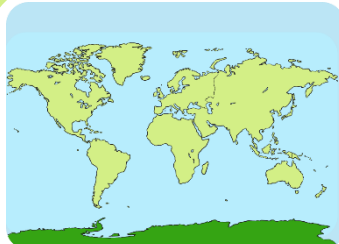


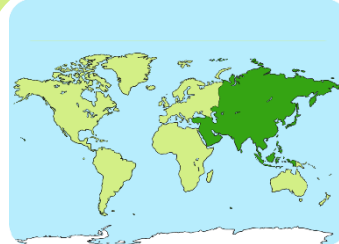
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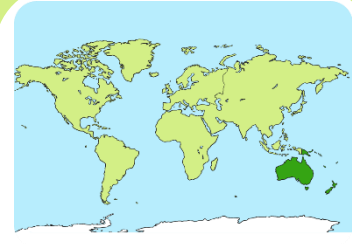
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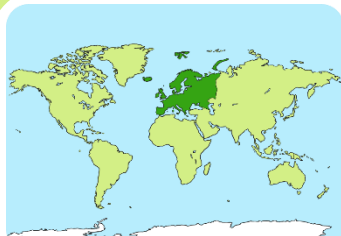
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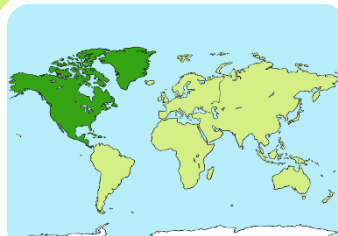
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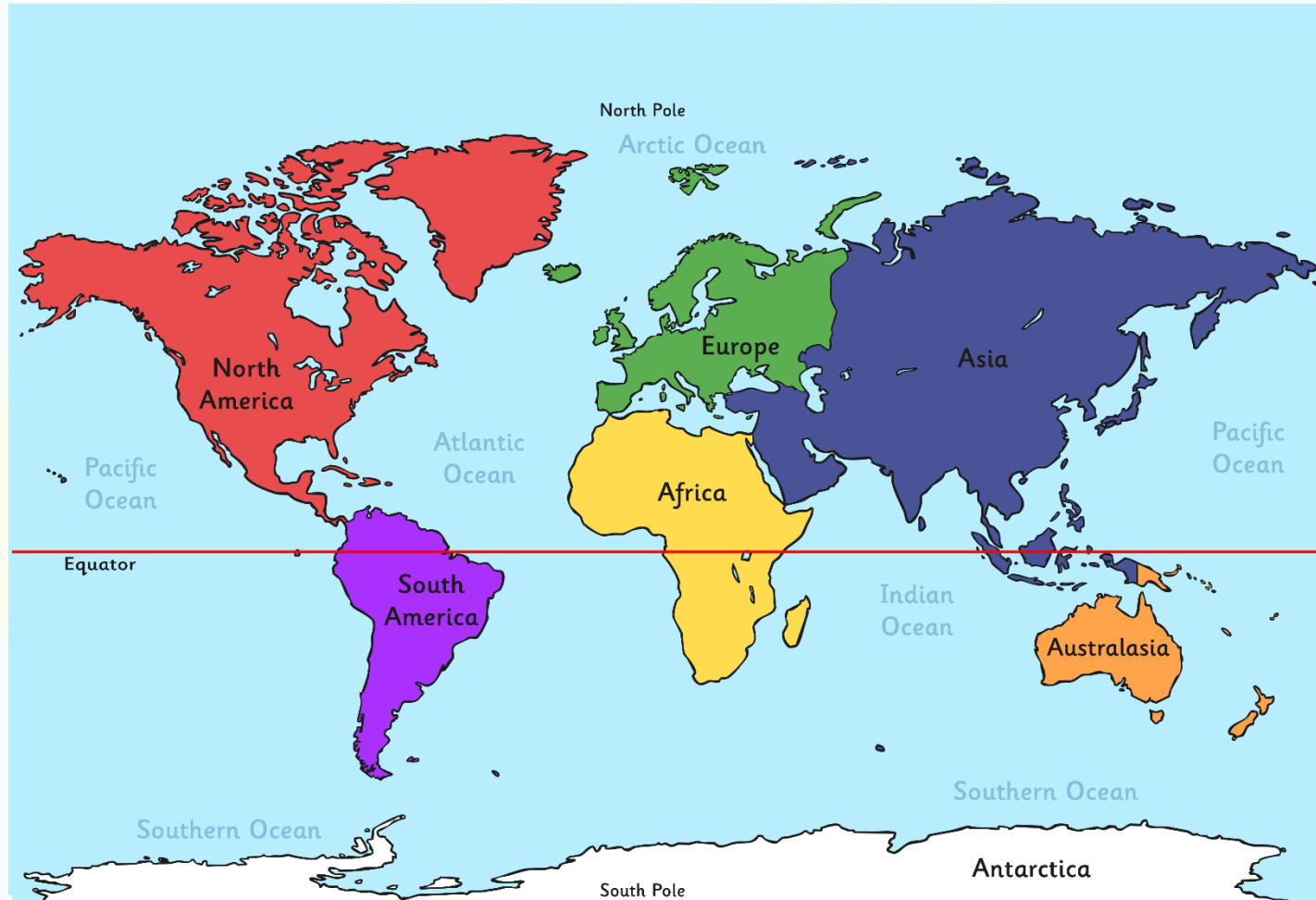


North
America



South
America

Around Our Continents



Around Our Continents: Europe



The UK is part of Europe. The UK belongs to a group of countries in Europe called the European Union or the EU.

- Europe is the second smallest continent in size.
- There are around **50 countries** in Europe, including England, France, Croatia and part of Russia.
- **739 million** people (739,000,000) are thought to live in Europe, making it the third largest continent by population.
- Most countries use the **Euro** as their currency.



Around Our Continents: Europe

Many famous landmarks can be found in Europe. Where are they located?



Stonehenge



Matterhorn



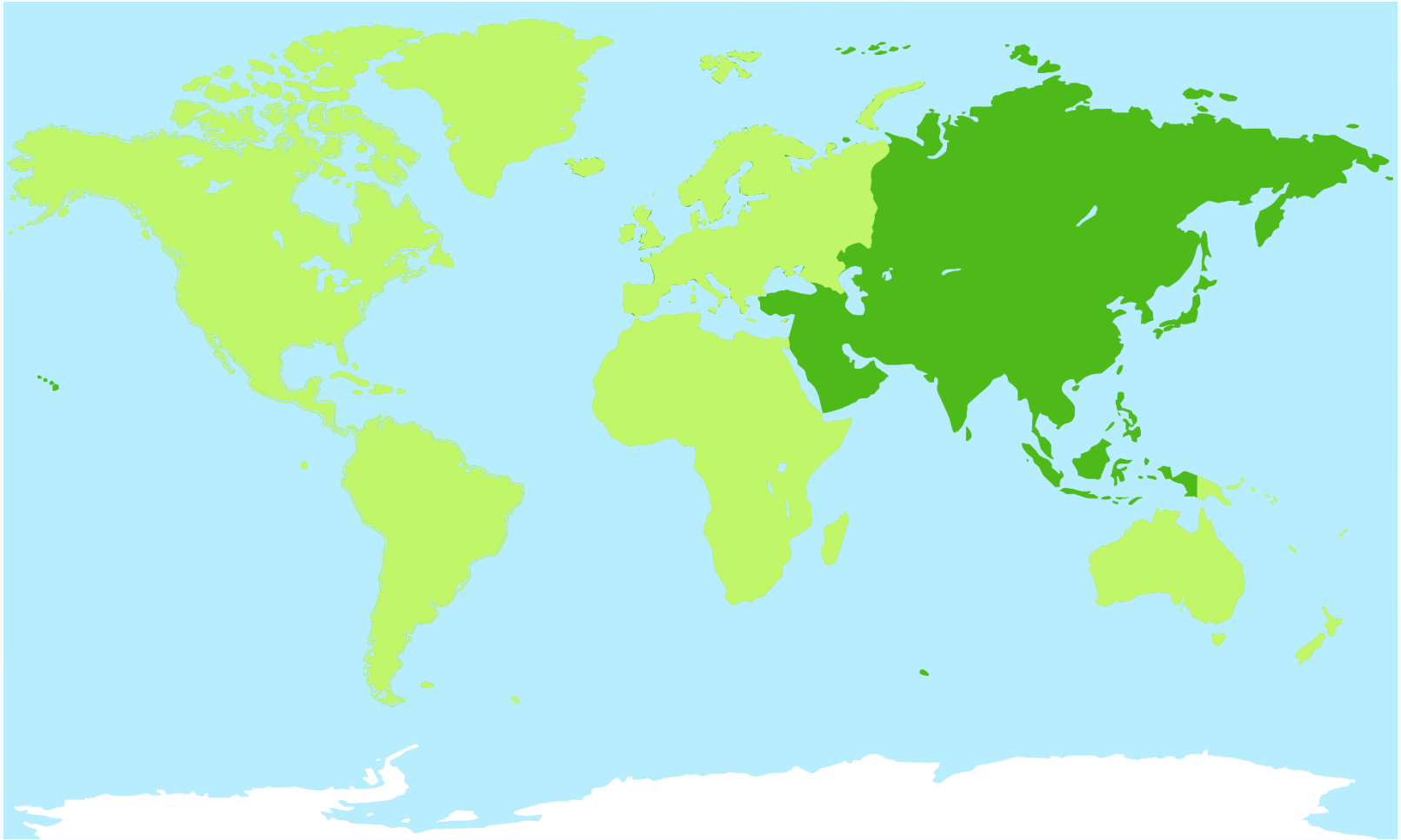
Eiffel Tower



Mount Olympus

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Around Our Continents: Asia



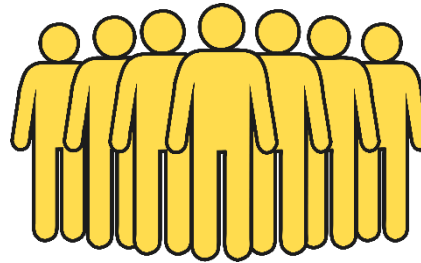


Around Our Continents: Asia

Asia is the largest continent on Earth, with over 48 countries.



Half of the world's population (people) live in Asia, over 4 billion!



China and India are the countries where most people live.





Around Our Continents: Asia

Many famous landmarks can be found in Asia. Where are they located?



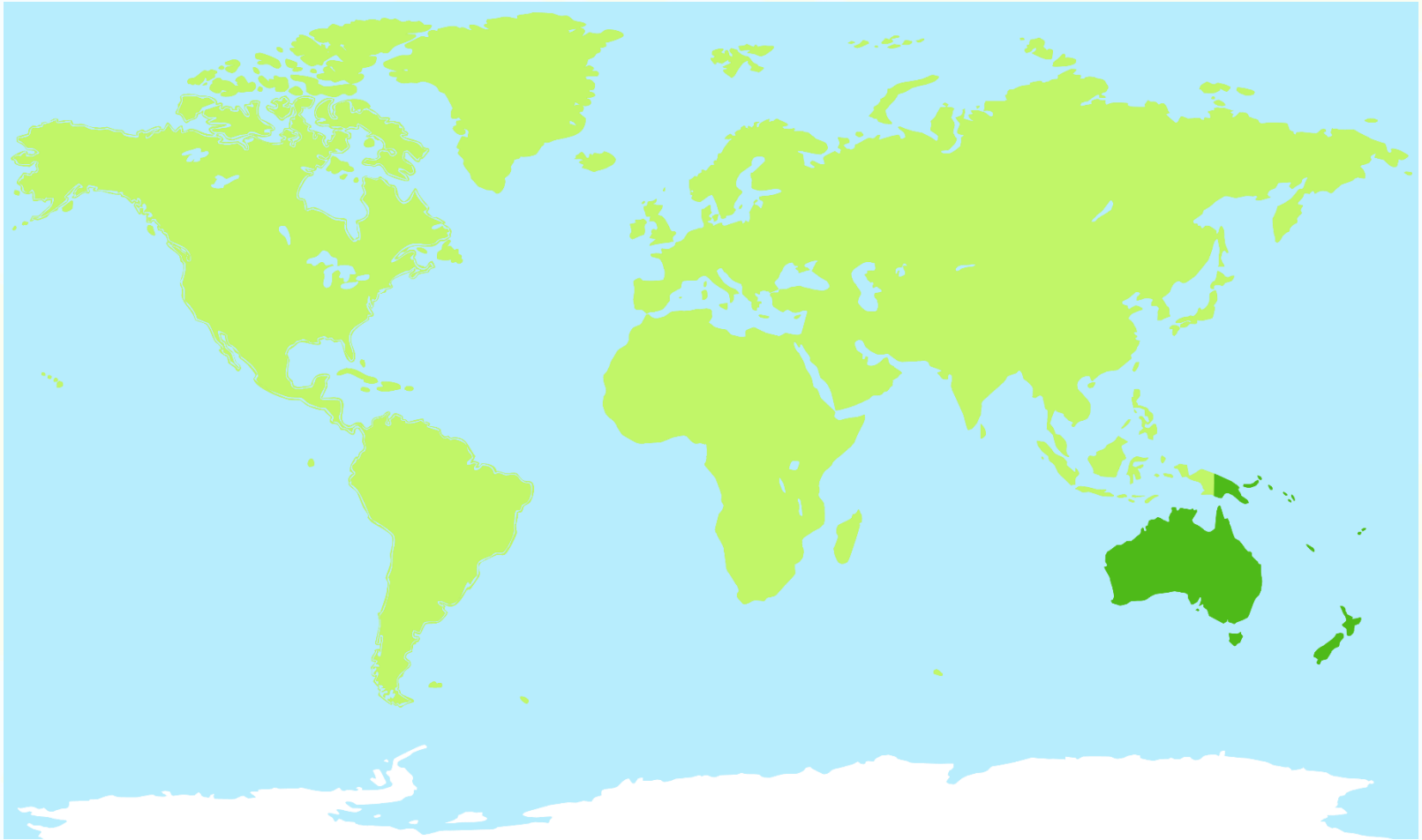
Yangtze River



Mount Everest

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Around Our Continents: Australasia





Around Our Continents: Australasia

There are 28 countries and Island groups in Australasia

Confusingly, Australasia is often referred to as just 'Australia'

The population of Australasia is around 32 million, although the country of Australia has more sheep than humans!

Over half of Australia is desert.



Around Our Continents: Australasia



Many famous landmarks can be found in Australasia. Where are they located?



Sydney Opera House



Ayers Rock



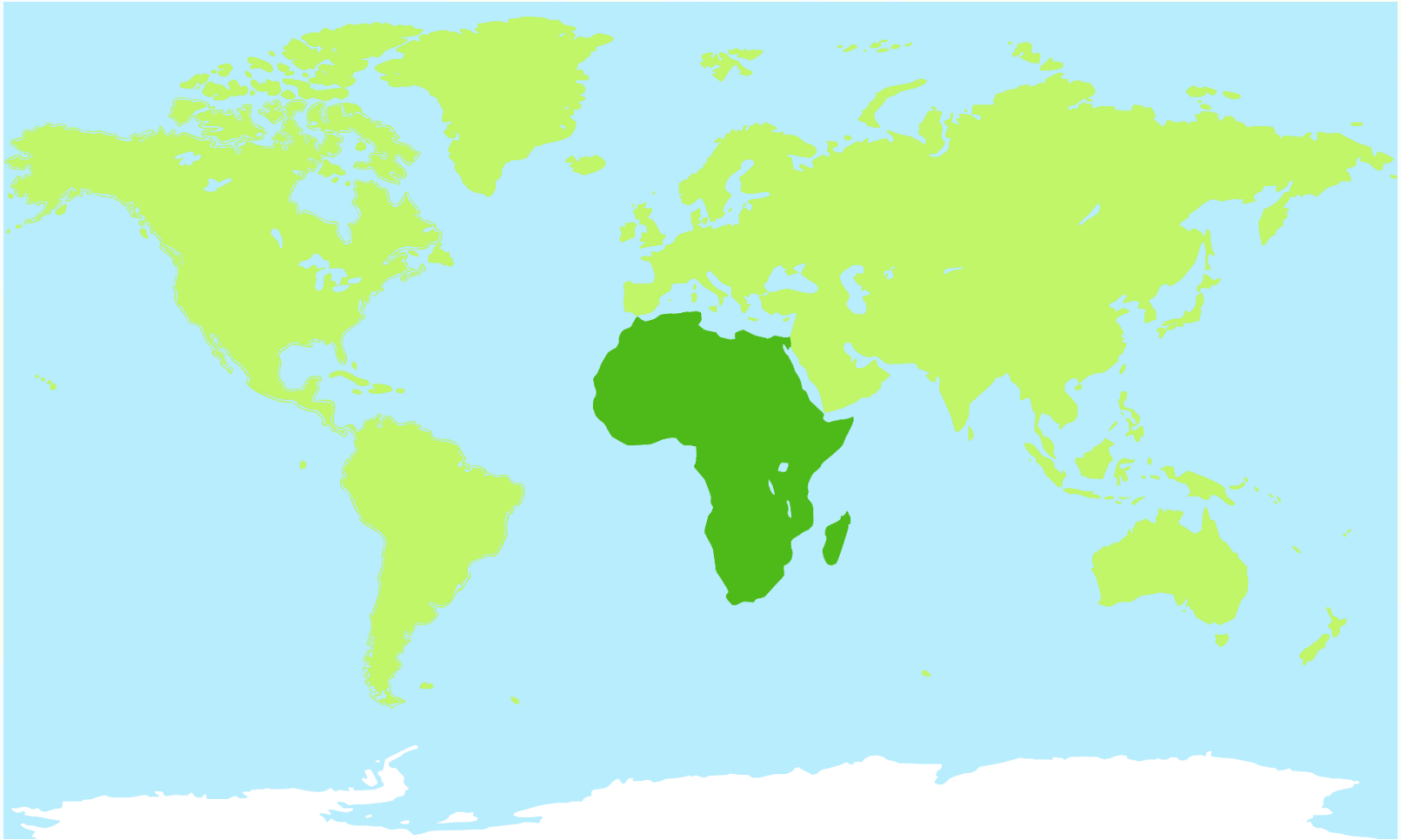
Murray River



Great Barrier Reef

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Around Our Continents: Africa



Around Our Continents: Africa



Africa is the second largest continent in the world.



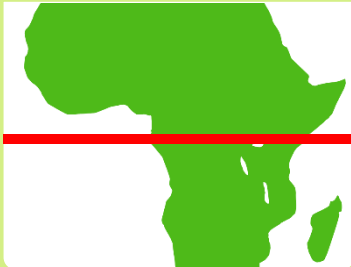
Africa is home to the largest desert in the world – The Sahara and one of the world's longest rivers – The Nile.



The population of Africa is just over one billion.



The equator passes directly through Africa so it gets lots of direct sunlight throughout the year.



Around Our Continents: Africa

Many famous landmarks can be found in Africa. Where are they located?



Sahara Desert



Egyptian Pyramids



River Nile

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Around Our Continents: Africa

Many famous landmarks can be found in Africa. Where are they located?



Victoria Falls



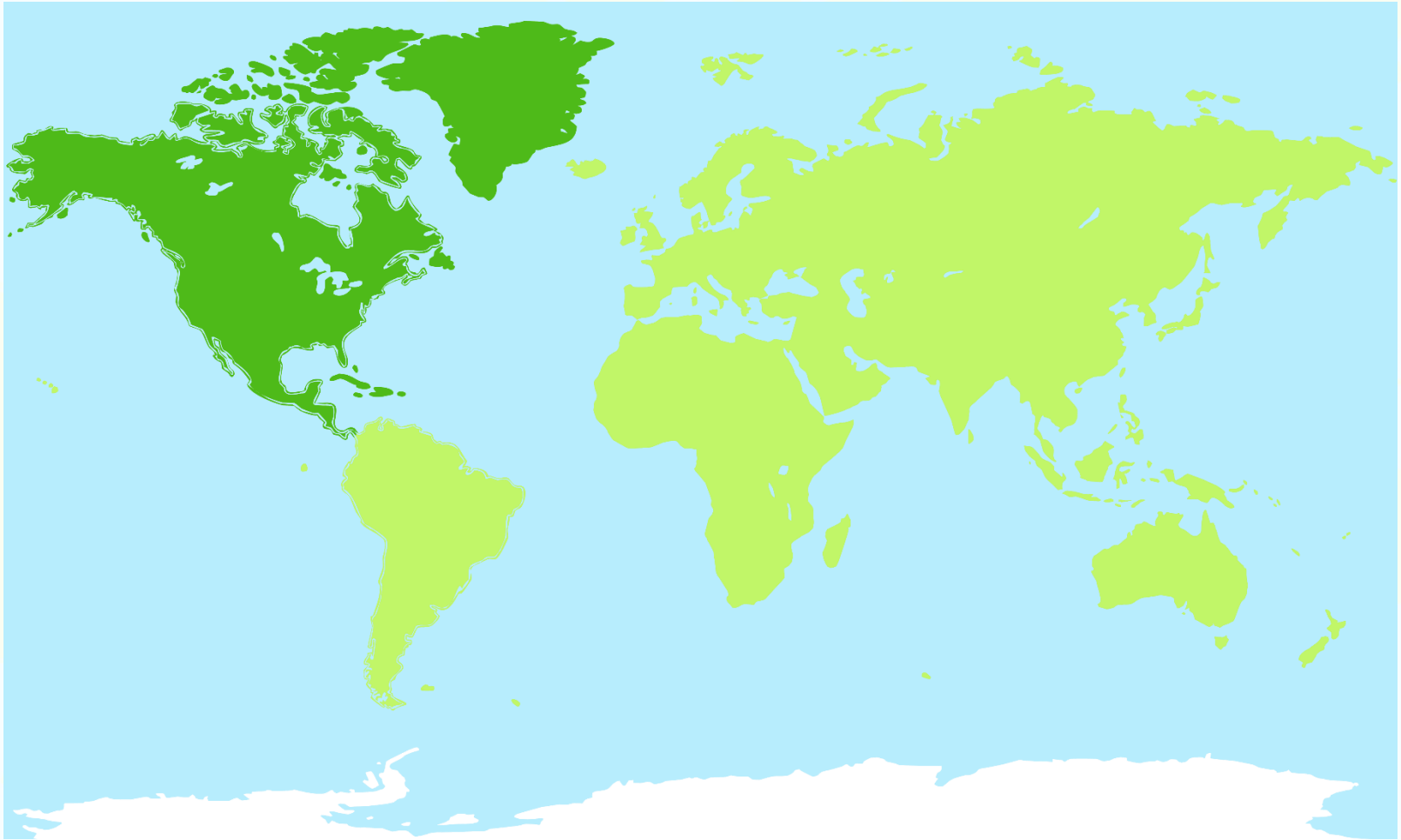
Kruger National Park



Kilimanjaro

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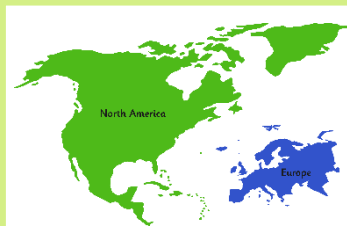
Around Our Continents: North America





Around Our Continents: North America

North America is
twice the size of
Europe. Wow!



The population is
around 529 million.



North America
has 9 time



North America is home to
some of the world's
technology giants such as
Google, Apple and Microsoft.



The largest countries
are the USA, Mexico
and Canada.



Around Our Continents: North America

Many famous landmarks can be found in North America. Where are they located?



Empire State Building



Mount McKinley



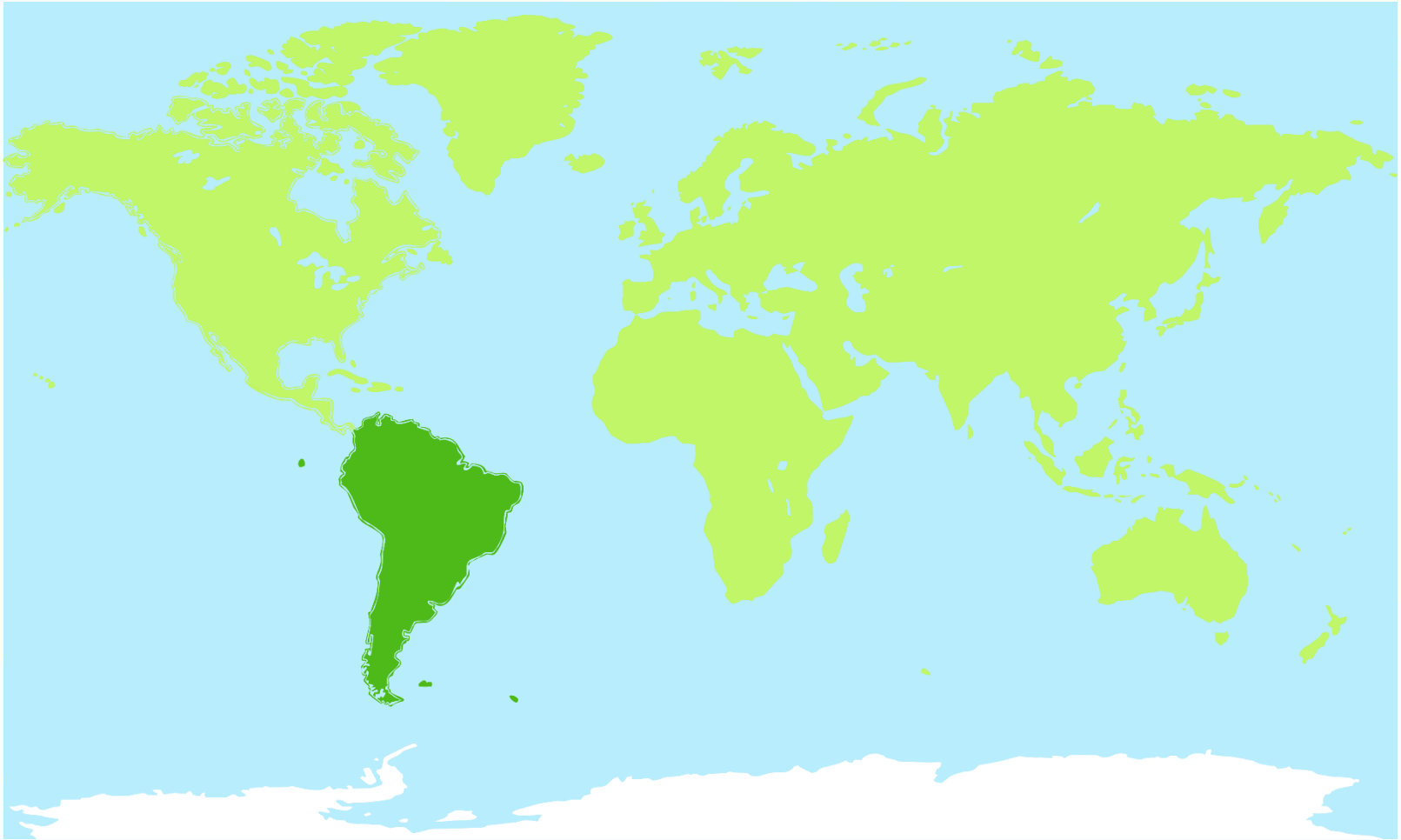
Mississippi



Lake Superior

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Around Our Continents: South America



Around Our Continents: South America



Brazil is the largest country. Brazil hosted the Football World Cup in 2014.



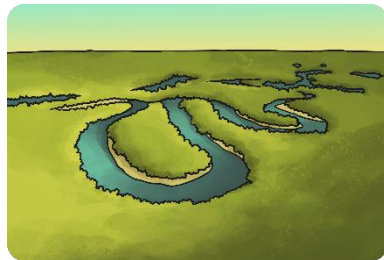
South America's population is 388 million.



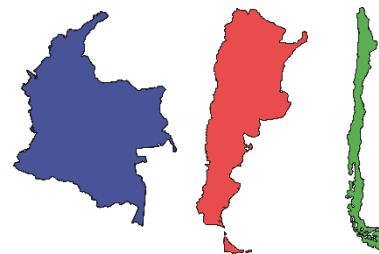
Soccer is the most popular sport in South America.



South America has the second longest river in the world – The Amazon.



Other large countries include Columbia, Argentina, Chile and Peru.



Around Our Continents: South America

Many famous landmarks can be found in South America. Where are they located?



Amazon Rainforest



Christ the Redeemer



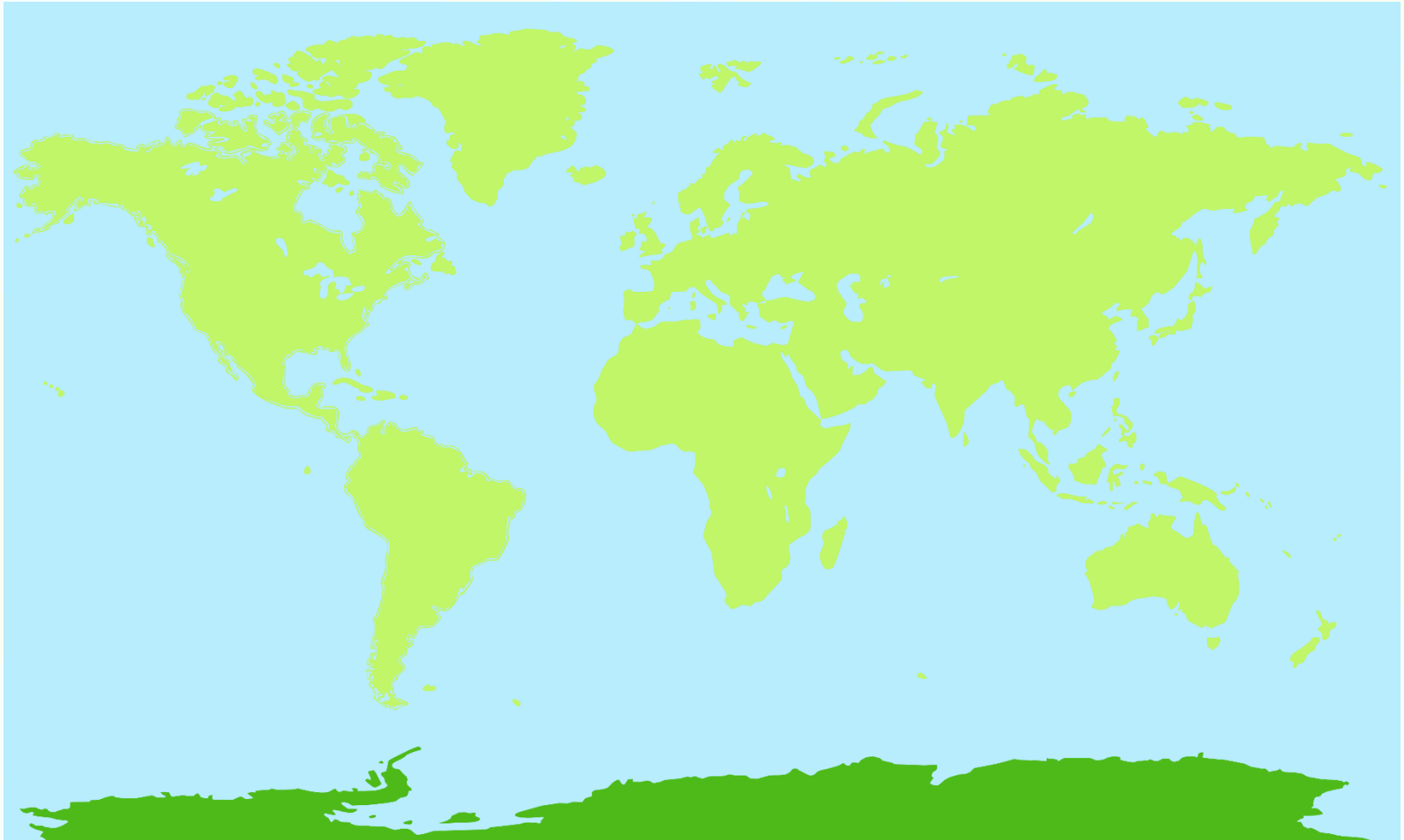
Machu Picchu



Sugarloaf Mountain

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Around Our Continents: Antarctica



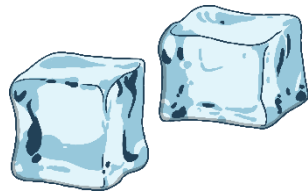
Around Our Continents: Antarctica



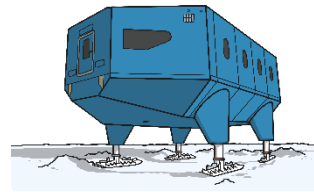
Antarctica is the highest, driest, windiest, emptiest, coldest place on earth. Brrrrrrrrr!



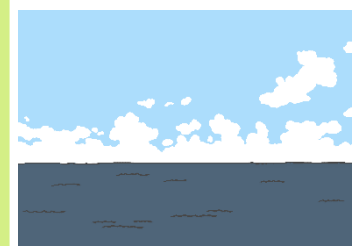
Antarctica is known as the 'frozen continent'.



Antarctica has no cities or villages! The only settlements that exist are 'research bases' where Scientists go and research what the Antarctic is like!



The size of Antarctica keeps changing! It is bigger in winter than in summer because of large amount of sea ice that forms!



Around Our Continents: Antarctica



Antarctica



Ice Caps



Penguins



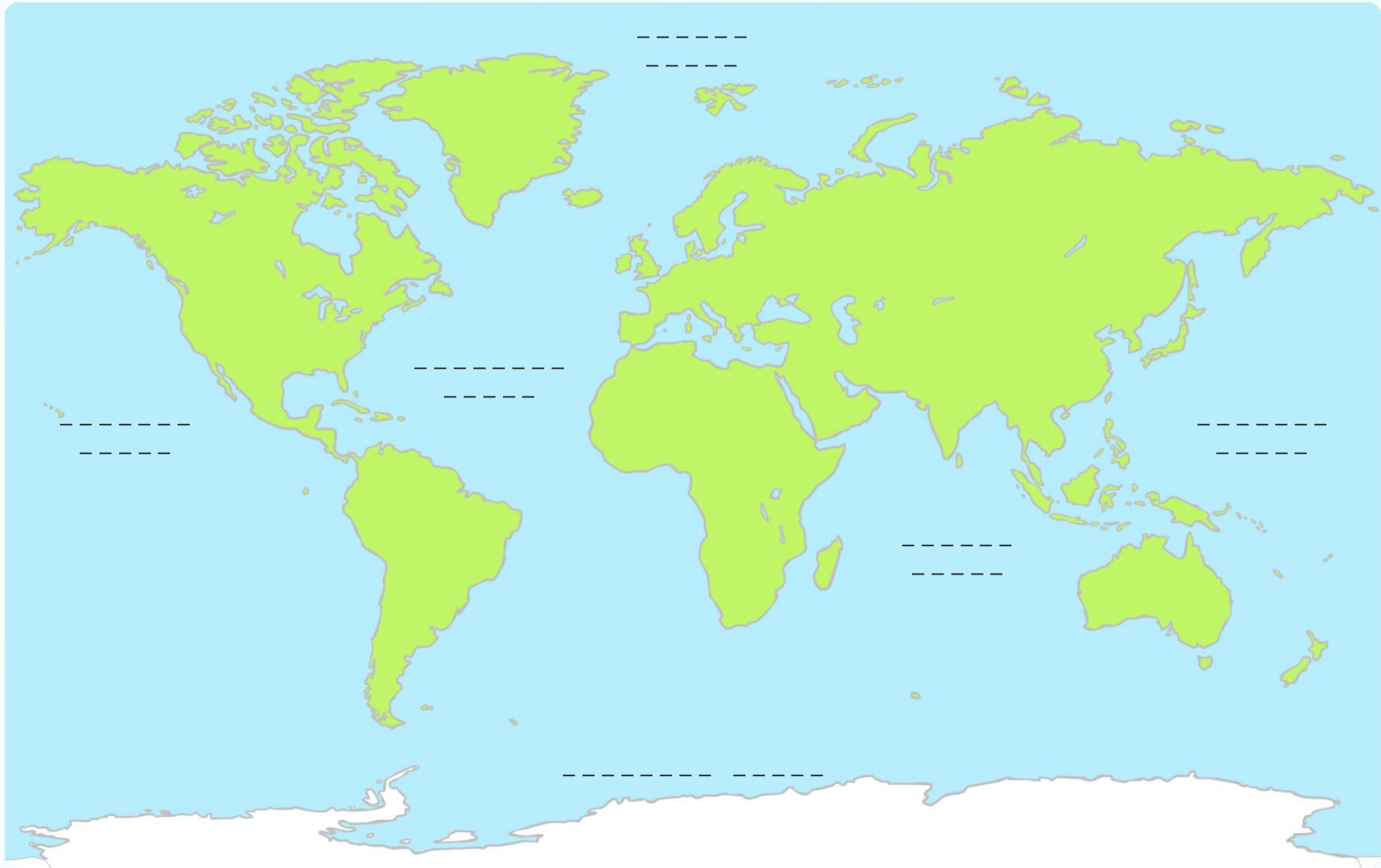
Research Bases

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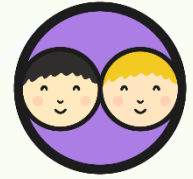
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The Major Oceans



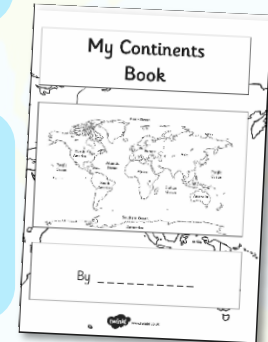
Research It!



Try to find 2-3 facts for each continent if you can.

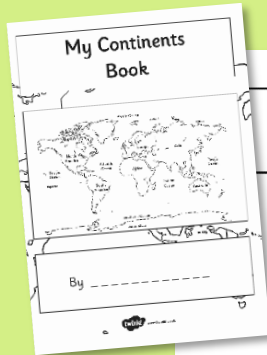


Use the Internet to find out interesting facts and information about the 7 continents of the world.



You will record your facts in a handy mini-book all about the world.

My Continents Book



Africa



South America