

Social Studies 8

Using Map Symbols 2

Reference: *The Canadian Oxford School Atlas (7th edition)* pp. 34-35.

1. What symbol is used to show multilane highways?
2. How are other highways shown?
3. How are national and provincial parks shown?
4. Locate and name five parks in British Columbia.
5. What does bright yellow indicate on this map?
6. How many cities outside the Greater Vancouver area in BC have populations larger than 100,000?
7. Where are the major airports located in British Columbia?
8. Examine the inset map of Southwestern BC. Where can smaller airports be found on that part of Vancouver Island shown on this map?
9. What does the broken & dotted black line mark found in the middle of Juan de Fuca Strait (between Vancouver Island and the mainland) represent?
10. What percentage of the total land area of Canada does British Columbia represent?
11. What was the population of BC in 1871? What was it in 1991?
12. Which area of the economy produces more cash value - agriculture, mining or fishing & trapping?
13. What percentage of BC's residents live on farms?
14. What was the population of Kelowna in 1996?