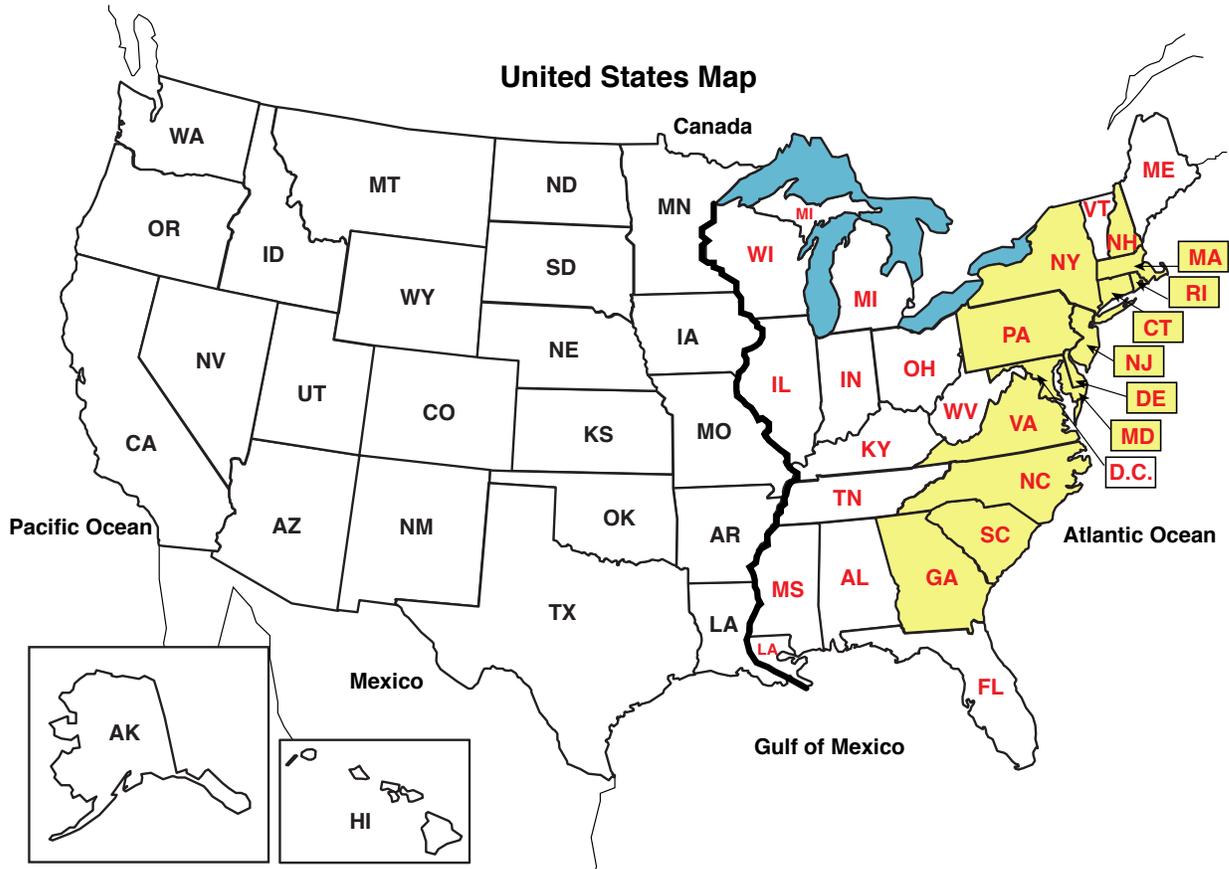


# Level D Unit 1

## Eastern United States and Great Lakes

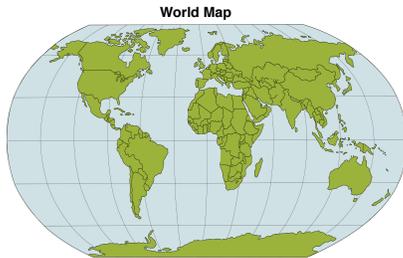




**Note: Do not expect students to know how to spell the names of the states. Accept spelling approximations.**

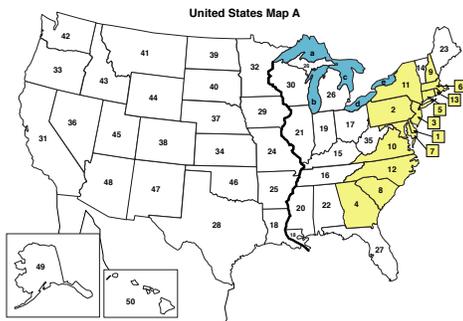
# Lesson 1

a. (Display **World Map**:) [1:1A]



- (Touch **North America**.) This continent is North America. What continent is this? (Signal.) *North America*.
- (Touch **United States**.) This is the United States. This is the country that we live in. The United States is made up of 50 states.

b. (Display **United States Map A**:) [1:1B]



- This map shows the states. Remember, the United States is made up of 50 states. Two of those are off by themselves and do not touch any other states. There are 48 states that touch each other.
- Listen again: The United States is made up of 50 states. Two of those are off by themselves and do not touch any other states. There are 48 states that touch other states.
- How many states are in the United States? (Signal.) *50*.
- How many states do not touch any other states? (Signal.) *2*.
- How many states touch other states? (Signal.) *48*.
- What continent is the United States on? (Signal.) *North America*.
- What country do you live in? (Signal.) *The United States*.

c. The map shows the 48 states that touch each other. The states that are shaded yellow are the first states that made up the United States when the country was first formed. There were 13 states at first.

- How many states were there at first? (Signal.) *13*.
- How many states are there now? (Signal.) *50*.
- How many states touch other states? (Signal.) *48*.
- How many states do not touch other states? (Signal.) *2*.

(Repeat step c until firm.)

d. I'll tell you the names of some of the first 13 states. Then we'll see who remembers those names.

- (Display:) [1:1C]

**New Hampshire**  
**Massachusetts**  
**Rhode Island**  
**Connecticut**  
**New York**

- These are the names of the first states I'll tell you about. (Point to each name as you say:) *New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York*.
- Your turn: Read the names of the states. (Point to each name as students say:) *New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York*.

e. (Display **United States Map B**:) [1:1D]



- Now I'll show you where those states are on the map. The first time a state is shown on the map, it will be shaded green. (Point to each state and name it.) (9) *New Hampshire*, (6) *Massachusetts*, (13) *Rhode Island*, (5) *Connecticut*, (11) *New York*.

- f. **Your turn:** I'll point to different states. You name the state.
- (Point to **9**.) **What state?** (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to **6**.) **What state?** (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to **13**.) **What state?** (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to **5**.) **What state?** (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to **11**.) **What state?** (Signal.) *New York.*
- (Repeat in random order until firm.)
- g. **Here are two important facts:** Rhode Island is the smallest of the states. New York is the state that has the largest city in the United States. The largest city is named New York City.
- **What's the name of the smallest state?** (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - **What's the name of the state that has the largest city?** (Signal.) *New York.*
  - **What's the name of the largest city?** (Signal.) *New York City.*
- (Repeat step g until firm.)

h. (Display:) [1:1E]

**9 6 13 5 11**

- **Copy the numbers in a column on your lined paper. After each number, write the name of the state. Look at the map as you write your answers.** ✓
- (Display **United States Map B**:) [1:1F]



i. **Check your work.** [1:1G]

• (Display:)

**9. New Hampshire**  
**6. Massachusetts**  
**13. Rhode Island**  
**5. Connecticut**  
**11. New York**

- **Here's what you should have.** Number 9 is New Hampshire. Number 6 is Massachusetts. Number 13 is Rhode Island. Number 5 is Connecticut. Number 11 is New York.

- j. Skip a line and number your paper from 1 to 7. Get ready to write the answers to these items. ✓
- 1. How many states are in the United States?
  - 2. How many states touch other states?
  - 3. Which is the smallest state?
  - 4. Which state has the biggest city?
  - 5. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed?
  - 6. What is the name of the largest city in the United States?
  - 7. What continent is the United States on?
- k. Check your work.
- I'll read each question. You tell me the answer.
  - Item 1. How many states are in the United States? (Signal.) *50.*
  - Item 2. How many states touch other states? (Signal.) *48.*
  - Item 3. Which is the smallest state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - Item 4. Which state has the biggest city? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - Item 5. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed? (Signal.) *13.*
  - Item 6. What is the name of the largest city in the United States? (Signal.) *New York City.*
  - Item 7. What continent is the United States on? (Signal.) *North America.*

# Lesson 2

a. (Display **United States Map C**:) [1:2A]



- Let's review the states of the United States.
- b. How many states are there in all? (Signal.) **50**.
- How many states touch other states? (Signal.) **48**.
- How many states do not touch other states? (Signal.) **2**.
- When the United States first became a nation, there were not 50 states. How many were there? (Signal.) **13**.  
(Repeat step b until firm.)
- c. You learned some of the first states. I'll point to a state on the map. You tell me the name of the state.
  - (Point to **9**.) **What state?** (Signal.) **New Hampshire**.
  - (Point to **6**.) **What state?** (Signal.) **Massachusetts**.
  - (Point to **13**.) **What state?** (Signal.) **Rhode Island**.
  - (Point to **5**.) **What state?** (Signal.) **Connecticut**.
  - (Point to **11**.) **What state?** (Signal.) **New York**.  
(Repeat step c in random order until firm.)
- d. **Which of those states is the smallest of all the states?** (Signal.) **Rhode Island**.
- **Which of those states has the largest city?** (Signal.) **New York**.
- **What is the name of the largest city?** (Signal.) **New York City**.  
(Repeat step d until firm.)
- e. (Display:) [1:2B]  
**9 6 13 5 11**
  - Copy the numbers in a column on your paper. After each number, write the name of the state. Look at the map as you write your answers. ✓

- (Display **United States Map C**:) [1:2C]



- f. Check your work.
  - I'll point to a state on the map. You tell me the name of the state.
  - (Point to 9.) What state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to 6.) What state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to 13.) What state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to 5.) What state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to 11.) What state? (Signal.) *New York.*

**Note:** If students are not 100% accurate on identifying the first five states, stop the lesson at this point. Repeat Lesson 2 tomorrow.

- g. (Display:) [1:2D]

**Pennsylvania**  
**New Jersey**  
**Delaware**

- Here are the names of three more of the first 13 states: Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware.
- Your turn: Read the names of the states. (Point to each name as students say:) *Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware.*

h. (Display **United States Map D**:) [1:2E]



- I'll show you those states on the map. (Point to each state and name it.)  
(2) Pennsylvania, (3) New Jersey, (1) Delaware.
- i. I'll point to different states. You tell me the name.
  - (Point to 3.) What state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to 1.) What state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to the 2.) What state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*  
(Repeat step i in random order until firm.)
- j. Number your paper from 1 to 3. After each number, write the name of the state.  
Look at the map as you write your answers. ✓
- k. Check your work. Tell me the name of the state for each number.
  - Item 1. What state is number 1? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - Item 2. What state is number 2? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - Item 3. What state is number 3? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
- l. Let's see if you remember the names of the eight states.
  - (Point to 9.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to 11.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - (Point to 5.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to 2.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 1.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to 13.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to 3.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to 6.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*  
(Repeat step l in random order until firm.)  
(Check individual students.)

# Lesson 3

a. (Display **United States Map E**:) [1:3A]



• You know the names of the states that have numbers. Let's review those states.

b. (Point to 9.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*

• (Point to 6.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*

• (Point to 13.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*

• (Point to 5.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*

• (Point to 11.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New York.*

• (Point to 2.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*

• (Point to 3.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*

• (Point to 1.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*

(Repeat step b in random order until firm.)

(Check individual students.)

c. (Display:) [1:3B]

9 6 13 5 11 2 3 1

• Copy the numbers in a column on your paper. After each number, write the name of the state. Look at the map as you write your answers. ✓

• (Display **United States Map E**:) [1:3C]



- d. Check your work.
- I'll point to a state on the map. You tell me the name of the state.
  - (Point to 9.) What state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to 6.) What state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to 13.) What state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to 5.) What state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to 11.) What state? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - (Point to 2.) What state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 3.) What state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to 1.) What state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
- e. Skip a line and number your paper from 1 to 6. Get ready to write answers to these items. ✓
- 1. Which is the smallest state?
  - 2. How many states touch other states?
  - 3. Which state has the biggest city?
  - 4. How many states are in the United States?
  - 5. What is the name of the largest city?
  - 6. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed?
- f. Check your work.
- Item 1. Which is the smallest state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - Item 2. How many states touch other states? (Signal.) *48.*
  - Item 3. Which state has the biggest city? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - Item 4. How many states are in the United States? (Signal.) *50.*
  - Item 5. What is the name of the largest city? (Signal.) *New York City.*
  - Item 6. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed? (Signal.) *13.*

# Lesson 4

a. (Display **United States Map E**:) [1:4A]



• You know the names of the states that have numbers. Let's review those states.

- b. (Point to 1.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
- (Point to 3.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
- (Point to 5.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
- (Point to 13.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
- (Point to 6.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
- (Point to 2.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
- (Point to 11.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New York.*
- (Point to 9.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
- (Repeat step b in random order until firm.)

c. (Display:)

1 3 5 13 6 2 11 9

• Copy the numbers in a column on your paper. After each number, write the name of the state. Look at the map as you write your answers. ✓

• (Display **United States Map E**:) [1:4C]



- d. Check your work.
- I'll point to a state on the map. You tell me the name of the state.
  - (Point to 1.) What state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to 3.) What state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to 5.) What state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to 13.) What state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to 6.) What state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to 2.) What state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 11.) What state? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - (Point to 9.) What state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
- e. Skip a line and number your paper from 1 to 7. Get ready to write answers to these items. ✓
- 1. Which state has the biggest city?
  - 2. What is the name of the largest city?
  - 3. How many states are in the United States?
  - 4. How many states touch other states?
  - 5. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed?
  - 6. Which is the smallest state?
  - 7. What continent is the United States on?
- f. Check your work.
- Item 1. Which state has the biggest city? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - Item 2. What is the name of the largest city? (Signal.) *New York City.*
  - Item 3. How many states are in the United States? (Signal.) *50.*
  - Item 4. How many states touch other states? (Signal.) *48.*
  - Item 5. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed? (Signal.) *13.*
  - Item 6. Which is the smallest state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - Item 7. What continent is the United States on? (Signal.) *North America.*

# Lesson 5

a. (Display **United States Map E**.)

[1:5A]



- You've learned the names of eight states. Remember, we are learning the names of the first 13 states.
- I'll point to a state. You tell me the name of the state.
- (Point to 9.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
- (Point to 6.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
- (Point to 13.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
- (Point to 5.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
- (Point to 11.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New York.*
- (Point to 2.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
- (Point to 3.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
- (Point to 1.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*

b. (Display:)

[1:5B]

**Maryland**  
**Virginia**  
**North Carolina**

- This is hard. Today you get three more of the first 13 states. (Point to each name as you say:) *Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina.*
- Your turn: Read the names of the states. (Point to each name as students say:) *Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina.*

c. (Display **United States Map F**:) [1:5C]



• I'll show you those states on the map. (Point to each state and name it.)  
(7) Maryland, (10) Virginia, (12) North Carolina.

d. Your turn: I'll point to a state. You tell me the name of the state.

- (Point to 7.) What state? (Signal.) *Maryland.*
  - (Point to 10.) What state? (Signal.) *Virginia.*
  - (Point to 12.) What state? (Signal.) *North Carolina.*
- (Repeat step d in random order until firm.)  
(Check individual students.)

e. Let's see if you remember the names of the 11 states we have learned.

- (Point to 7.) What state? (Signal.) *Maryland.*
  - (Point to 12.) What state? (Signal.) *North Carolina.*
  - (Point to 10.) What state? (Signal.) *Virginia.*
  - (Point to 5.) What state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to 2.) What state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 1.) What state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to 13.) What state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to 3.) What state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to 9.) What state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to 6.) What state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to 11.) What state? (Signal.) *New York.*
- (Repeat step e in random order until firm.)

f. (Display:)

[1:5D]

7 10 12 6 9 11 5 2 1 3 13

- Copy the numbers in a column on your paper. After each number, write the name of the state. Look at the map as you write your answers. ✓

- (Display **United States Map F:**)

[1:5E]



- f. Check your work.
- I'll point to a state on the map. You tell me the name of the state.
  - (Point to 7.) What state? (Signal.) *Maryland.*
  - (Point to 10.) What state? (Signal.) *Virginia.*
  - (Point to 12.) What state? (Signal.) *North Carolina.*
  - (Point to 6.) What state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to 9.) What state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to 11.) What state? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - (Point to 5.) What state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to 2.) What state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 1.) What state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to 3.) What state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to 13.) What state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*

# Lesson 6

a. (Display **United States Map G**:) [1:6A]



- You know the names of 11 states. Let's review those states.
  - b. (Point to 5.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to 2.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 11.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - (Point to 3.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to 1.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to 7.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Maryland.*
  - (Point to 10.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Virginia.*
  - (Point to 9.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to 6.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to 13.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to 2.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 12.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *North Carolina.*
- (Repeat step b in random order until firm.)  
(Check individual students.)

c. (Display:) [1:6B]

9 6 11 13 5 3 2 1 7 12 10

- Copy the numbers in a column on your paper. After each number, write the name of the state. Look at the map as you write your answers. ✓

- (Display **United States Map G:**)

[1:6C]



- d. Check your work.
  - I'll point to a state on the map. You tell me the name of the state.
  - (Point to **9.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to **6.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to **11.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - (Point to **13.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to **5.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to **3.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to **2.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to **1.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to **7.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Maryland.*
  - (Point to **12.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *North Carolina.*
  - (Point to **10.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Virginia.*
- e. Skip a line and number your paper from 1 to 7. Get ready to write answers to these items. ✓
  - 1. How many states are in the United States?
  - 2. What continent is the United States on?
  - 3. How many states touch other states?
  - 4. Which is the smallest state?
  - 5. Which state has the biggest city?
  - 6. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed?
  - 7. What is the name of the largest city in the United States?
- f. Check your work.
  - Item 1. How many states are in the United States? (Signal.) *50.*
  - Item 2. What continent is the United States on? (Signal.) *North America.*

- Item 3. How many states touch other states? (Signal.) *48.*
- Item 4. Which is the smallest state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
- Item 5. Which state has the biggest city? (Signal.) *New York.*
- Item 6. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed? (Signal.) *13.*
- Item 7. What is the name of the largest city in the United States? (Signal.) *New York City.*

# Lesson 7

a. (Display **United States Map G**:) [1:7A]



- You know the names of 11 states. Let's review those states.
  - b. (Point to 10.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Virginia.*
  - (Point to 9.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to 5.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to 6.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to 13.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to 2.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 12.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *North Carolina.*
  - (Point to 2.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to 11.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - (Point to 3.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to 1.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to 7.) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Maryland.*
- (Repeat step b in random order until firm.)

c. (Display:) [1:7B]

9 6 13 5 11 2 3 1 7 10 12

- Copy the numbers in a column on your lined paper. After each number, write the name of the state. Look at the map as you write your answers. ✓

- (Display **United States Map G:**)

[1:7C]



- d. Check your work.
  - I'll point to a state on the map. You tell me the name of the state.
  - (Point to **9.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Hampshire.*
  - (Point to **6.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Massachusetts.*
  - (Point to **13.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*
  - (Point to **5.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Connecticut.*
  - (Point to **11.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New York.*
  - (Point to **2.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Pennsylvania.*
  - (Point to **3.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *New Jersey.*
  - (Point to **1.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Delaware.*
  - (Point to **7.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Maryland.*
  - (Point to **10.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *Virginia.*
  - (Point to **12.**) Everybody, what state? (Signal.) *North Carolina.*
- e. Skip a line and number your paper from 1 to 5. Get ready to write answers to these items. ✓
  - 1. How many states are in the United States?
  - 2. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed?
  - 3. How many states touch other states?
  - 4. Which state has the biggest city?
  - 5. Which is the smallest state?
- f. Check your work.
  - Item 1. How many states are in the United States? (Signal.) *50.*
  - Item 2. How many states were in the United States when the country was first formed? (Signal.) *13.*

- Item 3. How many states touch other states? (Signal.) *48.*
- Item 4. Which state has the biggest city? (Signal.) *New York.*
- Item 5. Which is the smallest state? (Signal.) *Rhode Island.*

**Note: If students are not 100% accurate on identifying the 11 states, repeat Lesson 7.**