

## **POLITICAL MAP**

**Political maps are designed to show governmental boundaries of countries, states, and counties, the location of major cities, and they usually include significant bodies of water.**

## **PHYSICAL MAP**

**In addition to country borders, major cities and significant bodies of water, physical maps indicate the location of landforms like deserts, mountains and plains.**

## **SPECIAL PURPOSE MAP**

**Maps made to present specific kinds of information are called special purpose maps. They usually show themes or patterns.**