

Forton's Fundamental Facts – Geography



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Continents and Oceans

Europe – Landmarks, Climate

Key Vocabulary



Continent	A very large area of land that includes all the islands with it.
Ocean	A large area of sea
Population	The number of people that live in a particular place
Landmark	A well-known building or place.
Australasia	The continent of Australasia is often referred to as just Australia. It has about 28 countries and island groups.
Desert	A large area of land that has very little rainfall and where not much grows.
Rainforest	A large area of land with lots of tall trees and plenty of rainfall.
Compass	A piece of equipment that tells you what direction you are travelling in. The main compass points are north, south, east and west.
Climate	The usual weather conditions of an area.
Equator	An imaginary line drawn around the middle of Earth, dividing it into the Northern and Southern Hemispheres
Tropical	Hot and humid.
Temperature	Mild weather. Neither very hot nor very cold.
Capital City	An important city, often where the government works
Currency	The money used in a country.
Cuisine	Traditional food of a country.
Aerial	Seen from above.

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