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# PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE MAPS

## HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY 209

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## Objectives

**Read these objectives.** They will tell what you will be able to do when you have finished this LIFEPAK®.

1. Use a city map.
2. Explain the meaning of symbols on a map.
3. Identify places on a map of a building.
4. Understand that maps change over time.
5. Recognize how technology has changed the way maps are made.

## New Words

**These words will appear in boldface** (darker print) the first time they are used.

**attic** (ăt' ĩk). A small room above another room, right under the roof of a house.

**exhibit** (ĩg zĩb' ĩt). A display or something put out for others to see.

**expand** (ĩk spänd'). To make bigger.

**floor plan** (flôr' plăn). A drawing of a room or floor of a building.

**founder** (foun' dər). A person who starts something.

**harbor** (här' bər). A sheltered area of deep water near the shore where ships can safely anchor.

**historical** (hĩ stôr' ĩkəl). Important in history.

**landscape** (land' skāp). A large area of land.

**original** (ə rĭj' ə nəl). The first or actual piece.

**satellite** (săt' l ĭt). An object that circles the earth and takes pictures from space.

**sea serpent** (sē sŭr' pənt). An imaginary, snake-like animal living in the sea.

# 1. CITY MAPS

You learned about maps that cover a large area. Some maps show smaller areas such as a city, a park, or a mall. These maps help people pinpoint places like a single building or a certain store. Many of these maps use the same symbols you learned about earlier.



## Words to Study

**founder** (foun' dər). A person who starts something.

**historical** (hĭ stôr' ĭ kəl). Important in history.

**Ask your teacher to say these words with you.**



Teacher Check

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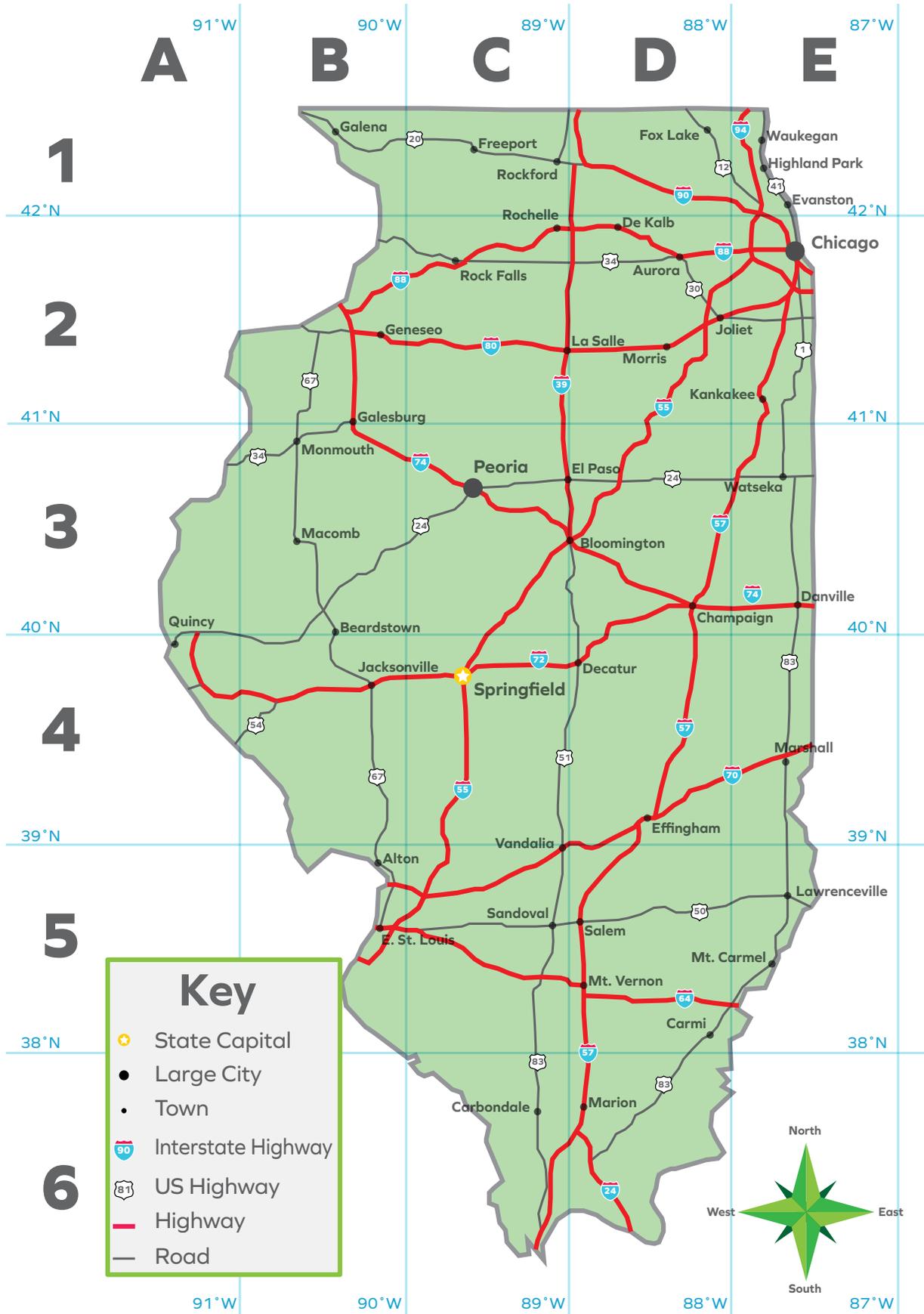
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| Map of United States

## Springfield, Illinois

Springfield is the capital city of Illinois. How would you go about finding this city? First, look at the map of the United States. Find the compass rose, and review the cardinal directions. You will see that Illinois is south of Lake Michigan. It is east of the Mississippi River. Notice that the state of Wisconsin is to the north of Illinois. Indiana is to the east.



| State map of Illinois

Now, find the city of Springfield on the state map. Remember, capital cities are marked with a star. You have learned other ways to find cities, too. Look at the letters and numbers on the top and side of the map. Springfield is located at **C4**. You can also find the city by looking at the lines of latitude and longitude. Springfield is located near 40 degrees north latitude and 90 degrees west longitude.



**Circle the correct answer to fill in the blank.**

- 1.1** The state of Wisconsin is \_\_\_\_\_ of Illinois.  
 a. north                      b. south                      c. west
- 1.2** The city of \_\_\_\_\_ is the capital of Illinois.  
 a. Chicago                      b. Springfield                      c. Bloomington
- 1.3** Circle the answer that is *not* a way to find the capital city of a state.  
 a. checking lines of longitude and latitude  
 b. using the letters and numbers at the top and side of a map  
 c. finding the compass rose on a map  
 d. looking for the star symbol



| The Lincoln Presidential Library

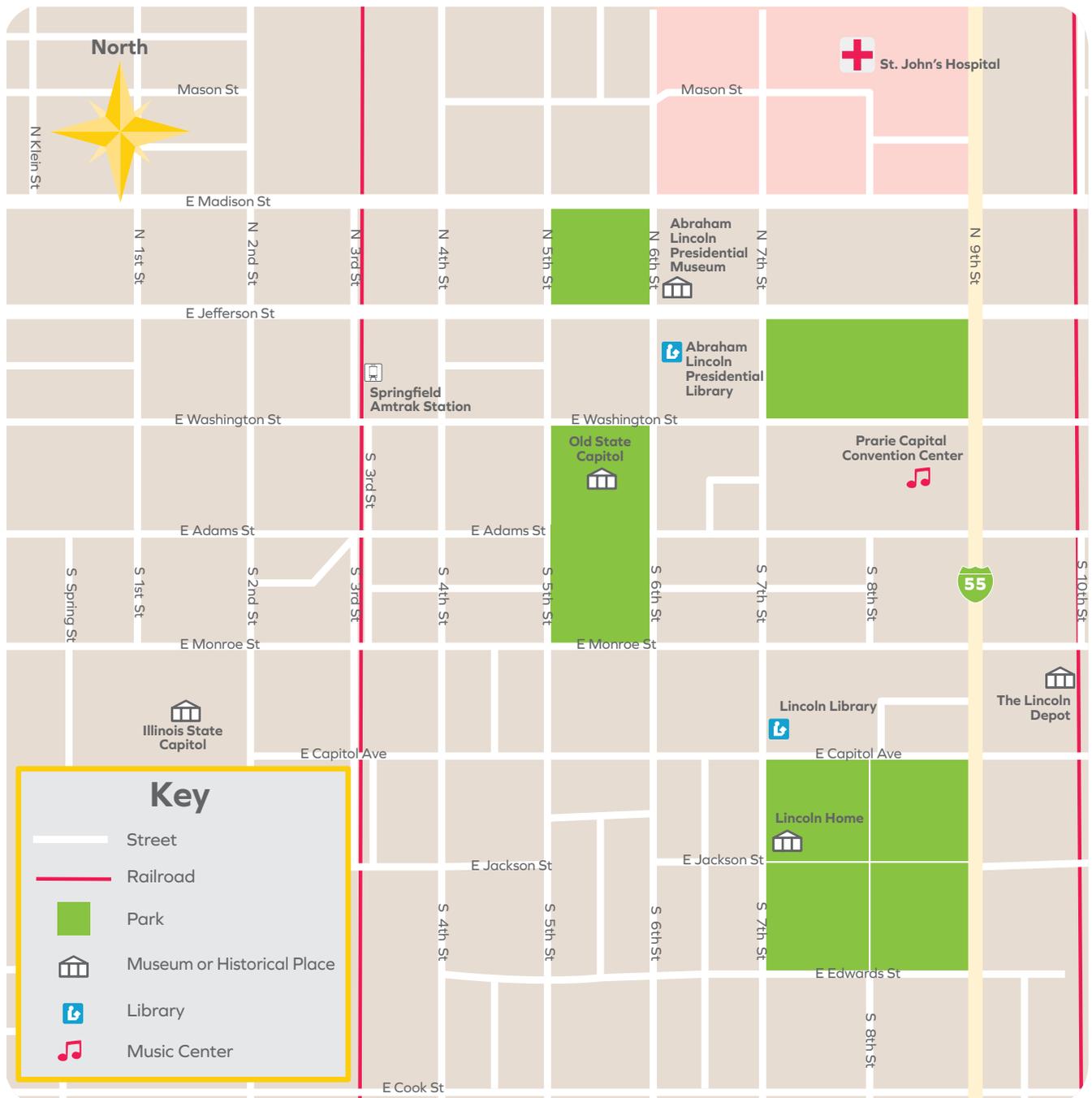
## City Streets

You have found the city of Springfield. Now, let's look at it more closely. You will need a city map. Many cities in the United States are located in square blocks. These square blocks make it easier for people to find their way around a city. The city of Springfield, Illinois, is organized around square blocks.

Abraham Lincoln lived in Springfield, Illinois. He was one of America's most famous presidents. President Lincoln guided the country through the Civil War. He also worked to save the Union and end slavery. Look at the city map of Springfield. You will notice that many places are named for President Lincoln. These places include the Lincoln Home, the Lincoln Library, and the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library.

You will also see the streets of Springfield are named for U.S. presidents. These streets include Adams, Monroe, Jefferson,

and Washington Streets. The street names of a city often tell you something about its history. The **founders** of a city sometimes name streets after people they respect, like U.S. presidents. Streets can also be named for well-known citizens of the town. Look at a map of your city. See if you can find any streets named for famous people.



| City map of Springfield, Illinois



Circle **Yes** if the sentence is correct or **No** if it is wrong.

**1.4** Many U.S. cities have square blocks.

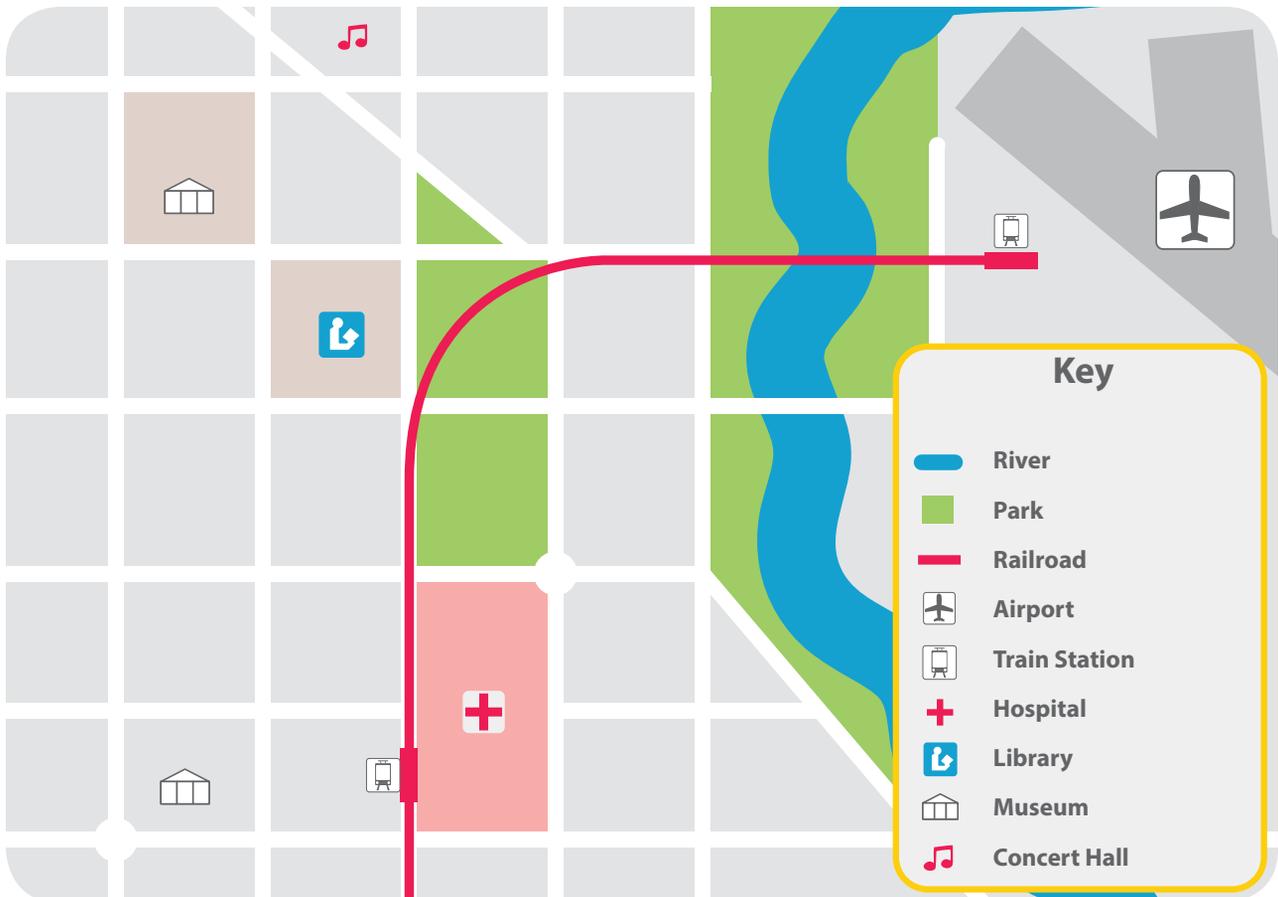
Yes                      No

**1.5** The city of Springfield has many places named after President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Yes                      No

**1.6** City streets are sometimes named for well-known citizens.

Yes                      No



| Symbols on a city map

## Symbols on City Maps

The symbols on a city map are like those on state and national maps. City maps also include some symbols for certain buildings. Earlier, you learned the symbols for interstates, hospitals, and places to eat. You will see these symbols on the map of Springfield. You will notice that the symbol for a hospital on this map is red  rather than blue. Remember, maps sometimes use different colors or symbols. Always be sure to study the key before reading a map.

You will also see the symbols for a library which are  or . Museums or **historical** sites are often shown by a  symbol. Concerts and theater shows might be performed in music centers. On some maps, these buildings are marked with a musical symbol of one or two notes . Most large cities have airports and train stations. People often need to find these places. Train stations are shown with the symbol . Airports have the symbol of a plane .



**Draw a line to match the symbol to its meaning.**

1.7



a. hospital

1.8



b. museum

1.9



c. library

1.10



d. airport

## SELF TEST 1

Each answer = 1 point

Draw a line to match the symbol with its meaning.

- |      |   |   |    |               |
|------|---|---|----|---------------|
| 1.01 |  | ▶ | a. | interstate    |
| 1.02 |  | ▶ | b. | museum        |
| 1.03 |  | ▶ | c. | library       |
| 1.04 |  | ▶ | d. | music center  |
| 1.05 |  | ▶ | e. | train station |

Circle the correct answer to finish the sentence.

- 1.06** The state of \_\_\_\_\_ is north of Illinois.  
 a. Tennessee      b. Wisconsin      c. Colorado
- 1.07** The state of \_\_\_\_\_ is east of Illinois.  
 a. Indiana      b. Minnesota      c. Wyoming
- 1.08** Most U.S. cities have square \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a. buildings      b. malls      c. blocks
- 1.09** Abraham Lincoln was president during the \_\_\_\_\_ War.  
 a. Civil      b. Revolutionary      c. U.S.-Mexican
- 1.010** City maps and state maps use colors and \_\_\_\_\_ to show certain places and features.  
 a. borders      b. symbols      c. blocks

- 1.011** You can find the capital city of a state by \_\_\_\_\_ .
- a. looking for a star on a map
  - b. checking lines of latitude and longitude
  - c. using the letters and numbers at the top and side of a map
  - d. all of these ways (a, b, and c)
- 1.012** Many streets in Springfield are named for \_\_\_\_\_ .
- a. animals
  - b. pioneers
  - c. U.S. presidents
- 1.013** People often use city maps to find train stations and \_\_\_\_\_ .
- a. schools
  - b. malls
  - c. airports

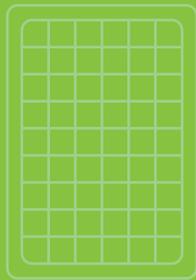
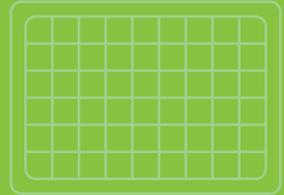


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