



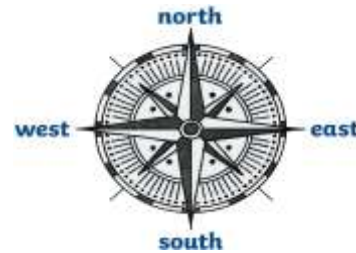
Cycle A Summer Term Year 1 / 2 Geography Knowledge Organiser.

Key Vocabulary

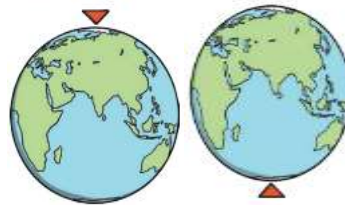
Continent	A very large area of land that includes all the islands with it.
Ocean	A large area of sea.
The Compass	A compass has four main directions, which are north, east, south and west. Part of the compass (the needle) will always point north. You then have to work out which direction you are facing depending on where north is.
compass	A special tool that helps you know which direction you are facing.
map	A specially drawn picture of a place from above.
Direction	Where someone or something is pointing or moving.
Country	an area of land with its own government, rules and borders.
Symbols	A picture that represents a word or group of words. They are used on maps to make things clear and easy to find.
Equator	An imaginary line drawn around the middle of Earth, dividing it into the Northern and Southern Hemispheres.

Main Learning

Where in the world are the 7 continents and 5 Oceans?



North Pole South Pole



Equator



(Sticky) Knowledge & Skills that I need to remember

- I can use a globe to find and name the 7 continents and 5 oceans.
- I can identify the equator, North, and South Poles on a globe.
- I can use simple compass directions to show the positions of the continents on a map.
- I can show I know the difference between a continent and a country.
- I understand that animals are suited to different places.
- I can locate a selection of animals to the appropriate hot and cold areas of the world.

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.

Continents and Oceans



Continent Facts

Half the world's population live in Asia.
 The largest desert in the world (the Sahara) is in Africa.
 North America is twice the size of Europe.
 Over half of Australia is desert or receives little rain.
 The Amazon rainforest is in South America.
 Antarctica is known as the 'frozen continent.'



Geography Quiz 1

Name

	Question	A	B	C
1	How many oceans are there?	6	5	7
2	How many continents are there?	7	6	5
3	What is the equator?	An imaginary line drawn around the middle of Earth, dividing it into the Northern and Southern Hemispheres.	The area around the North Pole.	The area around the South Pole.
4	What are the names of the oceans?	Arctic, Atlantic, Asia, Pacific and the Southern Ocean.	Arctic, Atlantic, Indian, Pacific and the Southern Ocean.	Arctic, Atlantic, Indian, Europe and the Southern Ocean.
5	What are the names of the continents?	Africa, Atlantic, Asia, Australasia, Europe, North America and South America.	Africa, Arctic, Asia, Australasia, Europe, North America and South America.	Africa, Antarctica, Asia, Australasia, Europe, North America and South America.
	Out of 10 how much have you enjoyed your learning	1-4	5-8	9-10

Total

Prior knowledge	%	1 st Attempt	%	2 nd attempt	%	3 rd Attempt	%
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