

World: Physical

Physical maps represent the natural landscape of the earth. They show the earth's relief—mountains, rivers, valleys, and plains—and other physical features. Use maps to locate the physical features listed below. Then label them on the accompanying outline map.

Bodies of Water

- Arctic Ocean
- Atlantic Ocean
- Indian Ocean
- Pacific Ocean
- Mediterranean Sea
- Black Sea

Continents

- Antarctica
- Africa
- Asia
- Australia
- Europe
- North America
- South America

Grid Lines

- Arctic Circle
- Antarctic Circle
- Equator
- Prime Meridian
- Tropic of Cancer
- Tropic of Capricorn

Mountains

- Andes Mountains
- Alps
- Appalachian Mountains
- Himalayas
- Rocky Mountains
- Ural Mountains

Rivers

- Amazon River
- Chang (Yangtze)
- Congo River
- Danube
- Euphrates River
- Ganges River
- Huang He
- Mississippi River
- Nile River
- Tigris River

Islands

- Greenland
- Madagascar

After labeling your map, ***color each of the continents a different color.***

Use your map to answer the following questions.

1. Which mountain range acts as a boundary between the continents of Europe and Asia?
2. Which crumpled mountain range formed when plate containing the Indian subcontinent bumped into the continent of Asia?
3. Which imaginary line of latitude divides the earth's Northern and Southern hemispheres?
4. In which two hemispheres can North America be found?
5. What body of water does the Nile empty into?
6. What large island is located off the eastern coast of Africa?