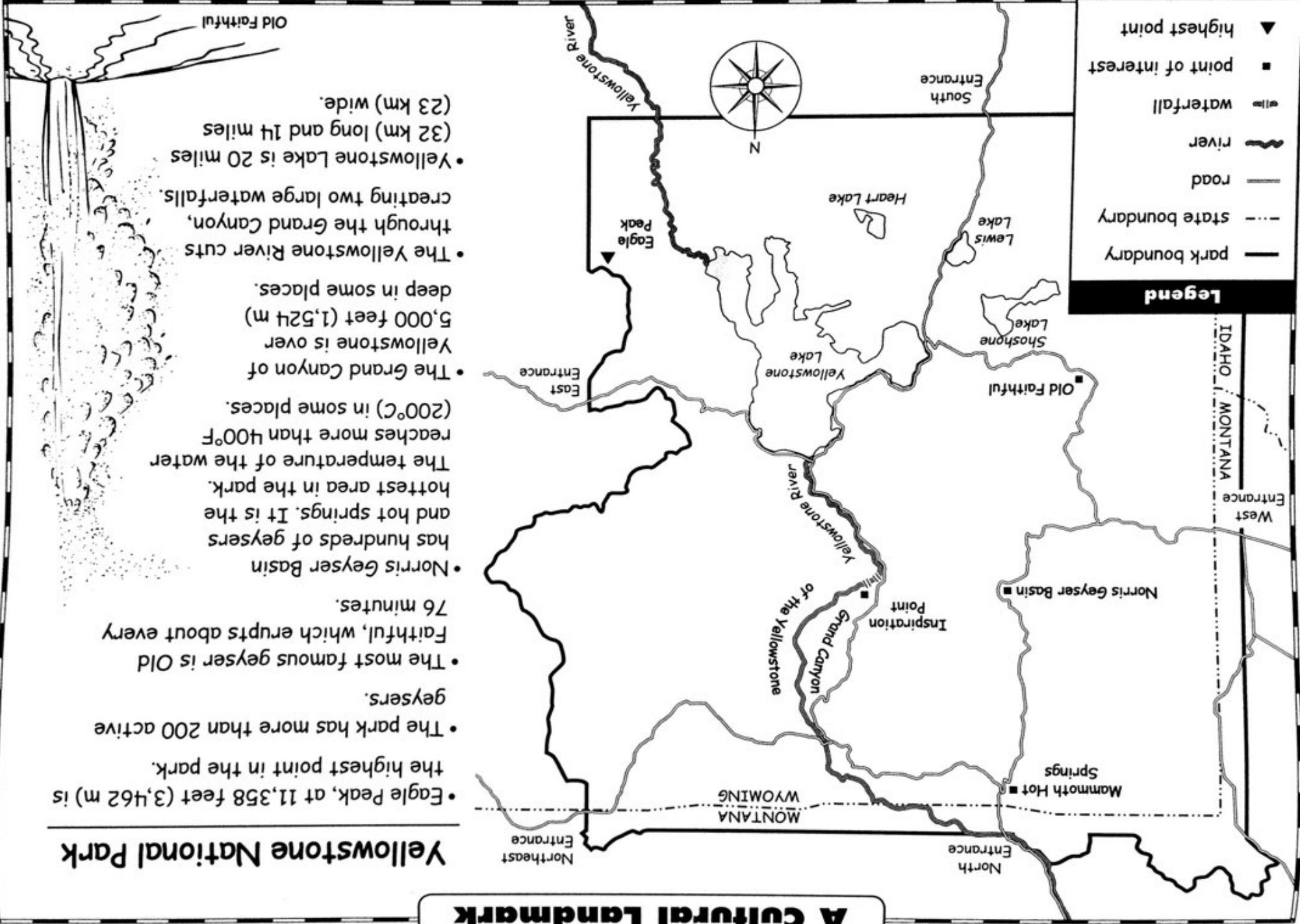


A Cultural Landmark

Yellowstone National Park

- Eagle Peak, at 11,358 feet (3,462 m) is the highest point in the park.
- The park has more than 200 active geysers.
- The most famous geyser is Old Faithful, which erupts about every 76 minutes.
- Norris Geyser Basin has hundreds of geysers and hot springs. It is the hottest area in the park. The temperature of the water reaches more than 400°F (200°C) in some places.
- The Grand Canyon of Yellowstone is over 5,000 feet (1,524 m) deep in some places.
- The Yellowstone River cuts through the Grand Canyon, creating two large waterfalls, Yellowstone Lake is 20 miles (32 km) long and 14 miles (23 km) wide.



Name _____



A Cultural Landmark: Yellowstone National Park

Monday

1. Yellowstone National Park is located in which three states? The park is mostly in which of these three states?

2. How many entrances are there to the park? Which entrance is closest to Old Faithful?

Tuesday

1. Which labeled river flows through the national park?

2. Name the labeled lakes in Yellowstone National Park. Which lake is the largest?

Wednesday

1. Which point of interest is closest to the North Entrance to the park?

2. Inspiration Point is between which two labeled features?

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A Cultural Landmark: Yellowstone National Park

Thursday

1. What is the name and elevation of the highest point in Yellowstone National Park?

2. What is the most famous geyser in the park? How often does it erupt?

Friday

1. Where is the hottest area in the national park? How hot can the water reach in this area?

2. Where are the two large waterfalls located?

Challenge

Yellowstone National Park is considered a national symbol, a cultural landmark, and a national treasure. On the back of the map, write a paragraph telling people why Yellowstone National Park should be preserved and protected.