**Class – v**

**Subject – S.St.**

**Lesson – 2**

**Maps**

**Content**

1. Key words
2. Answer the following questions

**Key words**

1. Cartographer – a person who makes map as a profession
2. Atlas– a book or a collection of maps

**Answer the following questions**

Ques-1 What is the main disadvantage of using a map?

Ans- The main disadvantage of using a map that a map does not show the exact shape of the continents and oceans.

Ques-2 List any four advantages of using maps?

Ans- 1. It provides a clear picture of the Earth.

1. It can be easily carried around in bags and pockets. As it can be rolled or folded.
2. Different types of map contain a different type of information.
3. We can preserve information in maps.

Ques-3 What do you mean by map? Name the different types of map.

Ans- A map is a drawing of the whole Earth or a place on it on a flat piece of paper.

Different types of Maps are-

1. Physical maps
2. Political maps
3. Thematic maps
4. Climate maps
5. Economic or resource maps
6. Topographic maps
7. Road maps

Ques-4 Name the Cardinal directions.

Ans- The Cardinal directions are-

1. North
2. South
3. East
4. West

Ques-5 Name the sub – directions.

Ans- The sub – directions are-

1. North west
2. North east
3. South west
4. South east