

# AMAZING AFRICA

During this topic, we will be focussing on world geography and learning the 7 continents and 5 oceans. We will be specifically looking at the continent of Africa and researching some of its countries. Our Science topic is Living things and their habitats. Our Art project will be making African style clay pots and our DT project will be making a traditional Moroccan salad.

## Key Vocabulary:

### Geography:

continent, country, population, desert, savanna, rainforest, mountain, lake, river, ocean, sea, city, farming, human, physical, north, south, east, west, equator, climate, weather, languages, jobs, rural, urban

### Art:

cut, roll, coil, clay, pottery



### Science:

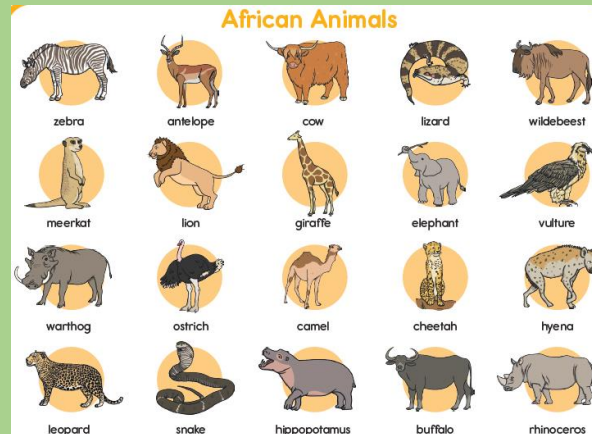
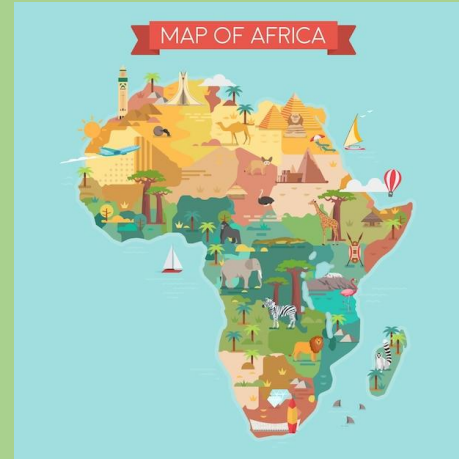
animals, carnivore, adaptation, herbivore, food chain, features, suited, living, alive, omnivore, nutrition, human, dead, reproduction, movement, microhabitat, habitat, respiration, growth, conditions, plants, sensitivity, survive, ocean, woodland, forest, jungle, savanna, desert, mountain



**Dahl Class Year 1/2: Topic 3**  
*Homework tasks due by 2<sup>nd</sup> May*

## Homework tasks:

- 1) Choose 5 different countries, research their climate and draw the outfit you may wear if you were there.
- 2) Create a fact file for each continent.
- 3) Draw your own map of Africa.
- 4) Keep a weather diary for one week and compare this with a weather forecast from an African country.
- 5) Create your own continents and oceans quiz.
- 6) Research an African country and then draw/paint/collage their flag.
- 7) Create a set of African animal top trumps.
- 8) Design and create your own bug hotel.
- 9) Explore your garden or local park and draw a picture of any animals or mini beasts you find.
- 10) Can you find an African country for every letter of the alphabet?



## Key questions:

### Geography:

- Can you name the seven continents?
- Can you name the five oceans?
- Can you point to Africa on a world map?
- Can you name a country in Africa?
- Can you explain what the equator is?

### Art:

- Can you name an African artist?
- Can you explain how to make a clay pot?

### Science:

- What habitats and animals can you find in your garden or at school?
- Where does all food come from?
- What is a food chain?
- What animals can you find in Africa?