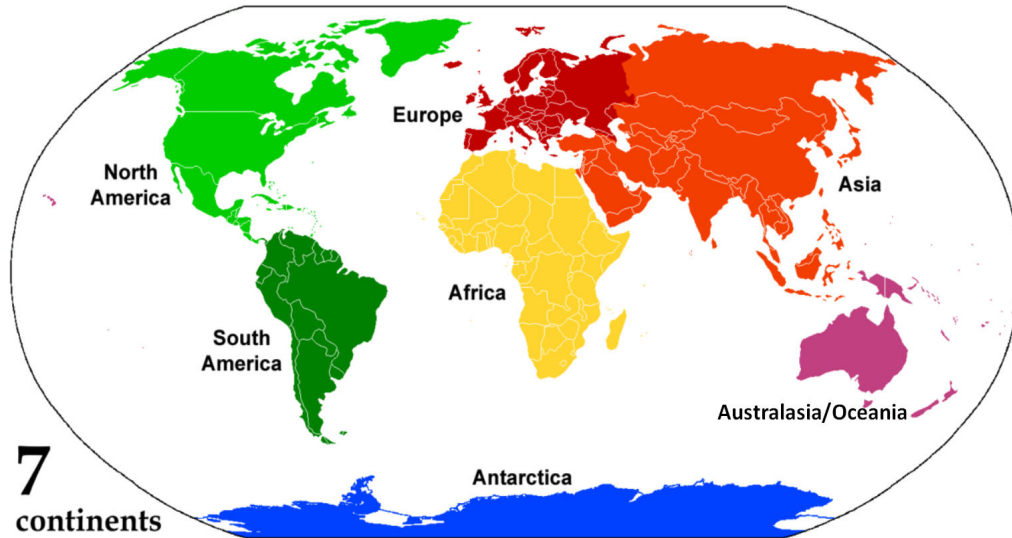




Where are the continents and oceans?



**Compass** — A piece of equipment that you use for finding directions. It has a dial and a magnetic needle that always points to the north.

Key Facts

Continent	Size (miles <sup>2</sup> )	Population	Countries
Africa	12 million	1.3 billion	54
Antarctica	5.5 million	1100	0
Asia	17 million	4.5 billion	51
Australasia/Oceania	3 million	40 million	14
Europe	4 million	742.6 million	44
North America	9.5 million	587.6 million	23
South America	7 million	428,200	12

Key Concepts

Climate	The average measurements of temperature, wind, humidity, snow, and rain in a place over the course of years.
Settlement	Places where people live or have moved to and remained.
Trade	To take part in the exchange, purchase, or sale of goods
Weather	The condition of the environment at any time—such as the temperature, cloud cover, and moisture.

Key Vocabulary

Continent	A very large area of land, one of the seven major areas of the Earth
Country	An area of land that is controlled by a single government
Direction	The general line that someone or something is moving or pointing in.
Ocean	A huge body of salt water
Population	All the people who live in a country or area.
Position	The place where a person or object is in relation to other things.