

# Orienteering Quiz - Deserts



## Objective

Develop children's knowledge about deserts.



## Equipment

- Activity Sheets
- Enrich School Orienteering Maps.
- Orienteering Control Markers
- Answer Sheet



## Preparation

- Children should have been introduced to deserts prior to this activity.
- Children could do the activity in pairs or small groups.
- Provide each pair/group with an Activity Sheet and an Enrich School Orienteering Map.
- Explain to the children how to carry out the activity.



## Instructions

- The Activity Sheet has a set of questions on deserts, each of which has three possible answers to choose from.
- At the starting point, each team chooses one of their questions and ticks against what they decide is the correct answer. (The teacher makes sure that they have ticked against an answer for the question before running to check their answer.)
- Using their orienteering map, they then check the answer by running to the control point for that question. **The 2nd number from the control marker is next to the correct answer.**
- They then run back to the starting point.
- They then decide on the answer for the next question and run to the control point to check their answer – and so on.



## Other information

- As a follow up activity, children could use the facts they have collected to write a report on deserts.

