Congratulations

you've arrived in Australia at the Great Barrier Reef

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Miles to last/next destinations

Japan	769
South Africa	7520

Walking time (Days) to next destination

106

Australia
Great Barrier Reef

- The Great Barrier Reef is the largest coral reef system in the world
- Around 1,616 miles in length
- Astronauts can see the Great Barrier Reef from space
- It is relatively young being a mere 500,000 years old

Australia

Great Barrier Reef

Can you name some animals that live in the Great Barrier Reef?



Australia

Great Barrier Reef

- *More than 1,500 species of fish*
- *411 types of hard coral, one-third of the world's soft corals*
- *134 species of sharks and rays*
- *Six species of sea turtles*
- *More than 30 species of marine mammals, including the dugong.*



Congratulations

you've arrived in Brazil at Christ the Redeemer

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Miles to last/next destinations

South Africa	3760
Chile	4100

Walking time (Days) to next destination

57

Brazil
Christ the Redeemer

- Christ the Redeemer is a statue in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil at the top of Mount Corcovado, that was built as a symbol of Brazilian Christianity
- It is the largest Art Deco statue in the world. It is 98 feet tall, and the arms stretch to 92 feet wide
- Due to the statue's mountaintop position, it gets hit by lightning up to six times a year

Brazil
Christ the Redeemer

What other extreme weather can you think of?



Brazil
Christ the Redeemer

High winds
Hail
Wildfires
Thunderstorms
Dust storm
Tornadoes
Typhoon



Congratulations

you've arrived in Canada at Niagara Falls

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Miles to last/next destinations

USA	1460
Greenland	2320

Walking time (Days) to next destination

30

Canada
Niagra Falls

- The Niagara Falls are made up of 3 waterfalls, the American Falls, the Bridal Veil Falls and the Horseshoe Falls. They combine to produce the highest flow rate of any waterfall on earth
- The Niagara Falls are located on the border of Ontario, Canada and New York, USA
- On October 24 1901, Annie Edson Taylor was the first person to survive a trip over Niagara Falls in a barrel

Canada
Niagra Falls

Can you name any other waterfalls in the world?



Canada
Niagra Falls

Angel falls – Venezuel

Victoria falls – Zambia

Iguazu falls – Argentina

Gullfoff falls – Iceland

Plitvice falls – Croatia



Congratulations

you've arrived in Chile at Easter Island

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Miles to last/next destinations

Brazil	4100
USA	4915

Walking time (Days) to next destination

66

Chile
Easter Island

- Easter Island, also called Rapa Nui, is a Polynesian Island in the Pacific Ocean
- Easter Island is famous for having 887 massive statues, called Moai, which were sculpted and erected by the early Rapa Nui people. Sometimes called the Easter Island Heads
- It is one of the most remote communities in the world but they speak Spanish!

Chile
Easter Island

Can you name any other countries that speak a different language to us?



Chile
Easter Island

Spain - Spanish

Russia - Russian

Netherlands - Dutch

China - Mandarin

There are roughly 6,500 languages spoken in the world today.



Congratulations

you've arrived in China at the Great Wall of China

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Miles to last/next destinations

India	2370
Japan	961

Walking time (Days) to next destination

14

China
Great Wall of China

- It was built to protect against attacks and invasions from the north
- The Great Wall of China stretches around 22,000 kilometres (13,670 miles) in total. It is the longest structure ever built by humans
- The wall is actually not a continuous line. It has spurs going in different directions, and breaks where mountains or lakes offer protection

China

Great Wall of China

Why do you think the great wall is so long?



China

Great Wall of China

To protect the Chinese Empire from invaders.



Congratulations

you've arrived in Egypt
at the Pyramids of Giza

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Miles to last/next destinations

Russia	2520
India	3640

Walking time (Days) to next destination

50

Egypt
Pyramids of Giza

- The Great Pyramid of Giza was built more than 5,000 years ago for the Pharaoh named Khufu
- The pyramid stands 451 feet high, 755 feet long and is made of more than two million stone blocks that weigh two thousand pounds each
- Nearly all Egyptian Pyramids are located on the west bank of the Nile

Egypt
Pyramids of Giza

Can you name any other famous rivers?



Egypt
Pyramids of Giza

Ganges
Amazon
Thames
Mississippi

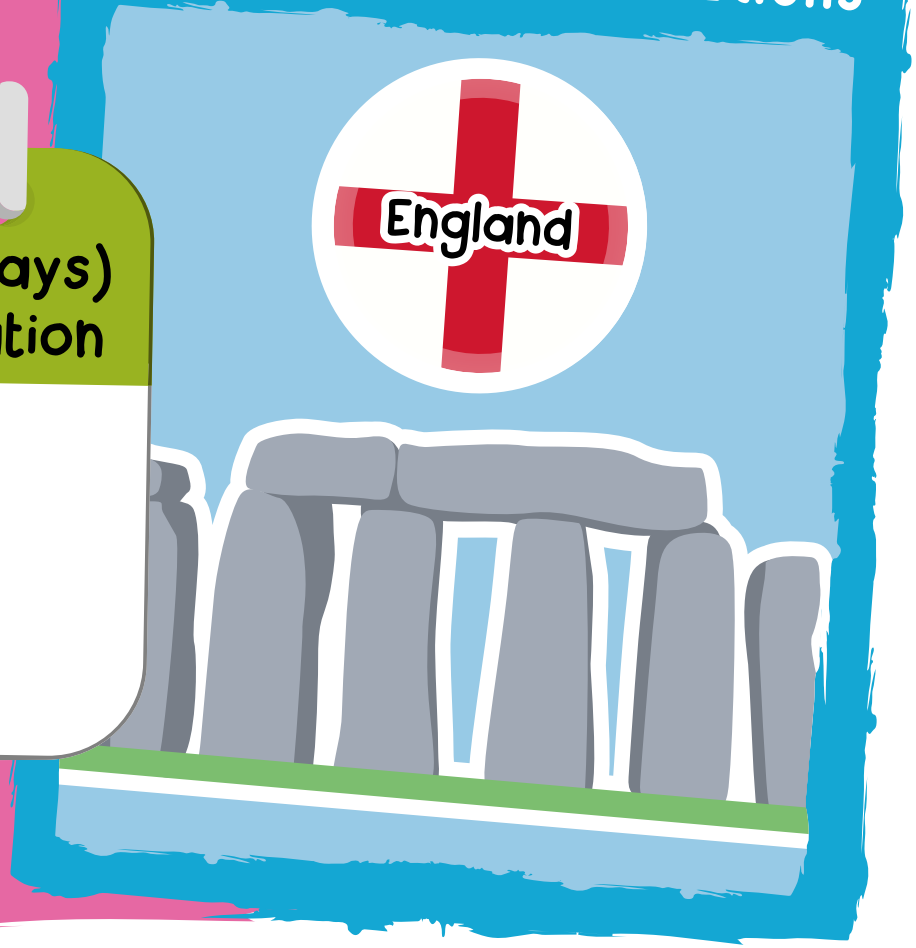


Congratulations

you've arrived in England at Stonehenge

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Miles to last/next destinations

Greenland	1885
France	275

Walking time (Days) to next destination

3

England
Stonehenge

- Found on England's Salisbury Plain in Wiltshire around 1,500BC, Stonehenge is a huge man-made circle of standing stones
- Work started on this super stone circle around 5,000 years ago in the late Neolithic Age – but it took over 1,000 years to build, in four long stages!
- A legend claimed giants placed the monument on a mountain in Ireland, before a wizard named Merlin magically moved the stone circle to England

England

Stonehenge

How do you think they built it?



England
Stonehenge

A ditch was dug with simple tools, the chalk piled up to make an inner and an outer bank. Within the ditch was a ring of 56 timber and stone posts.

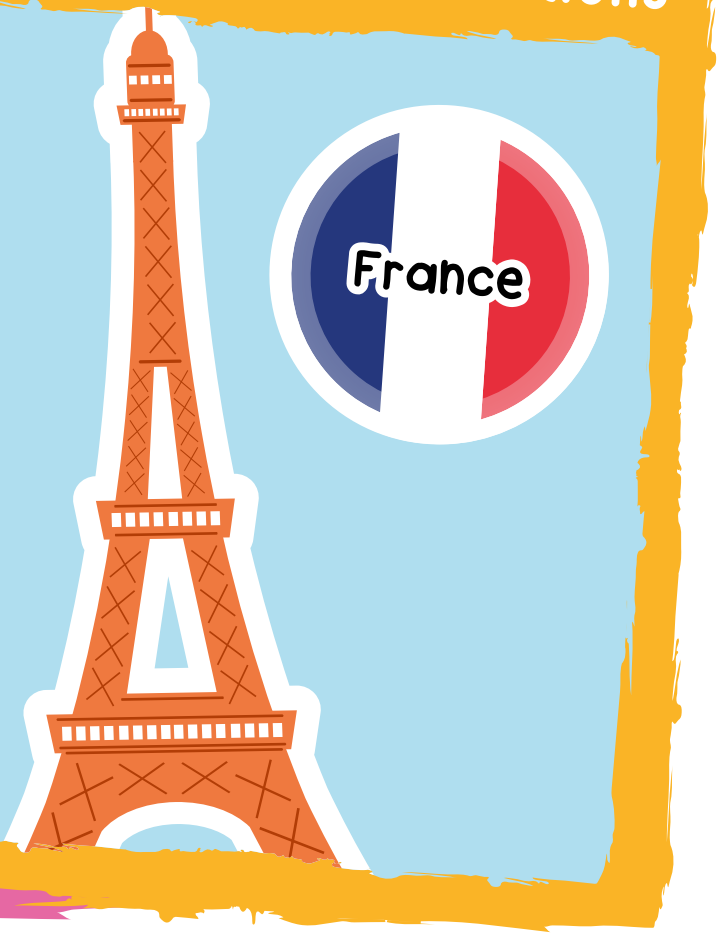


Congratulations

you've arrived in France at the Eiffel Tower

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Miles to last/next destinations

England	275
Italy	830

Walking time (Days) to next destination

11

France
Eiffel Tower

- The company that built the tower was called Gustave Eiffel, and that's how it gets its name
- The Eiffel Tower is 320 metres (1,050 feet) in height and is made of iron weighing around 10,000 tonnes
- The tower isn't always the same height, though. During cold weather, the tower shrinks and is six inches shorter!

France
Eiffel Tower

Why do you think it shrinks?



France

Eiffel Tower

Due to heat and cold, the metal expands and shrink, and the highest growth has been 18 cm during the summer. It expands when it gets warmer and shrinks in cold temperatures.



Congratulations

you've arrived in Greenland, home of the Vikings

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Miles to last/next destinations

CANADA	2320
ENGLAND	1885

Walking time (Days) to next destination

24



Greenland Vikings

- The name ‘Viking’ means ‘a pirate raid’ in the Old Norse language
- The Vikings travelled from their homeland (Scandinavia) to raid and colonise the British Isles, Iceland, parts of Greenland, the Frankish Empire (France), parts of Italy, as well as other areas in Europe
- Among the many gods Vikings believed in were Thor, the god of thunder, and Loki, a cheeky mischiefmaker who could shape-shift to become all different kinds of animals

Greenland Vikings

How do you think the Vikings travelled from their homeland to other countries?



Greenland Vikings

The ships of the Vikings were the key to their success. The longships are the most well known to transport troops, they were able to navigate in shallow waters. Their long, narrow shape made them quick in water, but also meant a very limited space for cargo.



Congratulations

you've arrived in India at the Taj Mahal

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Miles to last/next destinations

Egypt	3640
China	2370

Walking time (Days) to next destination

30

India
Taj Mahal

- The Taj Mahal is a famous mausoleum in India. The name Taj Mahal means ‘crown of palaces’
- A mausoleum is a building that contains burial chambers (tombs) for the deceased, they can be large or small and are often created in honour of influential people
- It is also one of the Seven Wonders of the World because of its immense beauty

India

Taj Mahal

Can you name the other 7 wonders of the world?



India
Taj Mahal

The wonders on the destinations map are

1. *Great wall of China*
2. *Roman Colosseum*
3. *Pyramids of Giza*
4. *Christ the Redeemer*

The others are;

1. *Chichen Itza – Mexico*
2. *Machu Picchu – Peru*
3. *Petra - Jordan*



Congratulations

you've arrived in Italy at the Colosseum

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Miles to last/next destinations

France	830
Russia	1750

Walking time (Days) to next destination

23

Italy
Colosseum

- The Colosseum was built of stone and concrete by tens of thousands of slaves between 72 and 80 A.D.
- The Colosseum is the largest amphitheatre (meaning ‘theatre in the round’) in the world! Oval in shape, it measures 189m long, 156m wide and 50m high
- The Colosseum was used for gladiatorial contests and public spectacles such as animal hunts, mock sea battles, re-enactments of famous battles, executions and dramas

Italy
Colosseum

Where might you go today to watch a play/drama?



Italy
Colosseum

Theatre
Ampitheater
Park



Congratulations

you've arrived in Japan at Itsukushima Shrine

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Miles to last/next destinations

China	961
Australia	3769

Walking time (Days) to next destination

53

Japan
Itsukushima Shrine

- The name Itsukushima literally means ‘island of worship’ and from ancient times the island itself was worshipped as a god
- The shrine, and the Torii Gate, are built over water. During high tide, the Torii Gate and the shrine seem to be floating in the water
- A Torii is a traditional Japanese gate most commonly found at the entrance of or within a Shinto shrine, where it symbolically marks the transition from the mundane to the sacred

Japan
Itsukushima Shrine

What other places might you go to worship?



Japan
Itsukushima Shrine

Temple
Mosque
Church
Gurdwara
Synagogue



Congratulations

you've arrived in Russia at the Kremlin

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Miles to last/next destinations

Italy	1750
Egypt	2520

Walking time (Days) to next destination

33

Russia
Kremlin

- The Kremlin sits on Borovitsky Hill, rising above the Moscow River – and is still the official residence of the president of the Russian Federation
- The Kremlin is home to five palaces and four cathedrals which makes it the largest active fortress in Europe
- It also hosts the world's largest bell, the Tsar Bell. It has never rung because it was broken during the construction

Russia
Kremlin

Can you think of any other famous presidential houses?



Russia
Kremlin

Whitehouse - USA

Some are called head of state's

Cumhurbaşkanlığı Sarayı in Turkey is the world's largest Presidential Palace



Congratulations

you've arrived in South Africa at Table mountain

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Miles to last/next destinations

Australia	7520
Brazil	3760

Walking time (Days) to next destination

106

South Africa
Table mountain

- The top of Table Mountain is flat and is named this way as some say it looks like ‘a table’. The flat top is approximately 2 miles from one side to the other
- This mountain is more than 260 million years old and is thought to be one of the oldest in the world
- Standing at approximately 1,085 meters it only takes about 2 hours to hike to the top

South Africa

Table mountain

Can you name any other famous mountains?



South Africa
Table mountain

Everest
Fuji
Kilimanjaro

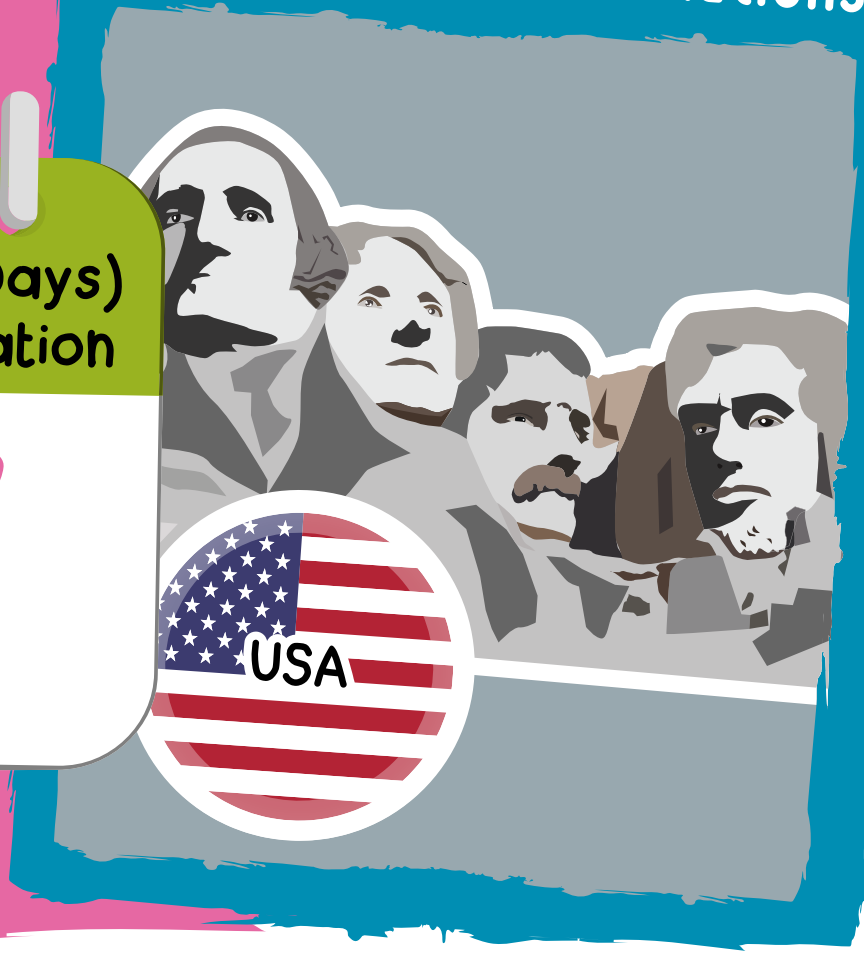


Congratulations

you've arrived in the USA at Mount Rushmore

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Miles to last/next destinations

Chile	4915
Canada	1460

Walking time (Days) to next destination

17

USA
Mount Rushmore

- Mount Rushmore National Memorial is a sculpture carved into the side of Mount Rushmore in the Black Hills of South Dakota, USA
- The Memorial depicts 4 American Presidents: George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt, and Abraham Lincoln
- Over 400 workers helped to sculpt Mount Rushmore, climbing 506 steps to its top each day

USA

Mount Rushmore

What tools do you think the workers used to build this memorial into the side of the mountain?



USA
Mount Rushmore

The carving of Mount Rushmore involved the use of dynamite, followed by the process of "honeycombing", a process where workers drill holes close together, allowing small pieces to be removed by hand.

