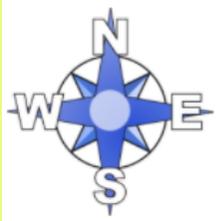




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## Key Vocabulary

<b>Human features</b>	A feature added by humans— roads, buildings etc
<b>Physical feature</b>	A feature formed by nature— cliff, river etc
<b>Continent</b>	One of 7 very large land areas of the world
<b>Ocean</b>	A very large sea
<b>Equator</b>	An imaginary line around the middle of the world
<b>Hemisphere</b>	Northern hemisphere -area North of the equator. Southern hemisphere—area south of the equator
<b>Climate</b>	
<b>Compass</b>	A compass gives us 4 main directions, <b>North, South, East and West.</b>



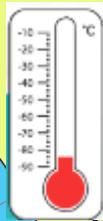
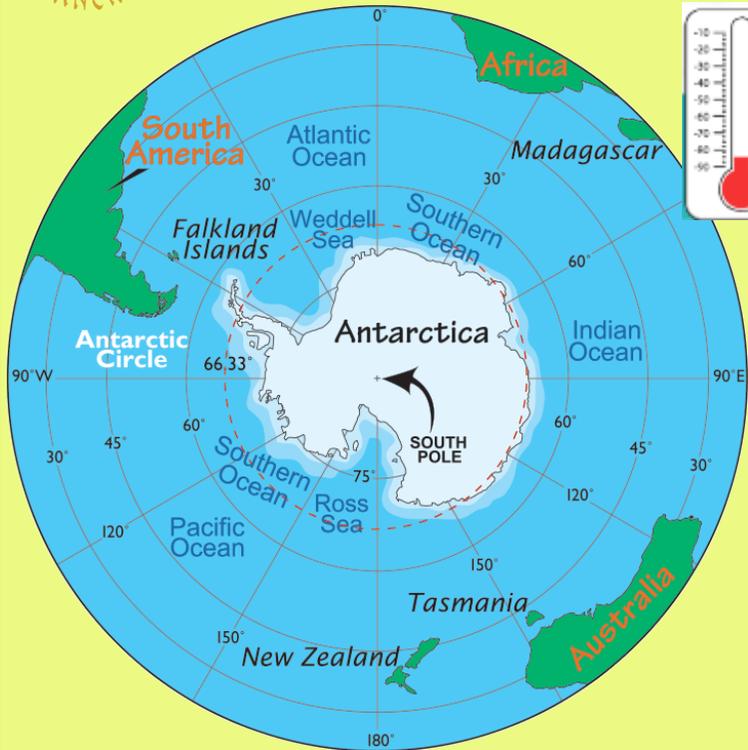
**The World**  
**There are 7 continents around the world**  
**There are 5 oceans around the world.**

<b>Continents</b>	<b>North America, South America, Africa, Europe, Asia, Antarctica, Australasia</b>
<b>Oceans</b>	<b>Southern Ocean, Pacific Ocean, Indian Ocean, Atlantic Ocean, Arctic Ocean.</b>



**The Arctic region is around the North Pole**  
**The Antarctic region is around the South Pole.**  
 There are on **opposite sides** of the world  
 These areas are some of the coldest places in the world.

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## Antarctica facts:

Antarctica is the coldest place on earth. The average temperature is -10C but the coldest temperature ever recorded was -82C

No one lives permanently in Antarctica except for scientists who study it.

Antarctica has 90% of the worlds ice and 90% of the worlds fresh water

Antarctica is made up of large ice sheets. It is actually an ice desert as there is very little moisture in the air



## Animals on Antarctica

There are some animals that live on Antarctica and in the oceans around it. Emperor penguins are the largest penguins and can be as tall as 1 meter. Seals and Orca's (killer whales) live in the ocean and birds such as albatrosses next on the coasts.



## Explorers of Antarctica

Ernest Shackleton was an Irish explorer who wanted to be the first person to reach the South pole. Although he made several trips, he didn't reach it. However he did land on Antarctica when his ship was trapped in ice and he and his crew had to stay on Antarctica for two months.

