

Finn's South American Expedition Quiz

Learning objective: To identify key geographical features, countries, and climates of South America.

Help Finn the dolphin map out his latest journey! Answer these 10 questions to show what you know about the continent of South America.

Answer Key: 1. B (12), 2. False, 3. Andes, 4. B (Amazon), 5. True, 6. Atlantic, 7. C (Brazil), 8. True, 9. Pacific, 10. Equator.

Word bank: Amazon · Andes · Equator · Brazil · Pacific · Atlantic · continent · rainforest

1. 1. How many countries are there in South America? A) 10, B) 12*, C) 15, D) 20 (1 mark)

2. 2. True or False: South America is the smallest continent in the world. (1 mark)

3. 3. What is the name of the longest mountain range that runs down the western side of South America? (1 mark)

4. 4. Which famous river flows through the largest rainforest on Earth? A) Nile, B) Amazon*, C) Thames, D) Mississippi (1 mark)

5. 5. True or False: The Amazon Rainforest produces a large amount of the world's oxygen. (1 mark)

6. 6. Which ocean lies to the east of South America? (1 mark)

7. 7. Which is the largest country in South America by land area? A) Peru, B) Chile, C) Brazil*, D) Argentina (1 mark)

8. 8. True or False: South America is located entirely in the Southern Hemisphere. (1 mark)

9. 9. Which ocean lies to the west of South America? (1 mark)

10. 10. What imaginary line passes through the northern part of South America, making it very hot and humid? (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a map of South America and include a label for the Amazon River and the Andes Mountains. Don't forget to draw Finn the dolphin swimming in the ocean nearby!



Extension challenge: Imagine you are an explorer like Finn. Write a short diary entry (3–4 sentences) describing one thing you might see if you visited the Amazon Rainforest.