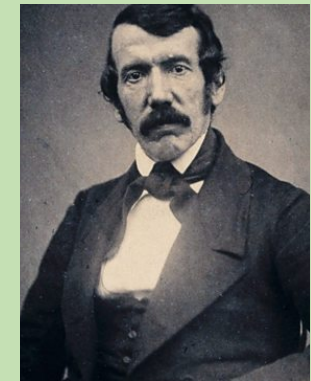


Africa

Sticky Knowledge

- Can you name and locate the African countries of Nigeria, Sudan, Egypt, Morocco, Ethiopia, Ghana, South Africa?
- The major rivers of Africa include the Nile, Congo, Lake Victoria, Niger and the Zambezi.
- The main mountains in Africa are Kilimanjaro, Table Mountain, Stanley, Kenya, Maru.
- The bordering oceans and seas around Africa are the Atlantic, Indian, Red Sea and the Mediterranean.
- The temperature and climate of Africa are different to the UK, mainly due to positions in relation to the equator and lines of latitude and longitude.
- Africa is developing as a country.
- It is the second largest continent in size and population.
- Minerals such as oil, copper, diamonds, platinum are mined there.
- Nigeria and South Africa are two of the fastest growing world economies.
- Kilimanjaro is the highest mountain in Africa.
- More than half of the continent is covered with grassland or savannah.
- The major biomes of Africa are savannah, desert and rainforest.



David Livingstone
1813-1873

An explorer in Africa and one of the most popular British heroes of the late 19th-century Victorian era.

Africa

Key Vocab

Enslavement	To cause to be a slave or to be in a condition of bondage.
Slavery	The owning of people by other people; bondage.
Transatlantic Slave Trade	A segment of the global slave trade that transported between 10 million and 12 million enslaved Africans across the Atlantic Ocean to the Americas from the 16th to the 19th century.
Colonies	A place where a group of people come to settle which is under the control of their home country.
Slave trade	Buying and selling human beings as slaves.
Triangular trade	Triangular trade is trade between three ports or regions.
British Empire	The collective name for the lands formerly ruled by the British monarch.
Plantations	A large farm or estate used for growing rubber, cotton, or other crops to sell.



Mary Kingsley
1827-1864

Victorian explorer who demystified Africa.



John Hanning Speke
1827-1864

British explorer who was the first European to reach Lake Victoria in East Africa, which he correctly identified as a source of the Nile.