

Finn's African Adventure Quiz

Learning objective: To identify and understand key geographical features, biomes, and countries within the continent of Africa.

Join Finn the dolphin on a globe-trotting journey! Read each question carefully and circle the best answer. Good luck, explorer!

Answer Key: 1. A (Continent), 2. True, 3. Nile, 4. B (Sahara), 5. False (It is in Tanzania), 6. Equator, 7. C (Savanna), 8. True, 9. Atlas Mountains, 10. B (54).

Word bank: Sahara · Savanna · Nile · Equator · Mount Kilimanjaro · Continent · Atlas Mountains

1. 1. Is Africa a country or a continent? A) Continent* B) Country C) Island D) Peninsula (1 mark)

2. 2. True or False: The Sahara Desert is the largest hot desert in the world. (1 mark)

3. 3. What is the name of the longest river in Africa, which flows north into the Mediterranean Sea? (1 mark)

4. 4. Which of these is a famous desert found in Northern Africa? A) Gobi B) Sahara* C) Kalahari D) Thar (1 mark)

5. 5. True or False: Mount Kilimanjaro is located in the country of Egypt. (1 mark)

6. 6. Which imaginary line of latitude runs directly through the center of Africa? (1 mark)

7. 7. Which biome is a vast, grassy plain with few trees? A) Rainforest B) Tundra C) Savanna* D) Taiga (1 mark)

8. 8. True or False: Africa is home to the world's largest land animal, the African Elephant. (1 mark)

9. 9. Which mountain range is located in the north-west of Africa, stretching across Morocco, Algeria, and Tunisia? (1 mark)

10. 10. Approximately how many countries are there in Africa? A) 20 B) 54* C) 100 D) 10 (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a map of Africa and label the Sahara Desert in the north and a Savanna region further south. Add a picture of Finn the dolphin swimming in the ocean nearby!



Extension challenge: Greater Depth Challenges: 1. Explain why the climate in the Sahara Desert is different from the climate in the Congo Rainforest. 2. Compare and contrast the physical geography of Northern Africa and Southern Africa. 3. Justify why the Nile River has been essential to human settlement for thousands of years. 4. What might happen if the savanna grasslands were to disappear? 5. Research one African country and create a travel brochure explaining its unique landmarks. 6. If you were planning a trip across the continent, which three physical features would you most like to visit and why?