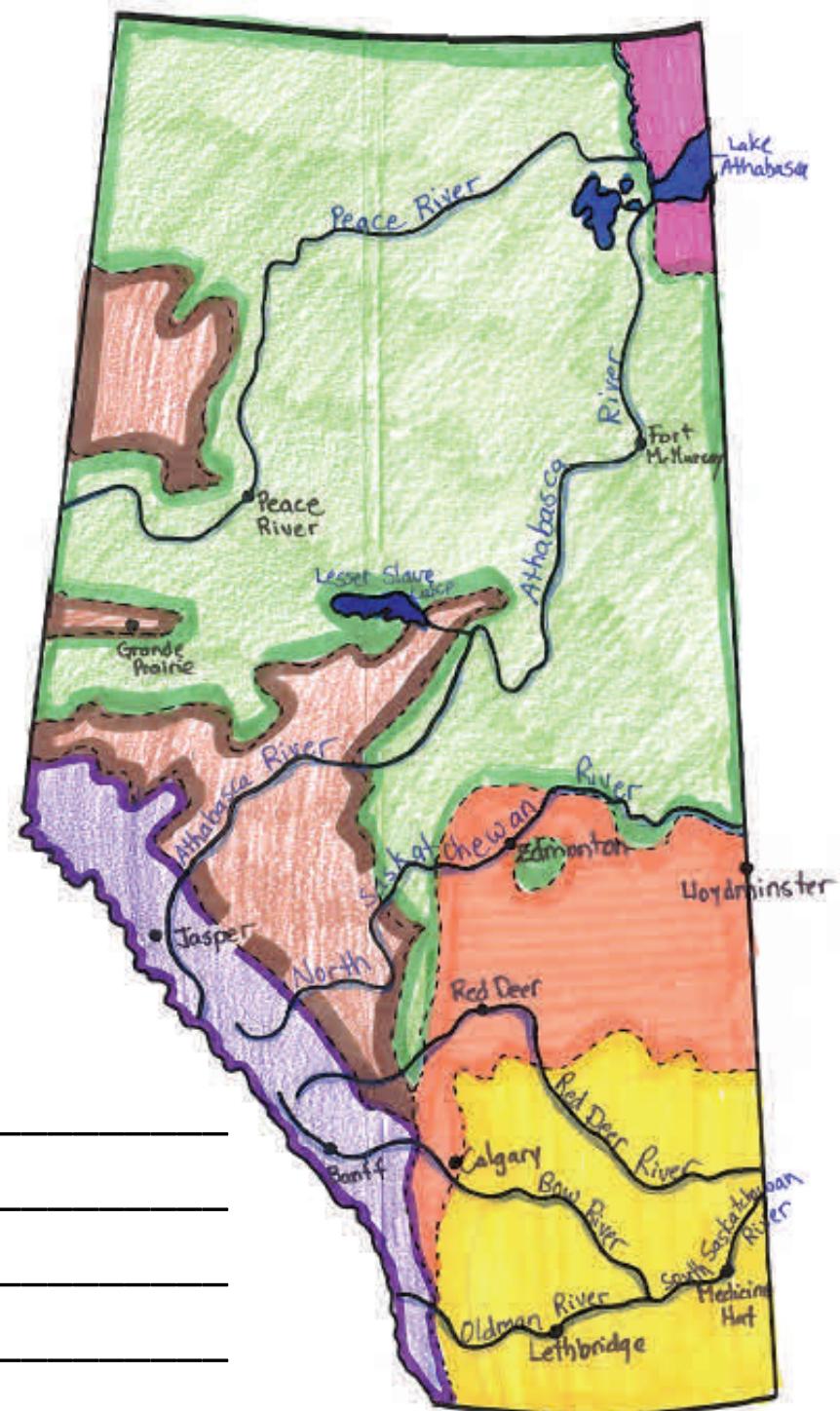
Parkland = orange

Grasslands = Yellow

Large Lakes = blue

Rivers = black lines

Big Cities = black dots



Canadian Shield



Colour the Canadian Shield above.



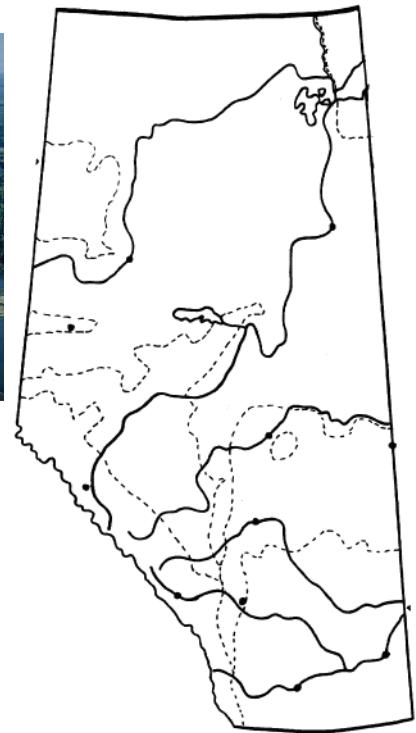




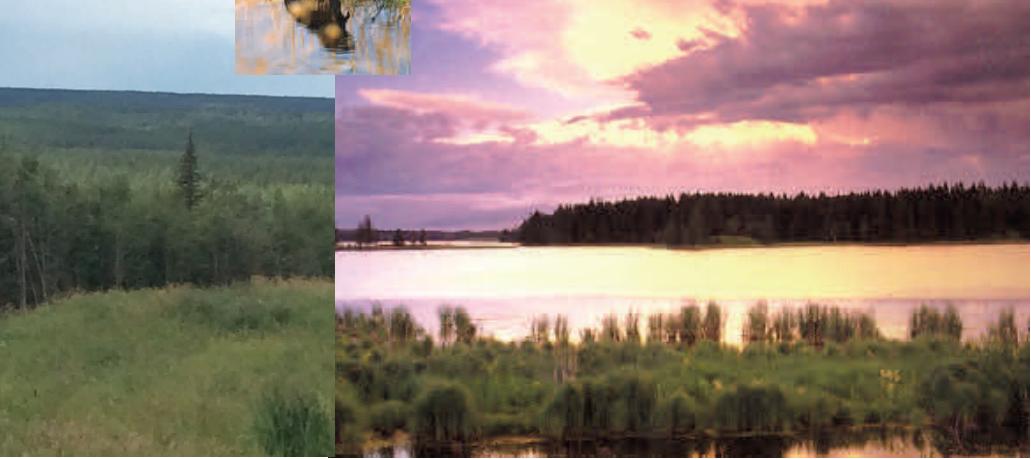
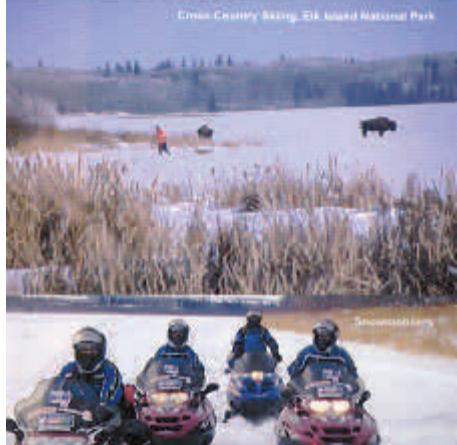
The Boreal Forest



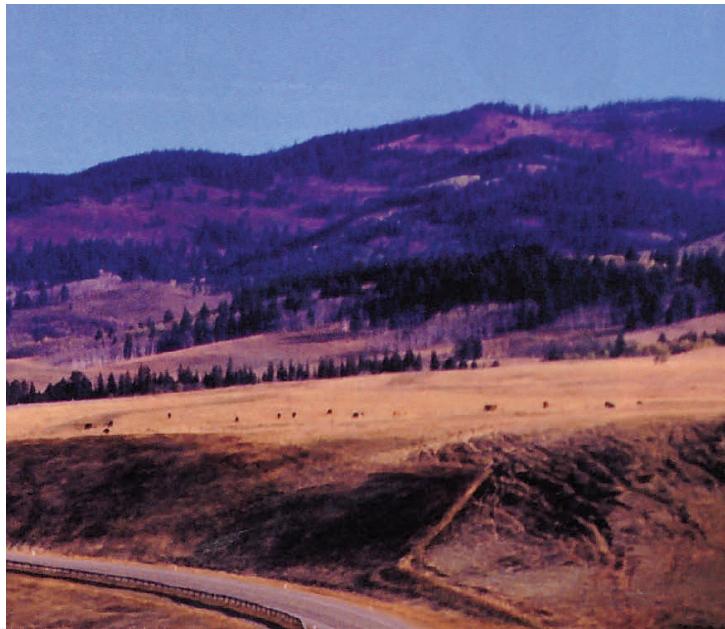
The Athabasca River



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The Foothills

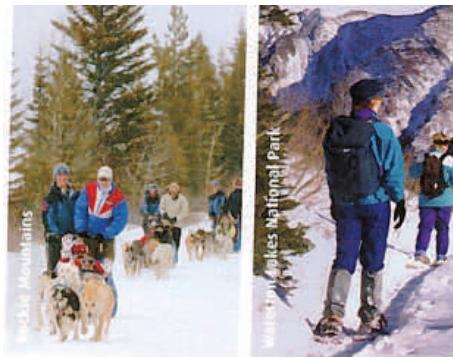


Colour the Foothills above.





The Rocky Mountains



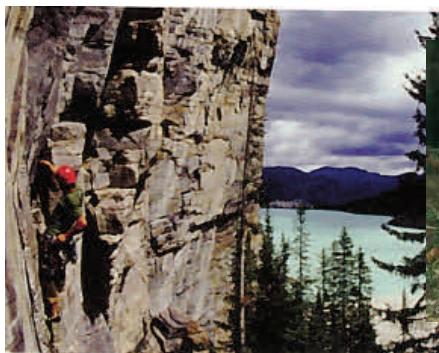
Mountain Goat



Nakiska Ski Resort, Kananaskis Country



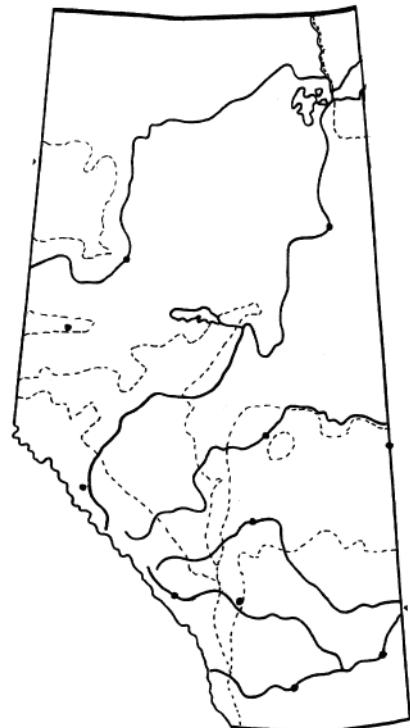
Grizzly Bear



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Marmot Basin, Jasper National Park



Colour the Rocky Mountains above.

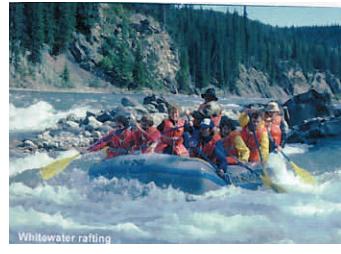




Athabasca Falls, Jasper National Park



Kananaskis Golf Course, Kananaskis Country



Whitewater rafting

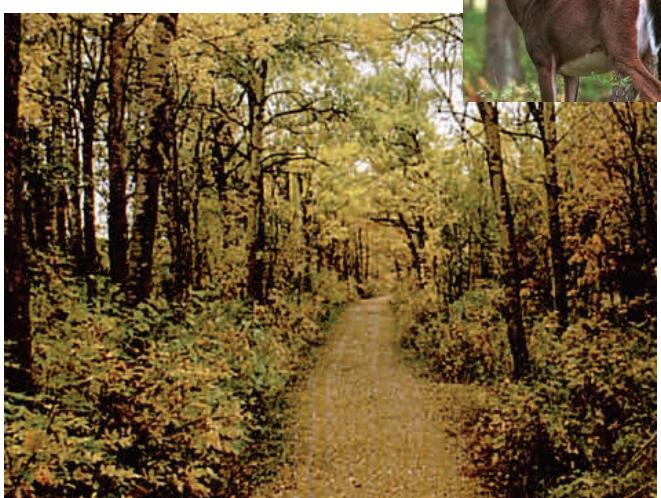


Gerald and Buff Corsi © California Academy of Sciences

The Parkland



Colour the Parklands above.



The Grasslands

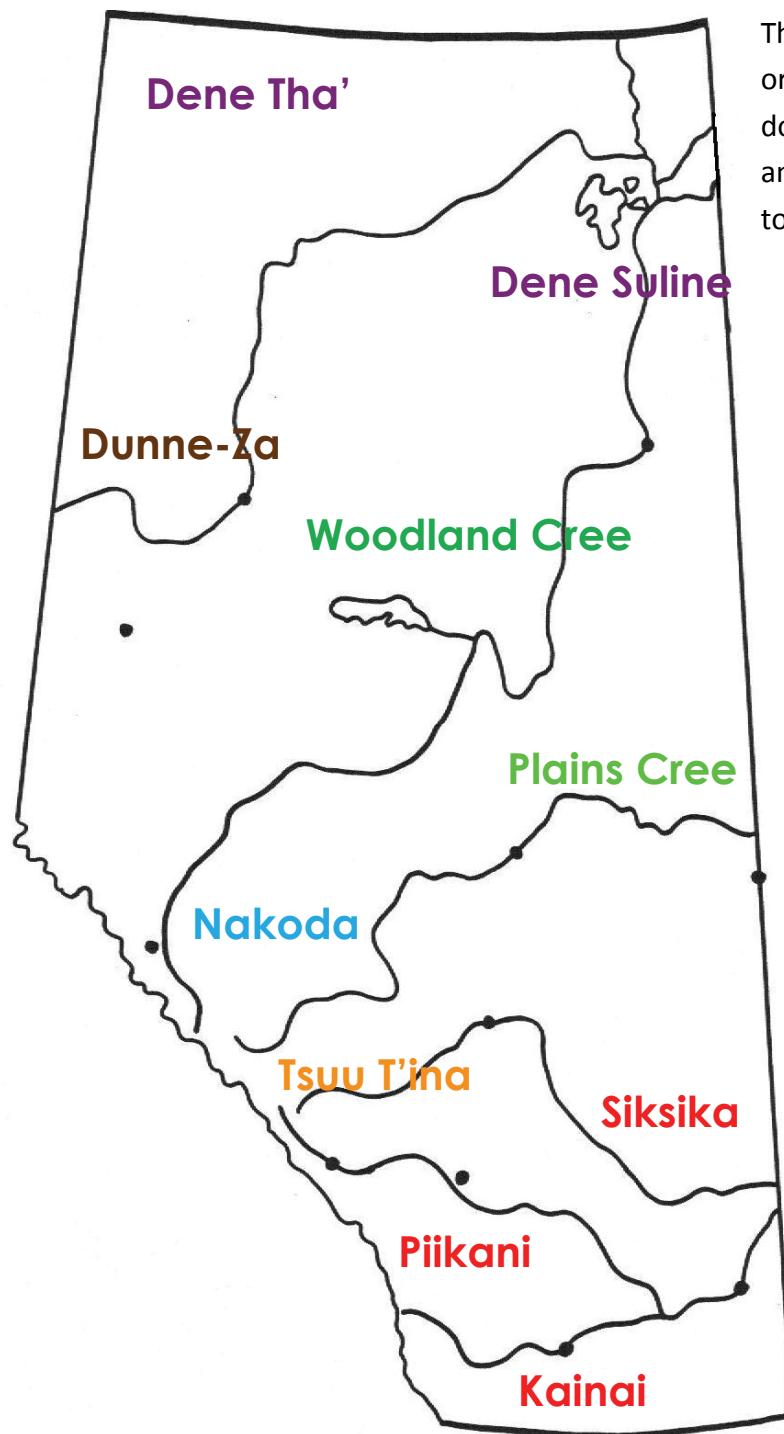


Colour the Grasslands above.





First Nations of Alberta

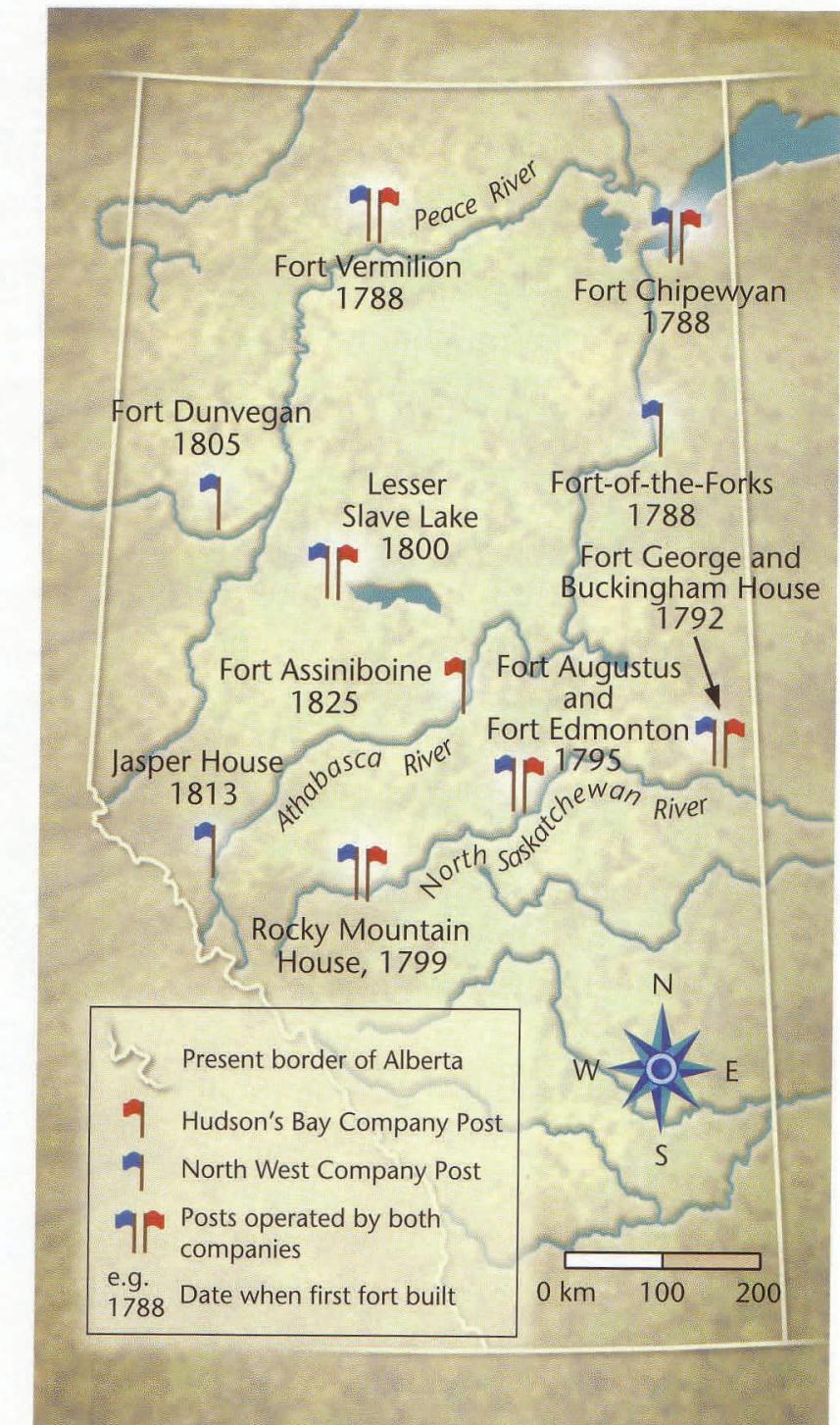


The black lines are rivers or outlines of lakes. The dots are today's big cities and are shown on the map to help you position tribes.

Some Aboriginal Place Names of Alberta



Main Fur-trading Posts, Alberta, 1788–1825



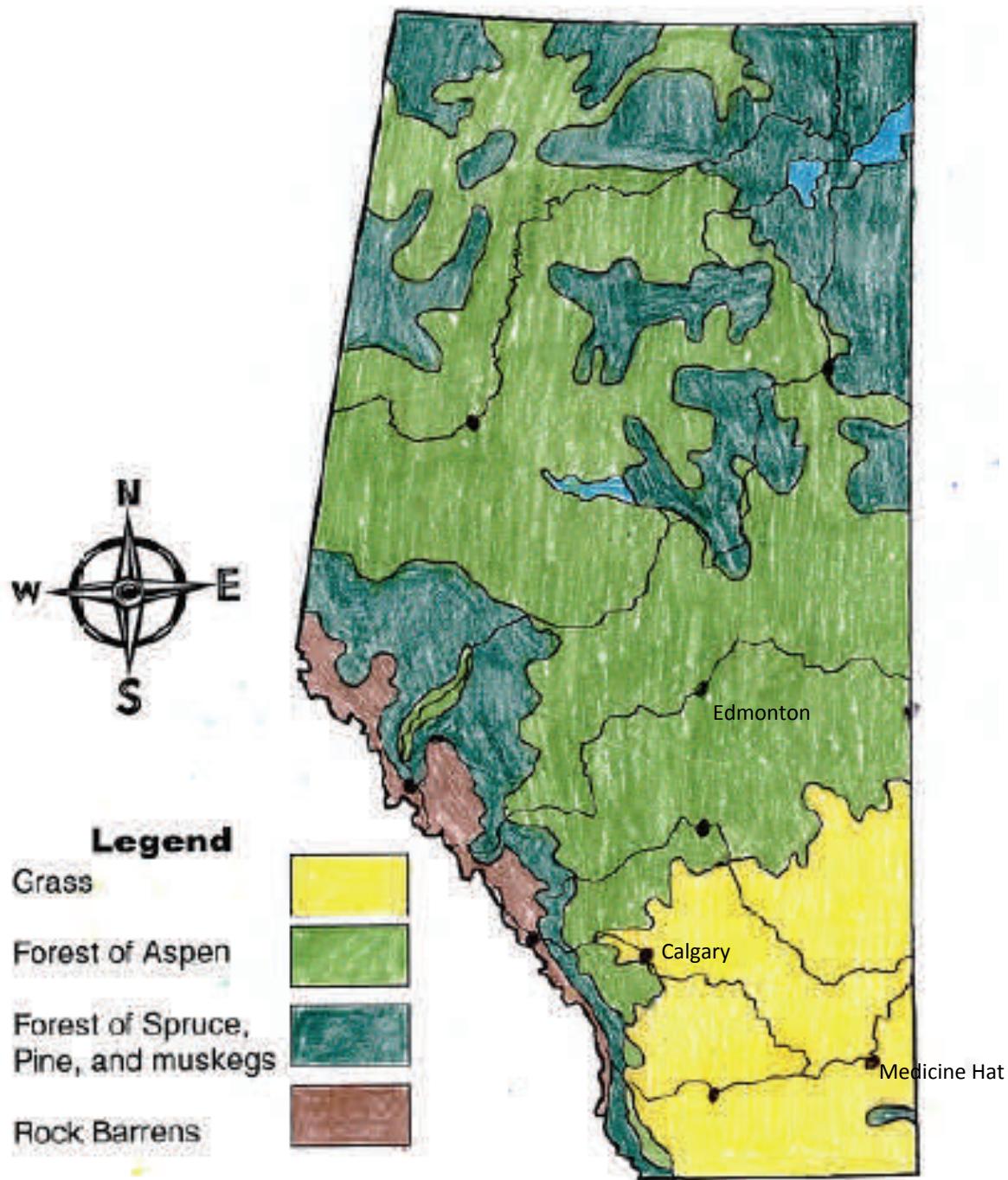
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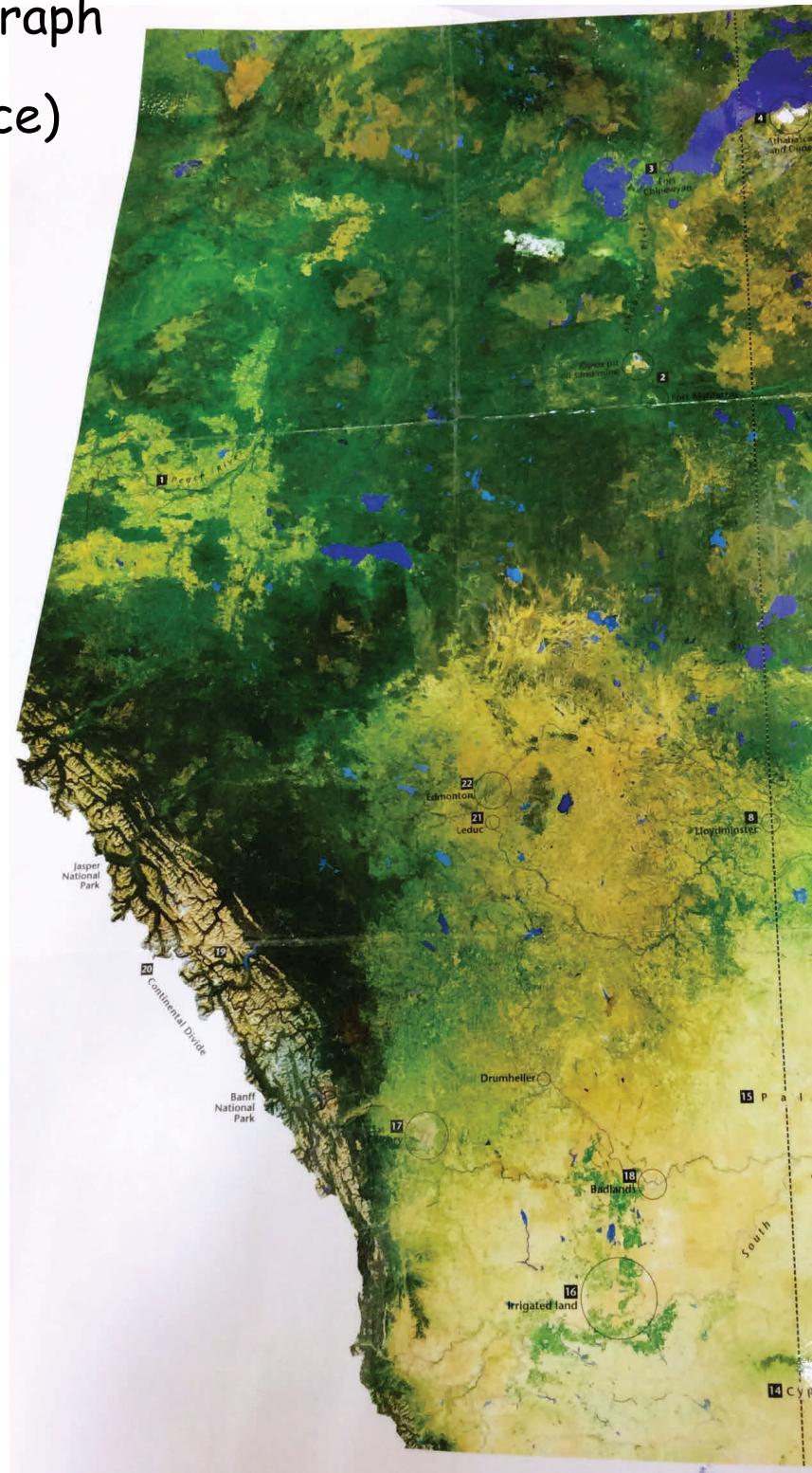
Legend

- Brown Soils
- Black Soils
- Grey Soils
- No Information

The Vegetation Types of Alberta



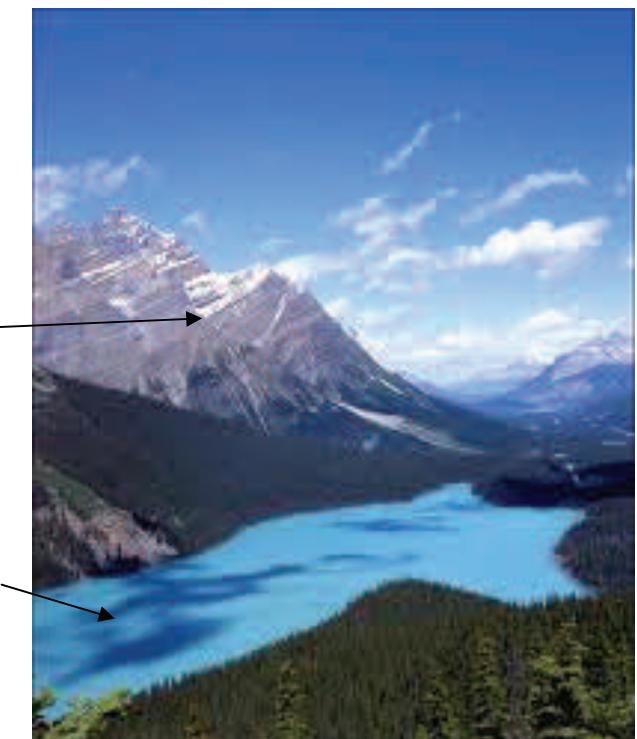
Satellite Photograph (from outer space)



The Elevation of Alberta (Shape of the Land)



Label these landscape formations.



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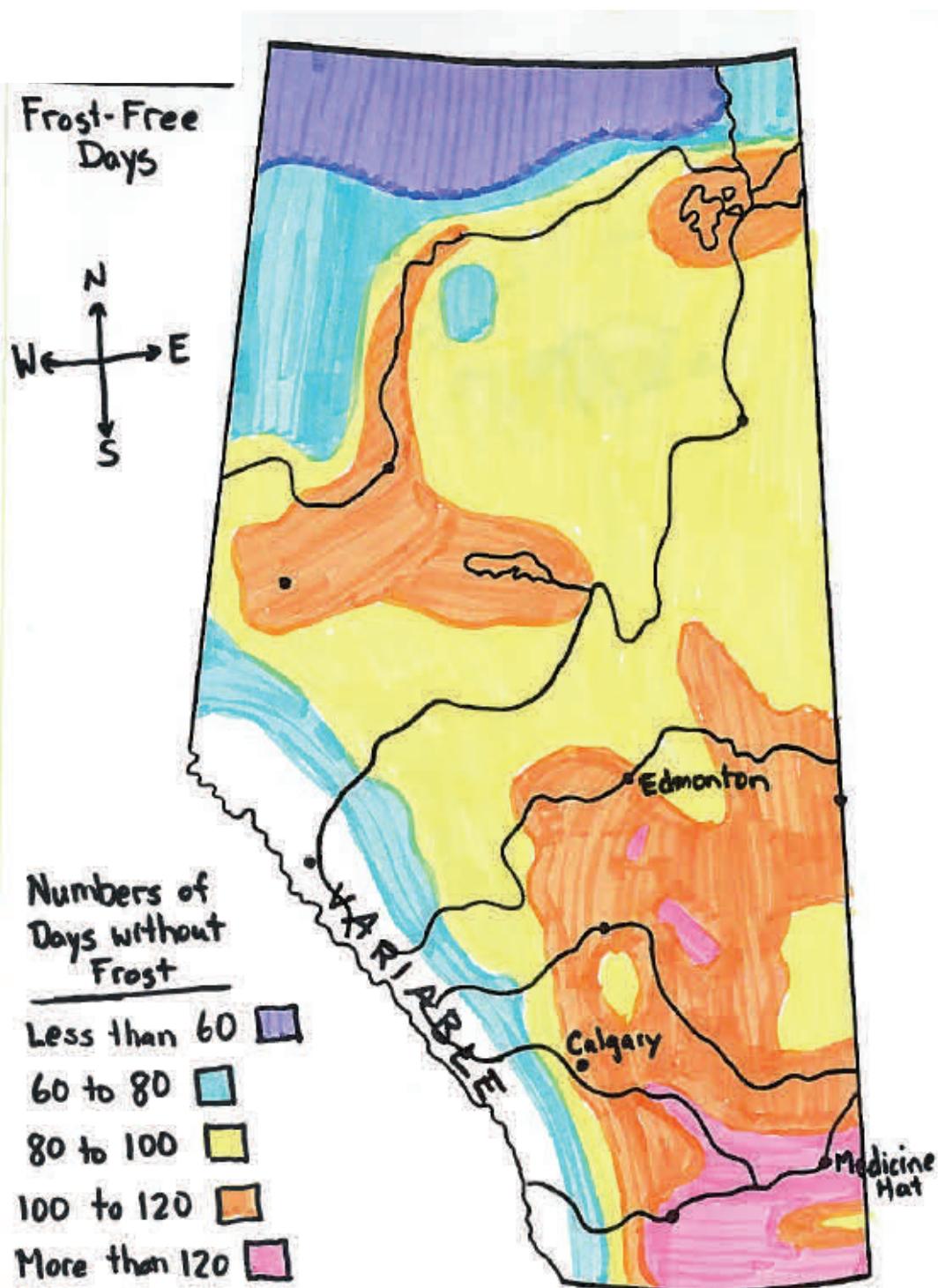
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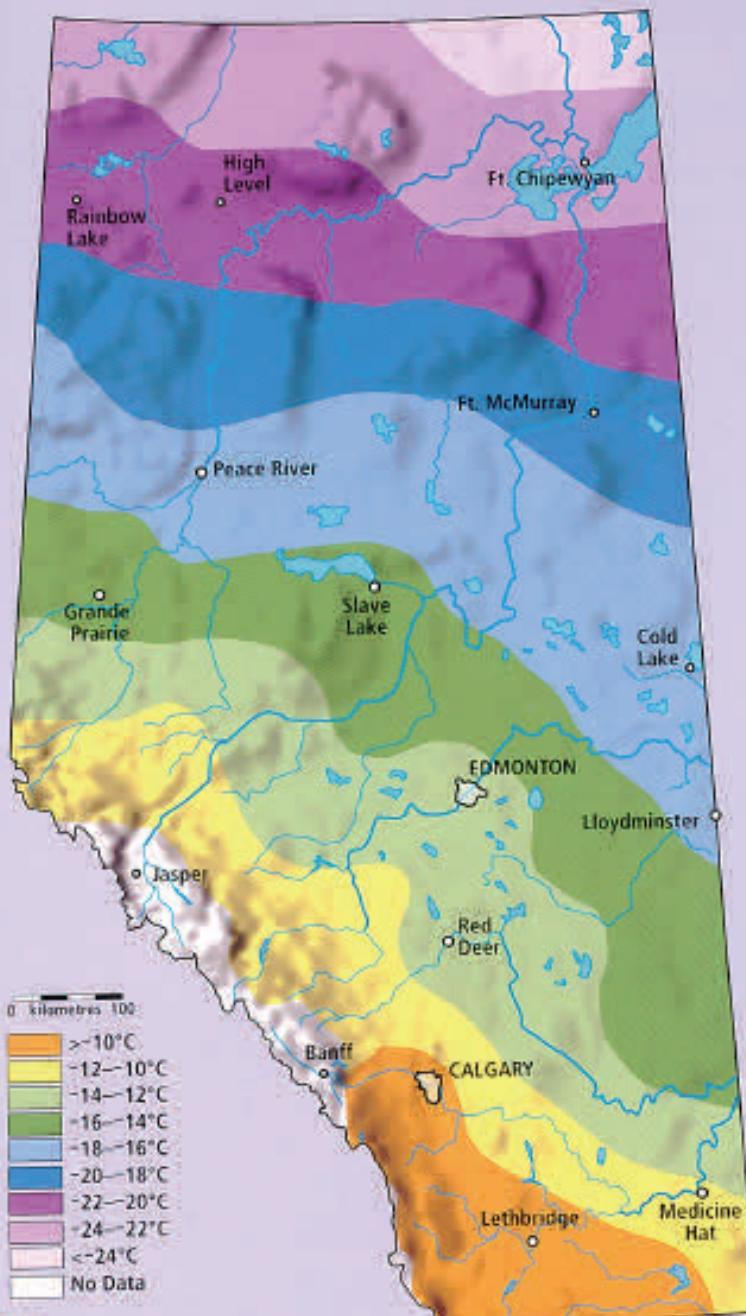
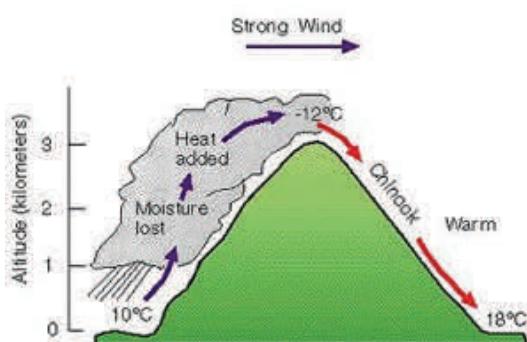
Alberta's Climate**January Daily Mean Temperature**

Fig. 7-7



Winds

Average Annual Number of Days with Chinooks



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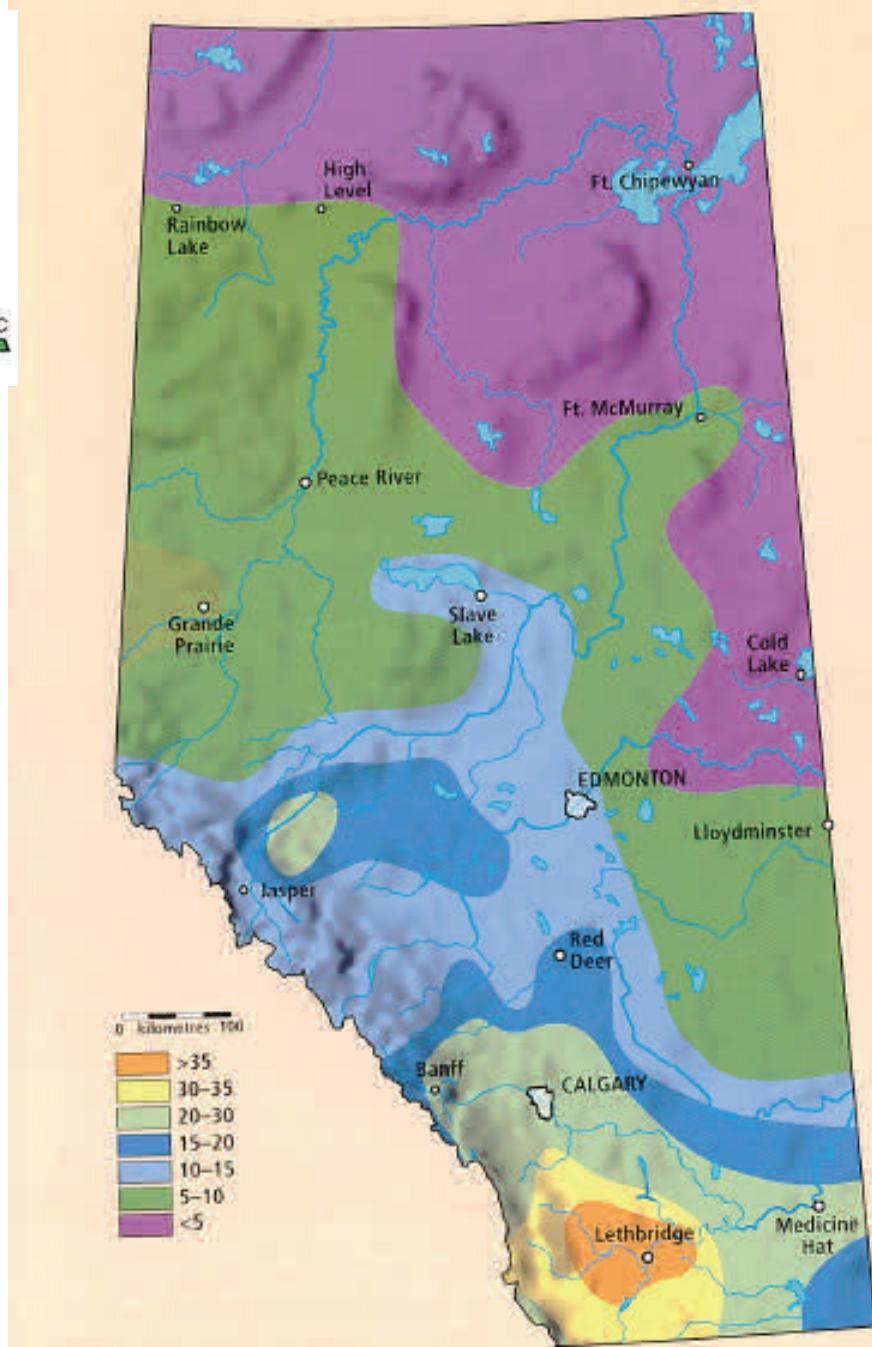
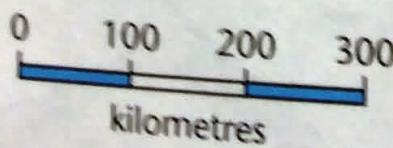


Fig. 5-11

Metis Settlements



Franco-Alberta



These are just a few of the many communities started by Francophones in Alberta.

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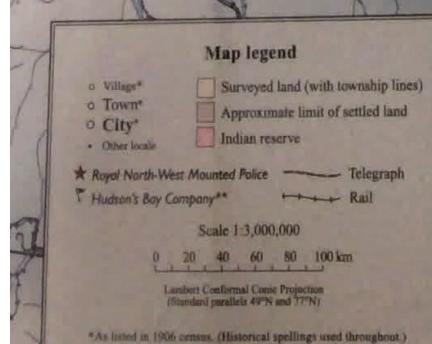
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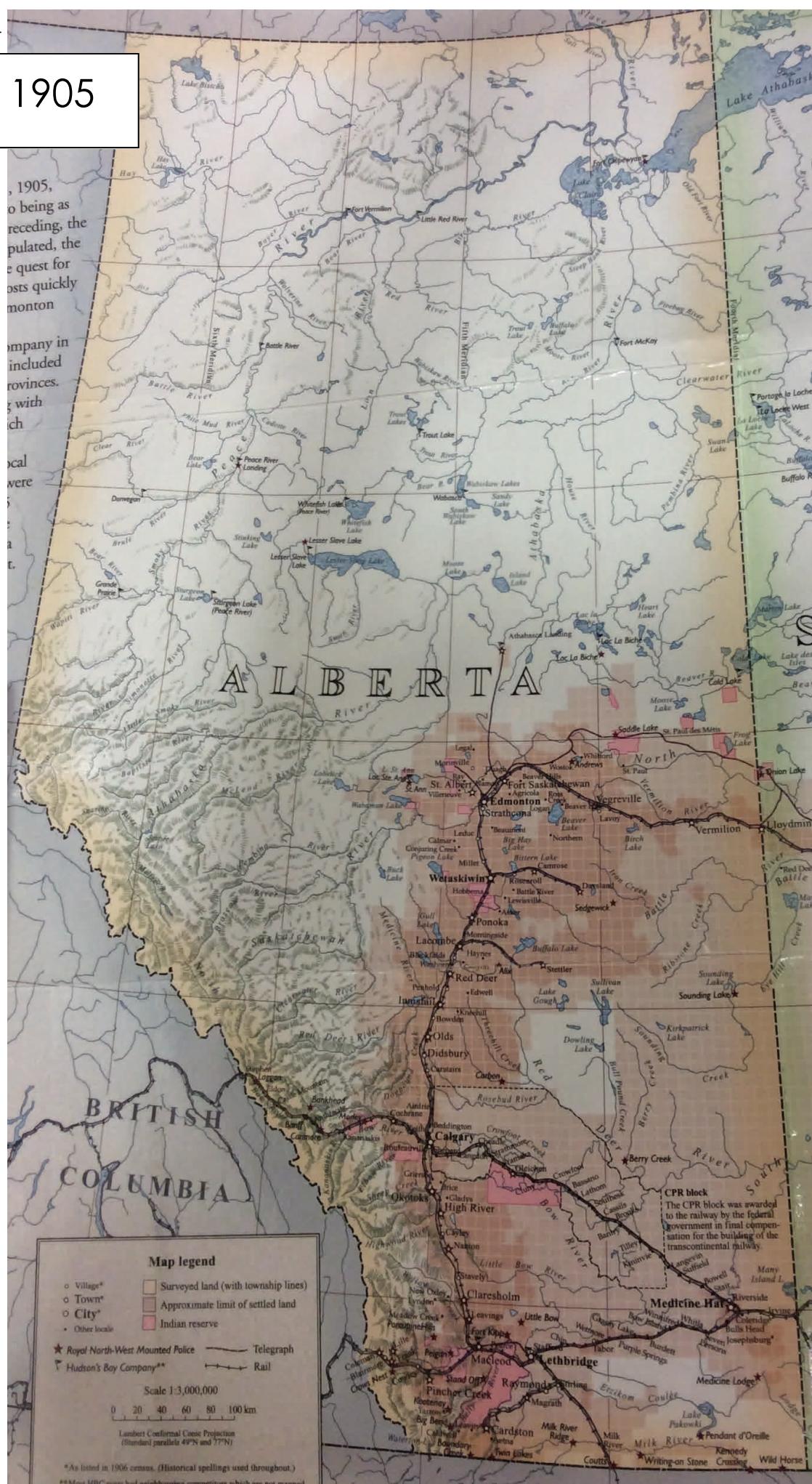
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**Most HBC posts had neighboring communities which are not mapped



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NORTHWEST TERRITORIES / TERRITOIRES DU NORD-OUEST

BRITISH COLUMBIA
COLOMBIE-BRITANNIQUE

SASKATCHEWAN

ALBERTA



LEGEND / LÉGENDE

- Provincial capital / Capitale provinciale
- Other populated places / Autres lieux habités
- Trans-Canada Highway / La Transcanadienne
- Major road / Route principale
- International boundary / Frontière internationale
- Provincial boundary / Limite provinciale

Scale / Échelle

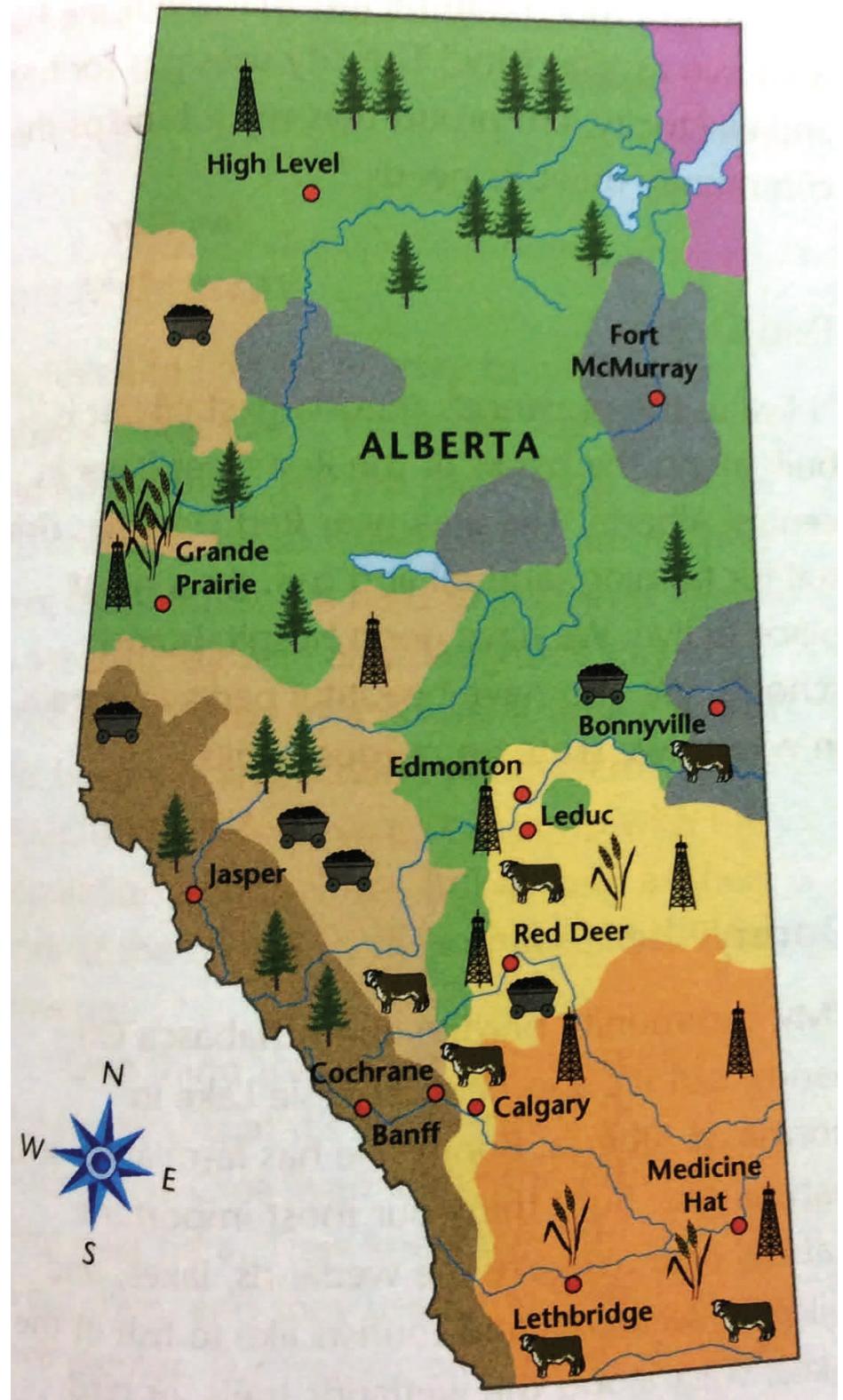
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Natural Resources and Natural Regions

Legend

- Livestock
- Crops
- Coal
- Forests
- Oil and Gas
- Oil Sands
- Canadian Shield
- Boreal Forest
- Foothills
- Rocky Mountain
- Parkland
- Grassland



Fossil Finds

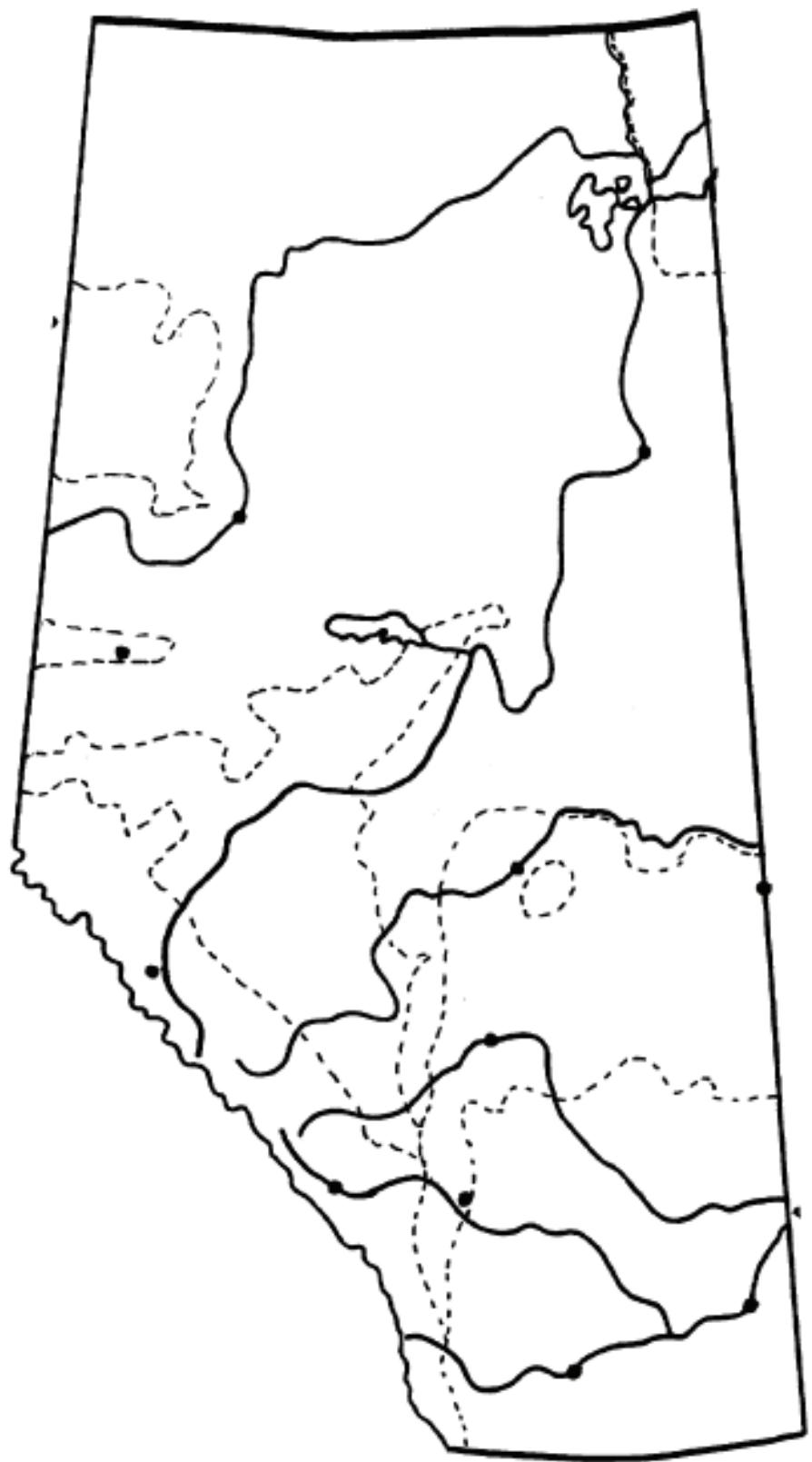


This map of Alberta highlights some of the many fossils that have been found in the province and where much of our fieldwork is conducted.

- Public Finds
- Industry Finds
- Research Sites
- Designated Palaeontological Sites

National and Provincial Parks





From the Alberta Social Studies Program of Studies Grade 4
Translated into "I Can" Statements

I can recall the provinces and territories neighbouring Alberta.

I can distinguish between different areas of the province in terms of land formations, vegetation, bodies of water, and climate.

I can compare and contrast locations in Alberta in terms of land formations, vegetation regions, bodies of water, and climate.

I can list the First Nations of Alberta and some Aboriginal place names.

I can explain why climate is different in parts of Alberta.

I can summarize Alberta's natural resources and areas where they might be located.

I can identify common land formations of Alberta.

I can recall some Francophone community of Alberta.

I can identify some Metis Settlements of Alberta.

I can compare and contrast maps of Alberta from 1905 to the 21st century.

I can predict the origins of place names in Alberta, as it reflects Alberta's history.

I can explain the connection between European settlement and immigration with the creation of small towns in the late 19th and early 20th centuries.

I can highlight areas of fossil finds in the province.

I can summarize the number and location national and provincial parks in Alberta.