Map A: Blank map of Alexander the Great’s Empire
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Map C: Locations of cities named after Alexander and sites of decisive battles
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Classroom Activity: The Empire of Alexander the Great

Directions: You will need the following to complete this exercise:

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➢ colored pencils (NOT MARKERS)
➢ iPad

You must complete each of the following steps on the blank map provided:

I. Water

1. Label the Mediterranean Sea
2. Label the Aral Sea
3. Label the Nile River
4. Label the Euphrates River
5. Label the Tigris River
6. Label the Red Sea
7. Label the Black Sea
8. Label the Caspian Sea
9. Label the Persian Gulf
10. Label the Arabian Sea

II. Land Regions

1. Label Macedonia
2. Label Greece
3. Label Persia
4. Label Arabia
5. Label India
III. Create a Key

6. Key for labeling cities named after Alexander
7. Key for labeling 3 regions that were sites of decisive battles
8. Key for the route taken by Alexander (Use a RED pencil and lines/arrows to show the route)
9. Color the following regions:
   a. Present day Turkey – light yellow
   b. Present day Iran – light orange
   c. Present day Iraq – light green
   d. Present day Pakistan – light purple
   e. Present day Turkmenistan – light brown
   f. Present day Tajikistan – light pink