

Finn's Global Explorer Fact-File

Learning objective: To identify and describe the location of the world's seven continents and five oceans.

Join Finn the dolphin on a world tour! Use your geography atlas or classroom resources to research the continents and oceans. Fill in the boxes below to build your own explorer's guide. Be sure to use clear, accurate geographical language.

Word bank: continent · ocean · equator · hemisphere · longitude · latitude · Arctic · Southern · Pacific · Atlantic · Indian

1. Continent Spotlight: Choose one continent. Name it and describe its location in relation to the equator or other continents. (2 marks)

2. Ocean Exploration: Choose one of the five oceans. Explain how it is important to the world's climate or global trade. (2 marks)

3. The Big Picture: What is the main difference between a continent and an ocean? Use your own words. (2 marks)

4. Mapping Challenge: If you were to travel from the United Kingdom to Australia, which oceans might you travel across or near? (2 marks)

5. Explorer's Fact: Find one interesting geographical fact about a continent of your choice (e.g. its size, climate, or a famous mountain range). (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Research which continent is the largest by land area and which ocean is the deepest. Write your findings on the back of this sheet.