



# What a wonderful world!

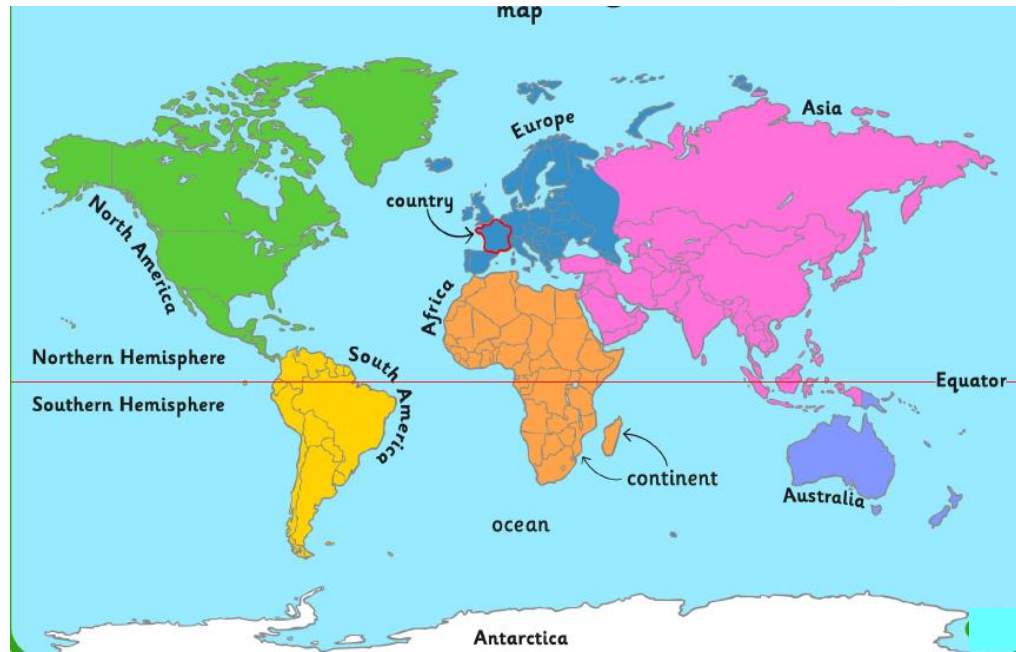
Key Vocabulary	
<b>continent</b>	A very large area of land that includes all the islands with it.
<b>ocean</b>	A large area of sea.
<b>population</b>	The number of people that live in a particular place.
<b>landmark</b>	A well-known building or place.
<b>Australasia</b>	The continent of Australasia is often referred to as just Australia. It has about 28 countries and island groups.
<b>desert</b>	A large area of land that has very little rainfall and where not much grows.
<b>rainforest</b>	A large area of land with lots of tall trees and plenty of rainfall.
<b>compass</b>	A piece of equipment that tells you what direction you are travelling in. The main compass points are north, south, east and west.
<b>climate</b>	The usual weather conditions of an area.
<b>equator</b>	An imaginary line drawn around the middle of Earth, dividing it into the Northern and Southern Hemispheres.
<b>tropical</b>	Hot and humid.
<b>temperate</b>	Mild weather. Neither very hot nor very cold.
<b>capital city</b>	An important city, often where the government works.
<b>currency</b>	The money used in a country.
<b>cuisine</b>	Traditional food of a country.
<b>aerial</b>	Seen from above.

## Continents

There are seven **continents**: Africa, Antarctica, Asia, **Australasia**, Europe, North America and South America. Some **continents** have many countries, others do not.

## World Oceans

There are five **oceans** in the world: the Arctic Ocean, the Atlantic Ocean, the Indian Ocean, the Pacific Ocean and the Southern Ocean.



# OCEANS

Oceans cover about 71% of the Earth's surface. The huge body of salt water on the Earth's surface is divided

into five major oceans: the Pacific Ocean, the Atlantic Ocean, the Arctic Ocean, the Indian Ocean and the Southern Ocean.

