TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS

- 1. What is the map scale? 1 mile = cm
- 2. Name the highest mountain and give the elevation.
- 3. Which town has the highest elevation? What is the elevation?
- 4. Do you gain elevation, lose elevation, or not change elevation when traveling from Blue Lake to Dixon?
- 5. Do you gain elevation, lose elevation, or not change elevation when traveling from Blue Lake to Norton?
- 6. Do you gain elevation, lose elevation, or not change elevation when traveling from Blue Lake to Rockville?
- 7. Which mountain has the steepest slope? Steep means that the elevation increases or decreases very quickly.
- 8. What is the latitude and longitude of Norton?
- 9. What is the latitude and longitude of Bald Peak?
- What is the latitude and longitude of White Mountain? 10.
- 11. What is the latitude and longitude of the mine?
- 12. How far is Blue Lake from Norton by a straight line?
- 13. How far is Dixon from Norton by a straight line?
- How far is Rockville from Norton by a straight line? 14.
- 15. Which is closer to Norton by a straight line: Dixon or Rockville?
- 16. How long is the railroad tunnel? Use the edge of a sheet of paper to transfer the scale.
- 17. How far is Rockville from Norton by highway?
- 18. How much further is the distance between Rockville and Norton by highway versus a straight line?
- 19. What direction would you travel from Dixon to Rockville?
- 20. Is the trip from Dixon to Rockville uphill or downhill? How can you tell?

- 21. What is located at 43°2'N 76°13'W?
- 22. What is the distance in miles from 43°5'N 76°5'W to 43°5'N 76°10'W?
- 23. Why is the depression on Bear Mountain not filled with water?
- 24. Where is the flattest land located?
- 25. What is located at 43°8'N 76°7'W?
- 26. What is located at 43°9'N 76°2'W? What do those lines represent?
- 27. In which direction is Roaring Stream flowing? (from ______ to _____)
- 28. In which direction Rapid Brook flowing? (from ______ to _____)
- 29. Is Rapid Brook flowing uphill or downhill? How do you know?
- 30. Which areas would NOT be under water if the surface level of Blue Lake rose to 200 feet?
- 31. Which city is most likely largest: Norton, Dixon, or Rockville?
- 32. Which direction would you travel to get to New York City from the peak of Bear Mountain (approximately 43°N 74°W)?
- 33. Interpolate and draw/label the following contour lines on the map:
 - a. 450 feet on White Mountain
 - b. 250 feet on White Mountain
 - c. 150 feet on Summit Hill
 - d. 450 feet on Bald Peak
 - e. 350 feet on Bear Mountain
- 34. Is it easier to climb Bear Mountain from the south side or the north side? Explain your answer.
- 35. How many locations on this map would survive a flood in which the water rose to 500 feet above sea level? Name the locations.
- 36. Which would you expect to have more traffic: the road from Dixon to Norton or the road from Rockville to Norton? Explain your answer.
- 37. If rain fell at Rockville, which stream, brook, or creek would the water eventually enter? Explain your answer.
- 38. Write driving directions from Dixon to Blue Lake. Include directions on how to turn (left/right) as well as compass directions (north/south/east/west).
- 39. Calculate the gradient between Dixon (150 ft) and the top of White Mountain.