

Countries and Continents



Objective

Link countries to their continents.



Equipment

- Enrich School Orienteering Map
- Orienteering Control Markers
- Activity Sheets
- Atlas (optional)



Preparation

- Children should have been introduced to the continents and larger countries prior to doing this activity.
- Children could do the activity in small groups or pairs.
- Provide each pair/group with an Activity Sheet and an Enrich School Orienteering Map.
- Children could use an atlas whilst completing this activity (optional)



Instructions

- Children use their Enrich School Orienteering Map to locate the control points identified on their Activity Sheet.
- Each control point is linked to one of the continents. When children visit the control point, they must select the countries that are in that continent from the table in their Activity Sheet. They identify them by writing the specified number from the control marker for that control point (3rd number) next to each of the countries.
- They continue until they have visited all the control points and linked all the countries in the table with a continent.



Other information

- As a follow-on activity, children could use their atlases to look for other other countries in each continent.
- Activity Sheets could be laminated so that they can be used multiple times.

Answers:

Europe: Germany, France

North America: USA, Canada

South America: Brazil, Argentina

Asia: Japan, China

Africa: Nigeria, Egypt

Australasia/Oceania: Australia, New Zealand

