## The Seven Continents

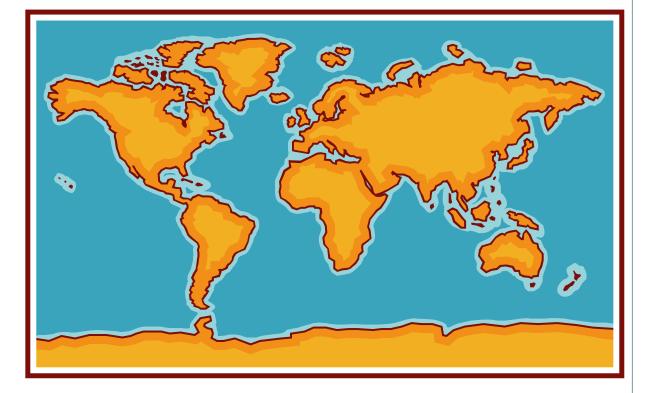
#### Land and Water

- The Earth is mostly water
- <sup>3</sup>⁄<sub>4</sub> of the Earth is covered in water
- The big bodies of water on Earth are called oceans
- The large pieces of land on Earth are called continents



#### Seven Continents

- North America
- South America
- Europe
- Asia
- Africa
- Oceania
- Antarctica



### This is our **Continental Poem** we hope it did amaze ya!





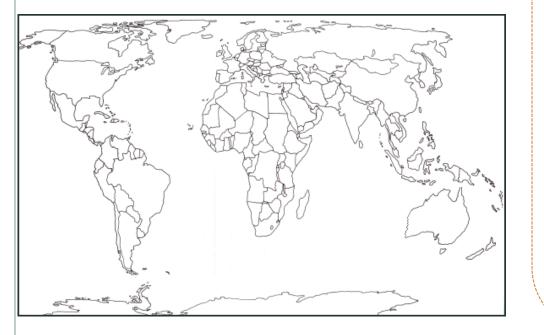




Using 7 different coloured pencil crayons, colour each continent in, like shown above.

# Map Skills...

Each of you should have a world map that is similar to the one below:



Using your planner

China France Mexico Germany South Africa Japan Canada Australia New Zealand Kenya USA United Kingdom Brazil India

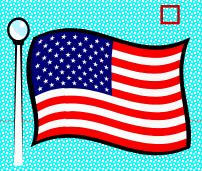
Extension; name the 3 rivers and as many oceans/seas as possible.

### North America



- North America is cold in the north and warm in the south
- Buffalo live in North America
- People in North America came here from many other continents





The USA, Mexico, and Canada are the three biggest countries in North America

### South America

- South America is a warm continent
- People there speak mostly Spanish
- The biggest country is Brazil, where people love to play soccer
- The Amazon rainforest is in South America







### Europe







#### This is the continent we

#### live on

- There are 47 countries in Europe
- People in Europe speak over 50 languages!
- The weather in Europe is similar to North America – cold in the north and warm in the south



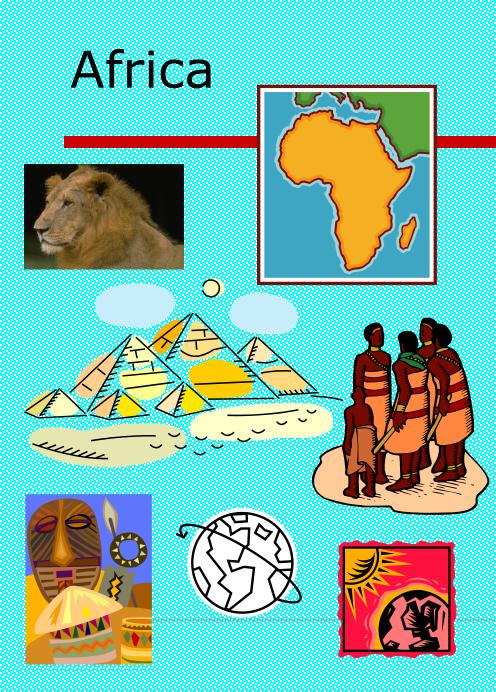


### Asia



- Asia is the biggest continent, and it has the most people – it is very crowded in some parts of Asia!
- China is one very big country in Asia
- Giant Pandas live in China and eat bamboo
- A cool place to visit in Asia is the Great Wall of China – it is the largest structure ever built by man



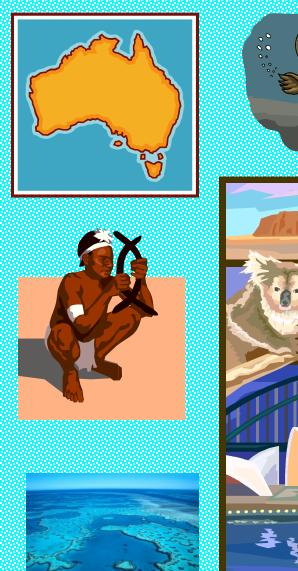


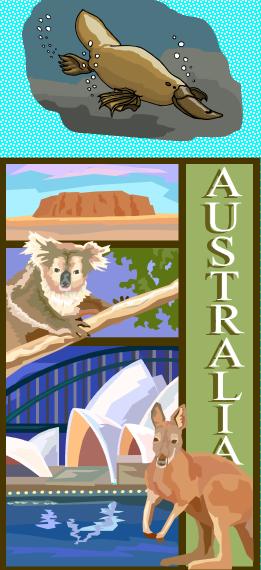
Africa is a very hot continent because the equator runs through the middle of it

- Lions live in Africa
- Most people in Africa have dark skin and hair
- The Egyptian pyramids are in Africa

### Oceania

- Oceania is an island continent
- The largest country in Oceania is Australia
- Native people in Australia are called Aborigines
- Other people in Australia are related to criminals sent from Europe long ago
- Kangaroos, koalas, and platypuses live in Australia
- The Great Barrier Reef is in Australia
- The weather in Australia is the opposite of our weather





### Antarctica





- Antarctica is the coldest continent and is known as the white continent
- No people live in Antarctica, but some scientists visit to study the weather or animals there

Many kinds of penguins live in Antarctica

## What have you learned? Get ready to take a quiz!



#### 1. How many continents are there?

A. FourB. Six

C. Eight

D. Seven



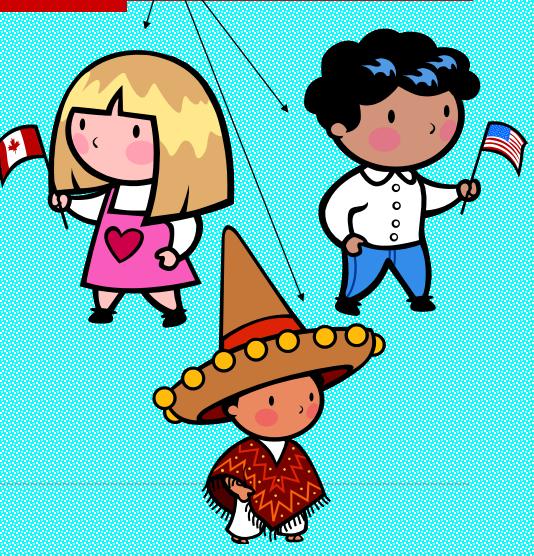
#### 2. What continent do we live on?

A. South America

**B.** North America

C. Africa

D. USA



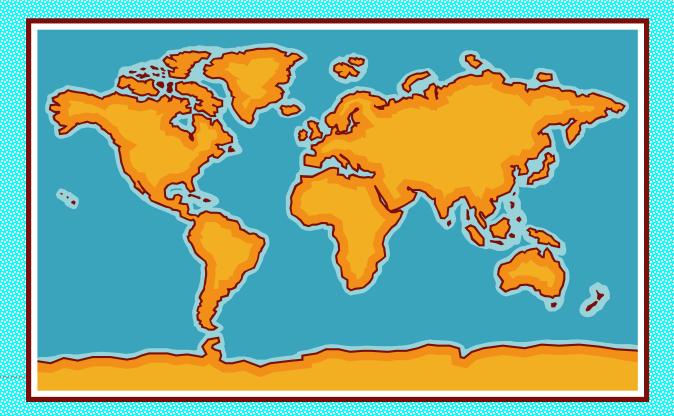
#### 3. Which is the largest continent?

#### A. North America

B. Australia

C. China

D. Asia



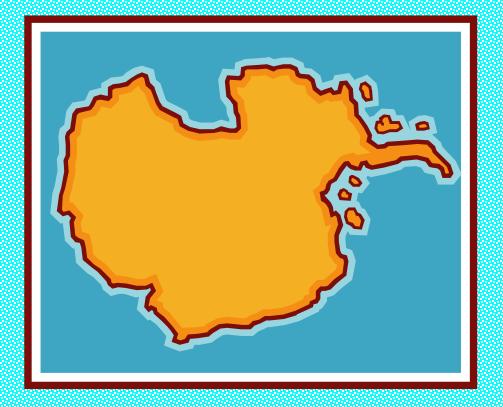
## 4. Which continent would you visit if you wanted to see the Amazon rainforest?

A. Asia

- **B.** South America
- C. Africa
- D. Antarctica



## 5. Why are there no people living in Antarctica?



A. It is too hot

B. It is too far away

C. It is too cold

D. It is a boring place

## 6. How much of the earth is covered in water?

A. Half

B. Three QuartersC. NoneD. A quarter



## 7. Why are there so many different languages spoken in Europe?

- A. People there don't like each other
- B. There are almost 50 countries and many have their own language
- C. Everyone there speaks English
- D. People in Europe learn to speak Spanish in school





## 8. Which of these animals comes from Australia?

- A. KangarooB. BuffaloC. LionD. Bonquin
- **D**. Penguin

## 9. What are the three biggest countries in North America?

- A. Canada, China, USA
- B. Canada, Mexico, USA
- C. USA, Spain, China
- D. Asia, North America, Africa



## 10. Why is Africa the hottest continent?

- A. It is near Florida
- B. It is cold
- C. The equator goes through it
- D. The continent is on fire



### Great job!!!

