



KS1—Thinking like a Geographer

Continents and Oceans

Key Facts:

The seven continents:

Antarctica, Africa, Asia, Europe, North America, Oceania and South America.

The five oceans:

Atlantic, Arctic, Indian, Pacific and Southern.

Key Knowledge:

The world is made up of many countries.

The countries can be grouped into continents.

The large amounts of water between each continent are called oceans.

Some of the continents are joined by land. Others are separated by oceans.

Human features are made by people.

Physical features are created by nature.



What we will be learning?

Understanding where I am in the world.

Locating the seven continents.

Locating the five oceans.

Human features of the continents.

Physical features of the continents.

Learning Questions

Where in the world am I?

Where are the world's continents and oceans?

How can I show the oceans and continents on a map?

What are the main features of each continent?

What is special about each continent?

What is Antarctica?

Vocabulary

Place names

Australia
Brazil
China
Egypt
France
India
Spain
United States of America

Locational terms

east
hemisphere
north
south
South Pole
west

Geographical terms and processes

atlas
continent
globe
human
ocean
physical

Glossary

continent: a very large area of land

hemisphere: half of the globe

ocean: a huge area of salty water