

Year 1 - Africa



How is Kenya in Africa similar and different from England?

Key Vocabulary	
country	A nation with its own government.
continent	A large land mass, usually made up of a group of countries.
compass	A device that shows direction – North, East, South or West.
capital	A city that functions as the seat of the government – usually very well populated.
culture	The ideas, customs and behaviour of a group of people.
Kenya	A country in the continent of Africa.
Maasai tribe	A tribe that lives in Northern, Central and Southern Kenya.
Nairobi	The capital and largest city in Kenya.

What I should already know
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ We live in England which is in the UK.
Powerful knowledge
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ A compass can have 4 points – North, East, South and West. <p>Continents of the world include Asia, Europe, Africa, South America, North America, Oceania/ Australasia, Antarctica. The arctic is not a continent because there is no land, only sea ice.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The most popular reserve in Kenya is the Maasai Mara National Reserve, which can be found in the south west of the country. It is named in honour of the Maasai tribe who live in the area. ○ Nairobi is the capital city of Kenya. ○ The Maasai people traditionally live in huts made by the Maasai women. They are made from mud, sticks, grass and cow dung. ○ Many Maasai people own large herds of cows, goats and sheep.

