



Week
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TOURISM

S2 Geography

AT HOME LEARNING

MAY JUNE 2020

Tourism Unit – for at home learning May June 2020



Learning Intentions

- To understand why Tourism across the world has increased over the last 50 years
- To understand the positive and negative impacts of Tourism
- To learn about Eco Tourism and Sustainable Tourism
- To learn about different countries around the world
- To increase my general knowledge of different parts of the world
- To help plan imaginary trips around the world

Round the World Trips!



While going on holidays to one place at a time can be relaxing, exciting and interesting; many people have enjoyed the benefits of a longer trip travelling across many countries even all the way around the world!

In the future you may get the opportunity to travel for an extended period of time.

There are many television shows about round the world travel that may inspire you. We have put some of them in a playlist for you on clickview and a link to bbc iplayer.



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/m0002tvs/race-across-the-world>

<https://clickv.ie/w/yCam>

Planning an across the world trip!

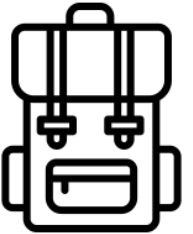
RACE ACROSS THE
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We would like you to plan a journey across the world.

Taking inspiration from the BBC show 'Race Across the World' – In series 1 they travelled from London to Singapore. In Series 2 they travelled from Mexico City to Ushuaia.

They were travelling on a very low budget and couldn't use air travel – they were racing so didn't get to explore all the places they travelled past. Your plan should try to include as many 'unmissable' travel sites as you can.



Plan your 'across the world' Trip.



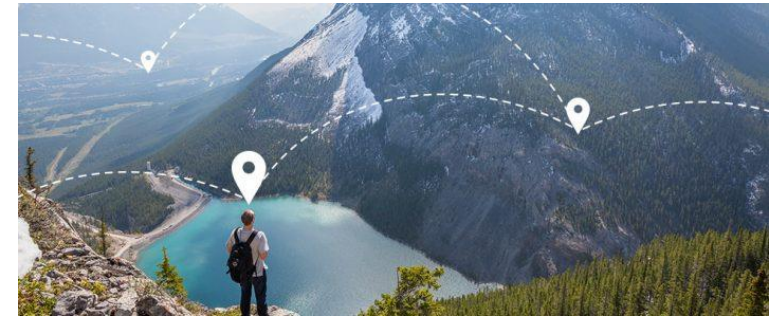
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2. List the countries you will travel through to get from you start and end point
3. For the countries on your list gather information about each one- for example.....

- Their flag
- Total population
- Capital city
- Places of interest to visit
- Famous food

- Currency
- Unmissable sites to see
- Life expectancy in the country
- Is it safe? Are there any reasons tourism isn't advised in the country?



If you can - print or draw a map and label your route and label all the countries on the route.



Example journey 1 – Paris to Singapore.



Example Country Profile

THAILAND



Population - 67.2 million

Capital – Bangkok

Currency – Thai Baht

Life expectancy – 76 years

GDP per Capita – \$7237

Places of Interest – Bangkok city has lots to offer – The Grand Palace, Temples, famous streets such as Khaosan Road. There are many beautiful beaches in Thailand eg Pa Tong, Ko Pha Ngan and Phang Nga Bay

Famous Food to try in Thailand

Phat Thai



Khao Phat



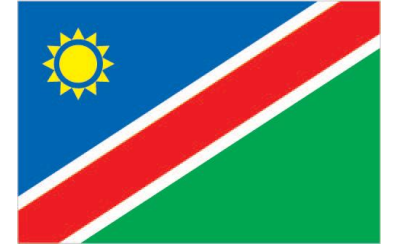
Your route can go anywhere in the world – But try to design a route that includes at least 6 countries. This one includes 19!



Example journey 2 – Edinburgh to Cape Town.

Example Country Profile 2

NAMIBIA



Population – 2.6 Million

Capital – Windhoek

Currency – South Africa Rand and Namibian Dollar

Life expectancy – 63 years

GDP per Capita – 5,900 US \$

Places of Interest – Capital city of Windhoek, Stunning sand dunes, Safari adventures and opportunities to see lots of wildlife for example cheetahs. Elephants and Giraffe in National Parks eg Elosha National Park



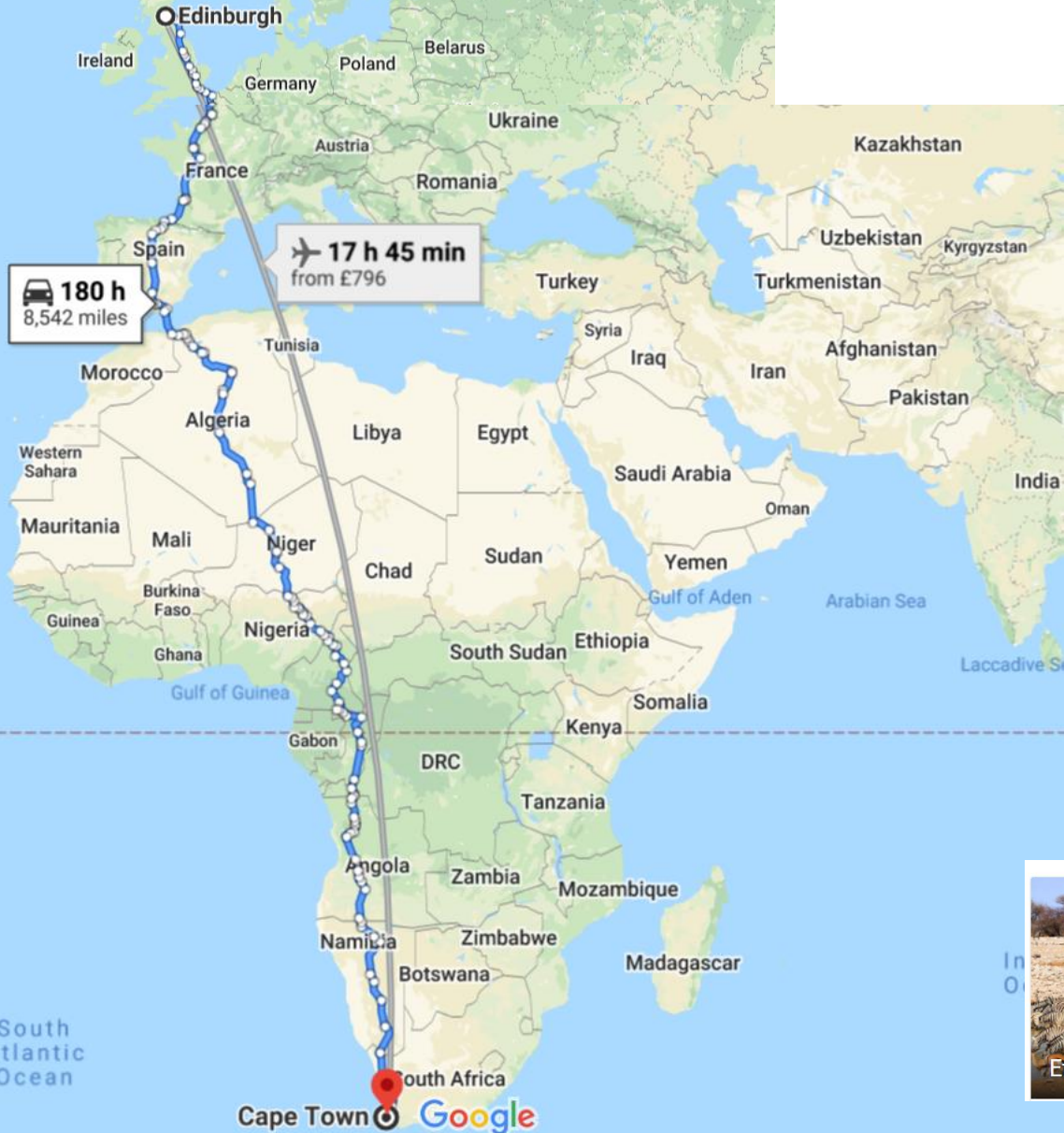
Etosha National Park



Windhoek



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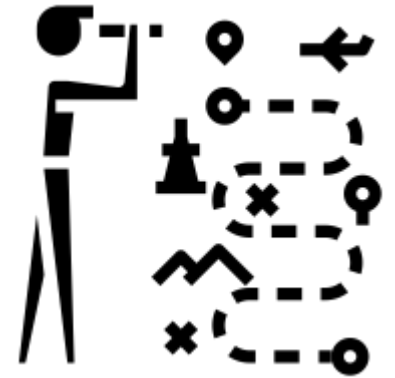
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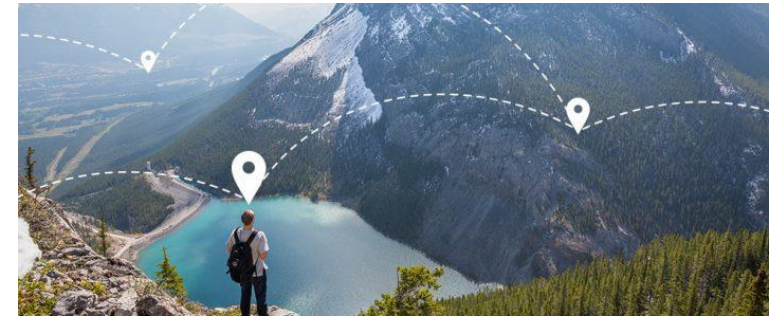
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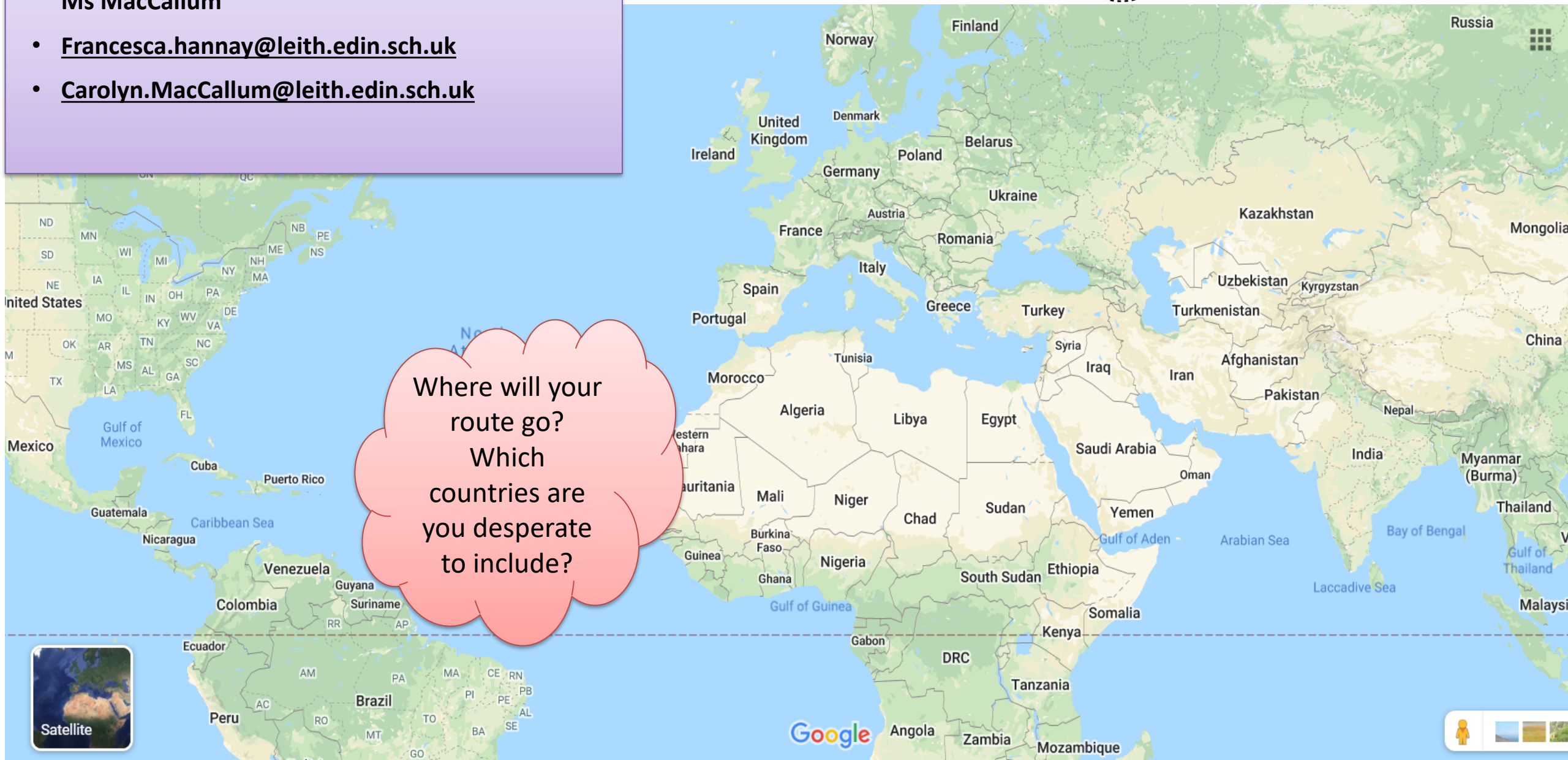
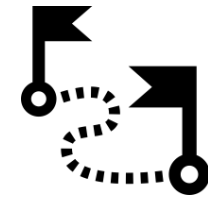
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- We would love to see your finished Journey across the world plan and country profiles. –
- Please send us a copy or photo to Mrs Hannay or Ms MacCallum
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- Carolyn.MacCallum@leith.edin.sch.uk



Where will your route go?
Which countries are you desperate to include?

