



St White's Primary School - Geography

Year 1 and 2

Topic: continents and oceans

What should I already know?

- The **country** I live in is called England.
- I live in or near **Cinderford**, which is a **town** in England.
- England** is a country in the United Kingdom (England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland).
- There are four points to the compass (**North, South, East** and **West**)
- What is meant by the terms '**physical features**' and '**human features**'.

Geographical Skills and Fieldwork

- Find the five oceans and seven continents using map skills. Can you also find them in an atlas and on a globe?
- Use aerial photographs to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features
- Create a pictogram to represent the number of daylight hours across the seasons



Geography

Geographers study places and people.



Continents

- There are seven continents:
- Europe
- North America
- South America
- Africa
- Asia
- Australia (also known as Australasia or Oceania)
- Antarctica

Oceans

- There are five oceans:
- Pacific Ocean
- Atlantic Ocean
- Indian Ocean
- Southern Ocean
- Arctic Ocean

Technical vocabulary

world map	A map of the surface of the earth
continent	a very large solid area of land that consists of many countries
ocean	one of the five very large areas of salt water on the Earth's surface.
country	an area of land that is controlled by its own government.
sea	a large area of salty water that is part of an ocean
equator	an imaginary line around the middle of the Earth at an equal distance from the North Pole and the South Pole.
poles	the two opposite ends of Earth at its most northern and southern points.
human features	things that are built by humans such as roads, bridges and buildings
physical features	natural features such as water, mountains, and deserts
aerial view	a view from above
aerial photographs	photos taken from above
seasonal change	When one season changes to another e.g. spring to summer
daylight	the natural light of the day
pictogram	a way of showing information using pictures
daytime	when you can see the sun from where you are and it's light
night time	when the sun is on the other side of the Earth from you and it's dark