



Mapping

Use this worksheet to map out your yard, neighborhood, or other outdoor space!

Think about what is important to include on your map. Take a look at a map of Franklin Park for an example. What do you notice?



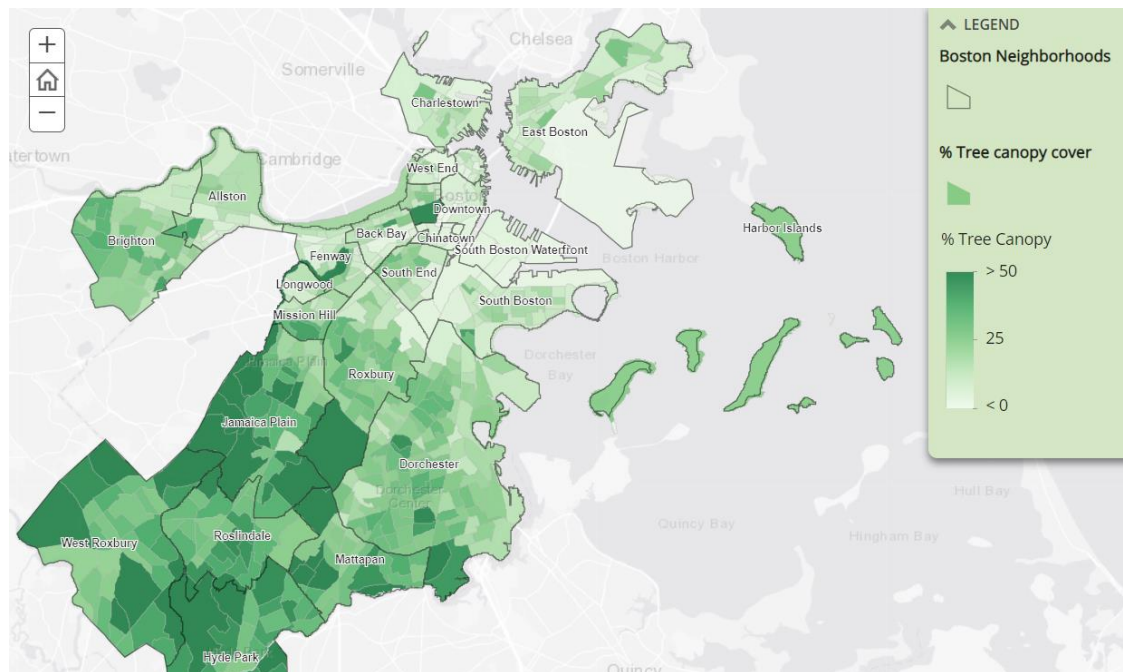
Here are some tips about what to include on your map:

- Directions: East, west, north, south. East is where the sun rises, and west is where it sets. This is an important thing to include on your map so people know which direction they're going in when they're reading it, and where your place is in relationship to other places.
- Structures: houses, buildings, and structures are all important!
- Roads or pathways
- Natural features and landmarks, such as big trees, or rivers.
- Distances: how far is it from one place to another?

Get creative with your map! There are many ways to map put a place. Make your map your own! Here are some different ways people have mapped out Boston:



A map of the public transit routes in Boston



A map of the trees in Boston, created by Speak for the Trees



An artistic map of Boston, by Jordon Sondler

Make your own map! Use this space to draw out your map: