

Finn's European Adventure

Learning objective: To identify and describe key geographical features of the continent of Europe.

Read the story about Finn the dolphin. Use the word bank to help you answer the questions. Use full sentences.

Finn the dolphin loves to swim and explore. One day, he decided to visit Europe. Europe is a large continent. It has many different countries, languages, and climates. In the north, it is often cold and snowy. In the south, it is warm and sunny near the Mediterranean Sea. Finn swam through big rivers like the Danube and the Volga. He saw tall, snowy mountains called the Alps. These mountains are very famous. Finn also saw many busy cities full of old buildings and parks. He met lots of people who were happy to see him. Europe is a special place because it has so many different landscapes in one area. Finn learned that you do not need to go far to see something new. Whether it is a quiet forest or a bustling city, Europe is full of surprises. Finn cannot wait to travel there again to see what else he can find.

Word bank: Europe · continent · mountains · ocean · rivers · travel

1. What is the name of the continent Finn visited in the story? (1 mark)

2. Name one of the big rivers that Finn swam through. (1 mark)

3. Why is the south of Europe warmer than the north? (2 marks)

4. What does the text suggest about the landscape of Europe? (2 marks)

5. If you could visit Europe, would you rather go to a busy city or the snowy mountains? Why? (2 marks)

Draw: Draw a picture of Finn the dolphin swimming past the tall, snowy mountains of the Alps.



Extension challenge: Find a map of Europe. Can you name three countries that are in Europe?