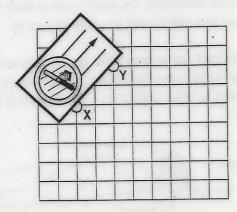
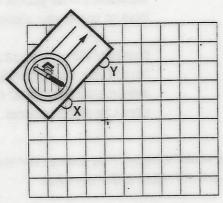
Taking a bearing from the map

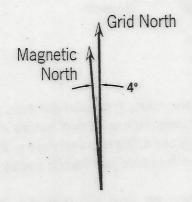
Suppose you are trying to walk from X to Y. Look at this set of diagrams:

Place edge of compass along the 2 points X and Y.

Twist the **outer circle** until the **inner arrows** line up exactly with the **grid lines** pointing **north**.







Unfortunately the Magnetic North Pole is not quite in the same direction as Grid North. As a result of this we have to add on a certain number of degrees, which at the moment is 4°. It is important to check at the foot of your map as to how much "magnetic variation" is, as it changes a little every year.



Add 4° onto your bearing by carefully twisting the **outer circle**.

Line up the compass needle with the **inner arrows**. Follow the **direction arrow**.