



TRAVEL AND TOURISM



Welcome to Travel and Tourism

The travel and tourism team would like to wish you a warm welcome to Bury College, we are here to support you to be successful and enjoy your studies.

You have joined us at an unprecedented time for the travel and tourism industry, as it has been recently well documented, but the industry is resilient and people around the world are dreaming of travelling again.

Travel and tourism accounts for one in twelve jobs in the UK so you will be the people that will be in demand when you have completed your course.

During your course, we will support you to develop the vital skills and qualities needed to assist you in getting a job in travel and tourism or progressing onto higher education.

You can be sure of a positive future with us, as you will develop your resilience, commitment, collaboration and communication skills to prepare you for industry.

This booklet has been designed to support your transition into college in readiness for a new exciting challenge. It includes lots of useful research links, recommended reading, TV shows, websites and activities for you to complete.

Please complete as much as you can, as you will be required to show this to your tutor during your induction.

We look forward to meeting you soon.

The Travel and Tourism team.

DEVELOPING YOUR KNOWLEDGE:

ONLINE NEWS ARTICLES AND MAGAZINES:

Business Traveller <u>- https://www.businesstraveller.com/news/</u> - brilliant for up to date news stories on the World of Travel and Tourism.

Telegraph: https://www.telegraph.co.uk/travel/news/

The Guardian: https://www.theguardian.com/uk/travel

Wanderlust Magazine: https://www.wanderlust.co.uk/

Travel Weekly – https://www.travelweekly.co.uk

PODCASTS:

List from the Guardian for the top ten: https://www.theguardian.com/travel/2020/apr/01/10-of-the-best-travel-podcasts.

Wander Woman- Phoebe Smith – Founder of Wanderlust

Phoebe Smith is an adventurer, presenter, broadcaster, author, editor, photographer, speaker and filmmaker. By day she is award-winning travel writer, broadcaster and presenter, host of the Wander Woman Podcast and contributing editor for <u>Wanderlust Travel Magazine</u>. By night she's an extreme sleeping outdoors adventurer who thrives on heading to the wildest locations she can find to sleep in the strangest places she can seek out.

BOOKS AND LITERATURE:

Here's a list of 20 of the best travel books according to the Telegraph: https://www.telegraph.co.uk/travel/galleries/The-20-best-travel-books-of-all-time/

The Travel Book - A journey through every country in the world by Lonely Planet

Lonely Planet's Ultimate Travel list: The 500 Best Places on the Planet

The Bucket List 1000 Adventures Big and Small by Kath Sathers

Destinations of a Lifetime by National Geographic

Diary of a Tokyo Teen by Christine Mari Inzer

Notes from a Small Island by Bill Bryson

The Girl from Everywhere by Heidi Heilig

Simon Reeve - Step by Step

An Introduction to Sustainable Tourism by Alexandra Coghlan

Tourism an Introduction by Ray Youell

Marketing and Tourism by Victor Middleton, Alan Fyall and Michael Morgan



NETFLIX



TRAVEL DOCUMENTARIES:

Check the content ratings before you watch.

Netflix

Conon without Borders – "late night talk show host Conan O'Brian hits the road in this special that bring shim and his sense of humor to far-flung destinations"

Street Food – "embark on a global cultural journey into street food and discover the stories of the people who create the flavourful dishes"

BBIC iPlayer

Dark Tourist – "from a nuclear lake to a haunted forest, journalist David Farrier visits unusual and often macabre tourism sports round the world."

The Kindness Diaries – "Host Leon Logothetis travel the world with only a vintage motorbike and the kindness of strangers, which he pays back in unexpected and inspiring ways."

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BBC and iPlayer

Planet Earth 1 and 2 - https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0861m8b/planet-earth-ii-6-cities

Race Across the World - https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/m0002tvs/race-across-the-world

ITV Hub

Heathrow: Britain's Busiest Airport https://www.itv.com/hub/heathrow-britains-busiest-airport/2a3168



Joanna Lumley's Hidden Caribbean: Havana to Haiti

https://www.itv.com/presscentre/press-releases/joanna-lumley-journeys-havana-haiti-new-itv-series

Absolute India- Mancs in Mumbai

https://www.itv.com/hub/absolutely-india-mancs-in-mumbai/2a6811

Channel 4 - Watch on 40D

Thomas Cook the Rise and Fall of a Travel Agent - https://www.channel4.com/programmes/thomas-cook-rise-fall-of-a-travel-agent

Travels of a Gringo - https://www.channel4.com/programmes/travels-of-a-gringo

Travel Man: 48 hours in... with 48 episodes in Richard Ayoade visits places with celebrities - https://www.channel4.com/programmes/travel-man-48-hours-in

<u>Channel 5</u> – Many can be accessed on MY5

Airport 24/7 Thailand

Around the world by train with Tony Robinson

Bargain Loving Brits in the Sun

Britain's Treasures from the air

British Airways 24/7 Access all areas

Building the Channel Tunnel 25 years on

First Class vs Economy - is it worth it?

Inside the World's Greatest Hotels

M1 The motorway that made Britain

Premier Inn

Secret life of the holiday resort

Secret world of Las Vegas 24/7

Secrets of Chatsworth

Secrets of Scotland

Secrets of Great British Castles

Secrets of the mega resorts

Secrets of the national trust

Secrets of the World's Most Expensive Cruise Ships - https://www.my5.tv/secrets-of-the-world-s-most-expensive-cruise-ships/season-1-My5

When all-inclusive holidays go horribly wrong

World's most luxurious hotels

World's most luxurious private jet

World's most luxurious trains

World's most luxurious yachts

World's wildest holidays

TRAVEL FILMS:

The **Guardian** have a list of the top twenty - https://www.theguardian.com/travel/2020/mar/27/20-best-travel-films-movies-cinematic-stunning-locations-laptop-tv

IMDB have their list of their top 25 travel films - https://www.imdb.com/list/ls070653194/

















ACTIVITIES



The United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland:

Have you been on holiday in the UK? The United Kingdom has so much to offer. From the beautiful sunny south coast of Cornwall and Devon, a city break in London or a mountainous getaway in the Highlands of Scotland, the UK has something for everyone.

1. On the UK Map located over the page, locate the following cities on the map. Label these with a red dot and the city beside the dot.

City	Done	City	Done	City	Done
London		Liverpool		Bristol	
Edinburgh		Manchester		Coventry	
Cardiff		Brighton		Northampton	
Belfast		Derry		Ipswich	
Dublin		Leicester		Leeds	
Birmingham		Newcastle		York	
Glasgow		Lincoln		Inverness	
Isle of Man		Isle of Wight	Cork		

2. Using the internet, locate on the map a yellow dot representing the major UK airports, as well as that, have a go at naming the three IATA letter codes for each of the airports named below.

Name of Airport	Three letter IATA Airport Code
London Heathrow	
London Gatwick	
London Stansted	
Birmingham	
Edinburgh	
Newcastle	
Liverpool John Lennon	
East Midlands	

- 3. On the map on the next page using an orange dot, locate 5 major seaports.
- 4. On the map using a black pencil, draw on line to indicate 3 major motorways.

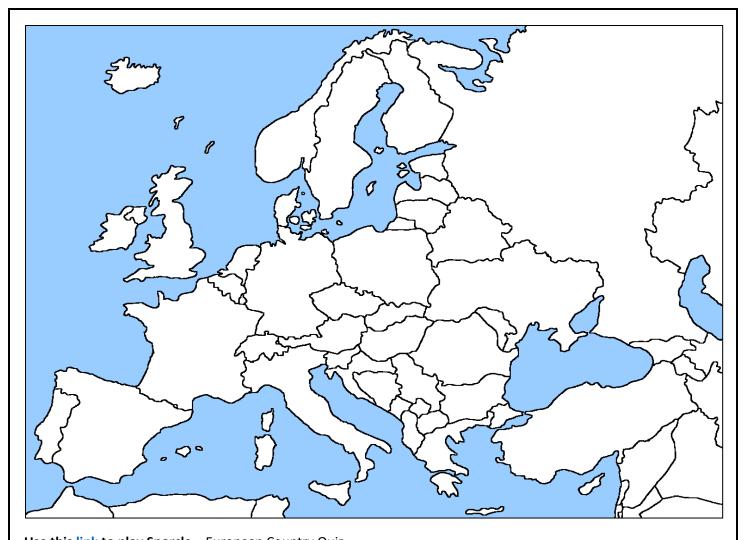
Map of the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland

Europe

Europe has a lot to offer, whether you want to romantic cities of Paris and Venice or artistic cities such as Barcelona.

1. In the table below, fill in the correct country next to its capital city, along with the currency (money) they use and the language they speak there.

Capital City	What country does it belong to	Currency it uses	Languages it speaks
Paris	_		
Berlin			
Madrid			
Lisbon			
Rome			
Athens			
Vienna			
Stockholm			
Tallinn			
Riga			
Oslo			
Helsinki			
Amsterdam			
Brussels			
Reykjavik			
Bratislava			
Prague			
Budapest			
Ljubljana			
Copenhagen			
Kiev			
Chisinau			
Zagreb			
Tirana			
Sofia			
Minsk			
Istanbul			
London			
Dublin			
Belgrade			
Bern			
Bucharest			
Nicosia			
Valletta			
Vilnius			



<u>Use this link to play Sporcle –</u> European Country Quiz

<u>Africa</u>

Africa is the second largest continent and has lots to offer from the pyramids in Egypt, the hustle and bustle of the bazaars of Morocco as well as South African countries and its cosmopolitan cities. On the blank map of Africa, label every country clearly with a pencil.

On the map, label the oceans that surround Africa.

1. On the map, using a red dot to indicate them, locate the following capital cities. You will need the internet to help you.

African Country	Capital City
Cameroon	
Madagascar	
Angola	
Swaziland	
Benin	
Burkina Faso	
Nigeria	
Morocco	
Eritrea	
Kenya	

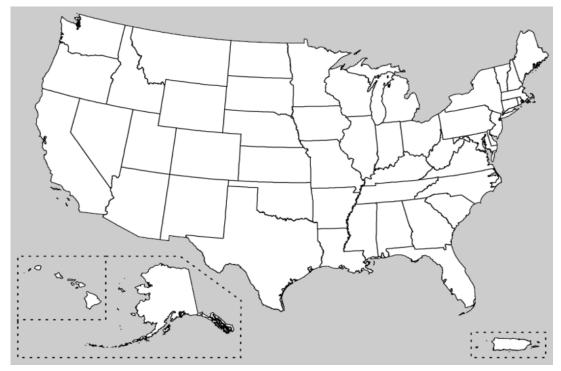
Map of Africa



North America

Whether you go to the busy cities of New York or Washington DC or relax in wine country in California, the United States has lots to offer you as a tourist. Let's find out more.

- 1. On the map on the next page, label every state in the United States.
- 2. Label the oceans what are either side of the United States.



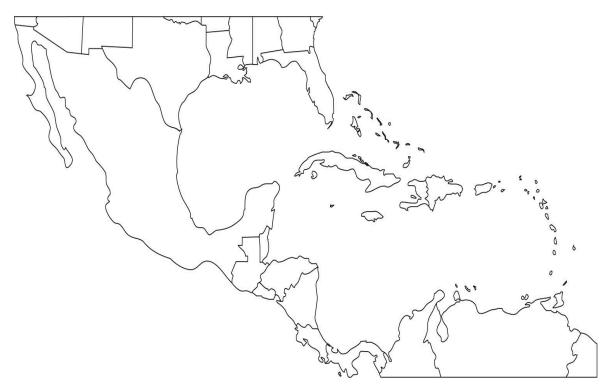
Use this link to play the Sporcle Quiz on states of the USA.

State Name	State Capital City	State Name	State Capital City
Alabama		Montana	
Alaska		Nebraska	
Arizona		Nevada	
Arkansas		New Hampshire	
California		New Jersey	
Colorado		New Mexico	
Connecticut		New York	
Delaware		North Carolina	
Florida		North Dakota	
Georgia		Ohio	
Hawaii		Oklahoma	
Idaho		Oregon	
Illinois		Pennsylvania	
Indiana		Rhode Island	
Iowa		South Caroline	
Kansas		South Dakota	
Kentucky		Tennessee	
Louisiana		Texas	
Maine		Utah	
Maryland		Vermont	
Massachusetts		Virginia	
Michigan		Washington	
Minnesota		West Virginia	
Mississippi		Wisconsin	
Missouri		Wyoming	

Central America & the Caribbean

This area is known to have some of the best beaches in the world, it is in the continent of North America, it is regarded as a sub-continent. Many people go on exotic cruises around the Caribbean and take in islands such as Jamaica, Haiti, The Dominican Republic and Cuba. Mexico, Honduras and Nicaragua are also home to some of the world best coffee and tobacco trades.

- 1. On the map on the next page, label every country using an atlas to help you.
- 2. Label the oceans that surround this area.



Country	Capital City
El Salvador	
Costa Rica	
Belize	
Guatemala	
Mexico	
Honduras	
Nicaragua	
Panama	
Antigua and Barbuda	
Bahamas	
Barbados	
Dominican Republic	
Grenada	
Haiti	
Jamaica	
St Kitts and Nevis	
St Lucia	
St Vincent and the Grenadines	
Trinidad and Tobago	
St Barts	
Anguilla	

South America

South America is home to some of the most beautiful wildlife and home to several of the world's most famous football teams. Both the 2014 FIFA World Cup and the 2016 Summer Olympics are happening on this continent, making it a special few years for South America and the people that live there.

- 1. On the blank map, label every country using an atlas to help you.
- 2. Label the oceans that surround the continent.



Country	Capital City
Argentina	
Bolivia	
Brazil	
Chile	
Columbia	
Ecuador	
Falkland Islands	
French Guiana	
Guyana	
Paraguay	
Peru	
Suriname	
Uruguay	
Venezuela	

<u>Asia</u>

Asia is the largest and most populated continent on Earth (approx. 4.3 billion people around 60% of the world's population.

- 1. On the blank map, label every country using an atlas to help if you need it. (If the countries are too small to label, number them and create a number key in the corner of the page)
- 2. Label the oceans (use an atlas if you need help)



3. In the table below, you will find some countries. You must use the internet or an atlas to find their capital city.

Country	Capital City
Mongolia	
Uzbekistan	
Saudi Arabia	
Laos	
Georgia	
Malaysia	
Bhutan	
Cambodia	
Pakistan	
Tajikistan	
The Maldives	

4. Asia has some of the most beautiful beaches in the world. Using the internet; research some beach resorts in Asia, find pictures of them and stick them to the bottom of this page, then label them. Use TripAdvisor to help.

Australia, New Zealand and the South Pacific

Located in the Southern Hemisphere, Australasia's main countries are Australia and New Zealand; these are both extremely popular destinations for people visiting their families who emigrated. It also includes the Pacific Islands such as Tuvalu, Vanuatu and the Solomon Islands.

1. On the blank map of Australia, label each territory along with its capital city. Fill in the table below as you go along.

Territory	Capital City
Western Australia	
Southern Australia	
Victoria	
New South Wales	
Queensland	
Tasmania	



2. Now look at the blank map of New Zealand. Label the North and South Island along with the main cities as well as the capital.



IATA Codes:

The International Air Transport Association's (IATA) Location Identifier is a unique **3-letter code** (also commonly known as IATA code) used in aviation and also in logistics to identify an airport. They are entered when you make itineraries and travel plans for customers. You can find the full A-Z list here.

Complete the table below by searching the IATA name.

Three Letter IATA Code	Full Name of Airport	Country	Passengers in 2018
ATL			
SYD			
ВКК			
ORD			
MAD			
AMS			
FRA			
ICN			
MCO			
MEL			
IST			
MIA			
BCN			
ВОМ			
KUL			
FCO			

TOP APPS FOR TRAVEL AND TOURISM



1. Google Maps

This is the perfect for locating key destinations. You will also be able to find street view so you can find necessary locations.



2. Google Earth

This app allows you to see different parts of the world, see aerial views of different world cities and explore different places



3. Citymapper

This app gives you turn by turn directions in major cities all over the world. This is very useful when completing itinerary work



4. Skyscanner

This app allows you to find suitable flights, plan multi-centre tours and book thing such as car hire, insurance and even trips.



5. Kayak

Kayak is one of the top price comparison sites in the world. It allows you to book flights, hotels, car hire, all at the click of a button



6. Manchester Airport

Using this app, you can track arrivals and departures at Manchester Airport. There is also a really useful layout of the airport.



7. XE Currency

This Currency converter allows you to convert multiple currencies at once. Making it all the more important when completing itinerary work.



8. TripAdvisor

This is probably one of the most recognisable websites in the world for getting and posting reviews of places whilst you are on holiday!



9. Hitlist

Hitlist provides you all the information you need to plan a trip to your dream destination. Browse pictures of the best places to visit, it tells you how far away it is and searches for the best deals on the internet.



10. Duolingo

Duolingo makes learning language fun. With multiple different languages to choose from, you can also compete with friends or as a class.



11. Guides by Lonely Planet

This app allows you to have nearly 100 or more travel guides on your phone at a time. This is very useful when completing destination research or itinerary ideas for excursions



12. National Trust

Perfect for the UK Destinations unit. It allows users to see what is on offer for people at any given point during the year. Perfect for use in the holiday planning unit for Unit 2.

TOP TRAVEL VLOGGERS ON YOUTUBE







