

Show Me the Gold Question Sheet

You are a new mining engineer for the Caledonia Mining Company. In order to make good recommendations to your company, you will need to understand the Claims Map. With a partner, investigate the Claims Map.

You and your partner will need to use the core map online or follow the directions of your teacher.

Part 1: New Terms

Select “Define Features” from the menu on the core map. Then find the following words on the map and click on them to find out their meanings. Write the definitions on the lines provided.

1. gulch _____
2. run _____
3. fork _____
4. creek _____
5. summit _____

Part 2: Map Skills

Use your map skills to help you answer the following questions.

1. Which waterway has a name related to the mining done in this region?

2. What do the arrows at the end of Deadwood Creek and Gold Run indicate?

3. Name one tributary to Deadwood Creek


4. Where are the two cities located?

Why were these locations selected for city sites?

5. List names of claims that are

a. names of people:

b. other terms:

6. Name three of the largest claims. Hint: Rectangles with hachures () are claims joined together as one company.
