

Animals and habitats: Where do our favourite animals live? | Year 1 Geography | Summer 1

I should already know that...

- 1 There are seven continents in the world, five oceans and many countries.
- 2 The world is made up of a wide variety of animals, plants, and communities.

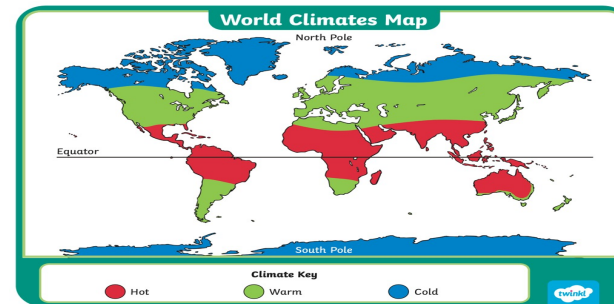
By the end of this unit I will...

- 1 Understand geographical similarities and differences between continents
- 2 Find the **Equator** on a map and on a globe.
- 3 Identify hot or cold areas of world, linked to the **North and South poles** and the Equator.

WHAT IS A CONTINENT?

A continent is a very large area of land and any surrounding islands. There are seven continents on Earth - Africa, Antarctica, Asia, Australasia and Oceania, Europe, North America and South America.

Some continents are joined to each other, such as Asia and Europe. Look at the map and find two other continents that are joined together.



Key Vocabulary

1	equator	the imaginary circle around the Earth - halfway between the North and South Poles
2	habitat	a place that an animal lives providing food, water and shelter
3	physical features	Things that are on the earth naturally
4	human features	Things that are made or built by humans
5	landmark	A building or place that is easily recognisable and tells you where you are



Asia



Africa



North America



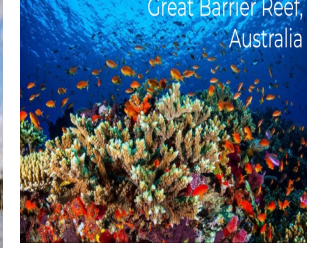
South America



Antarctica



Europe



Australasia

