Create Your Own Country Project

Your task will be to create your own country using the 5 Themes of Geography. Use information from your notebook if you need help. There are several requirements so please read the directions and scoring rubric carefully!!

1. **Country Outline:** Begin by drawing the outer borders of your country. There should be well-defined, borders on all sides.

2. **Country Name:** Give your country an appropriate name. The name is your title and should be at the top of your project.

3. **Compass Rose:** Include a compass rose with intermediate and cardinal directions on your map. This should not be very large.

4. **Map Key:** Be sure to include this important box somewhere on the front of your map. All symbols on your map must be drawn and labeled here.

5. **Movement:** Show in multiple ways how people, goods or ideas will move in your country.

6. **Human-Environment Interaction:** Include different ways that humans and the environment interact. You should also show how humans adapt to their environment.

7. **Region:** Show at least four different regions in your country. Regions should each have a different label(name).

8. **Location:** Different locations should be shown on your maps. You must show both relative and absolute locations.

   a. **Absolute Location: Latitude & Longitude:** You must have five lines of latitude and five lines of longitude.

9. **Place:** Create at least 10 different characteristics that are unique to your country. These should be human characteristics as well as physical characteristics.

10. **Color:** Be sure to color your map or make an attractive outline around it.

11. **Neatness:** Make sure things are easily identifiable on your map and your map looks through, neat and organized.