

Exploring the Globe's Major Divisions

Geography · Answer Key · 29 Questions

1. What is the largest continent by land area?

- A) Africa
- B) North America
- C) Asia**
- D) Europe

2. Which ocean is the largest and deepest on Earth?

- A) Atlantic Ocean
- B) Indian Ocean
- C) Arctic Ocean
- D) Pacific Ocean**

3. The Earth is divided into two halves by the Equator. What are these halves called?

- A) Hemispheres**
- B) Continents
- C) Oceans
- D) Poles

4. Which continent is also a country?

- A) Australia**
- B) Antarctica
- C) South America
- D) North America

5. What is the name of the imaginary line that divides the Earth into the Northern and Southern Hemispheres?

- A) Prime Meridian
- B) Equator**
- C) Tropic of Cancer
- D) Arctic Circle

6. Which continent is known for its vast deserts and is the second-largest continent by land area?

- A) Asia
- B) Africa**
- C) Europe
- D) South America

7. The Prime Meridian divides the Earth into the Eastern and Western Hemispheres. It passes through which city?

A) New York

B) London

C) Paris

D) Tokyo

8. Which continent is the smallest by land area?

A) Europe

B) Australia

C) South America

D) North America

9. Which ocean is located between Europe, Africa, and the Americas?

A) Pacific Ocean

B) Indian Ocean

C) Arctic Ocean

D) Atlantic Ocean

10. What is the name given to the landmass that includes Europe and Asia?

A) Eurasia

B) Afro-Eurasia

C) Pangaea

D) Gondwana

11. Which continent is almost entirely covered by ice?

A) Antarctica

B) Greenland

C) Iceland

D) Siberia

12. Which ocean is the smallest and shallowest, located around the North Pole?

A) Pacific Ocean

B) Atlantic Ocean

C) Indian Ocean

D) Arctic Ocean

13. Which continent is located in the Southern Hemisphere and is known for its rainforests and the Amazon River?

- A) Africa
- B) Australia
- C) South America**
- D) Asia

14. The Tropic of Capricorn is located in which hemisphere?

- A) Northern Hemisphere
- B) Southern Hemisphere**
- C) Eastern Hemisphere
- D) Western Hemisphere

15. Which continent is home to the Sahara Desert and the Nile River?

- A) Asia
- B) Australia
- C) Africa**
- D) South America

16. What is the third-largest ocean on Earth?

- A) Arctic Ocean
- B) Indian Ocean**
- C) Atlantic Ocean
- D) Pacific Ocean

17. Which continent is known for its diverse wildlife, including kangaroos and koalas?

- A) Africa
- B) South America
- C) Australia**
- D) Asia

18. The imaginary line of 0 degrees longitude is called the:

- A) Equator
- B) Tropic of Cancer
- C) Prime Meridian**
- D) International Date Line

19. Which continent is shaped like a boot?

- A) Africa
- B) South America
- C) Europe**
- D) Asia

20. Which continent is the most populous?

- A) Europe
- B) North America
- C) Asia**
- D) Africa

21. Which ocean lies between Africa, Asia, and Australia?

- A) Pacific Ocean
- B) Atlantic Ocean
- C) Arctic Ocean
- D) Indian Ocean**

22. The Northern Hemisphere contains most of the Earth's:

- A) Land**
- B) Water
- C) Ice
- D) Deserts

23. Which continent is divided into 50 states?

- A) Canada
- B) Mexico
- C) United States**
- D) Brazil

24. The Southern Hemisphere contains most of the Earth's:

- A) Land
- B) Water**
- C) Mountains
- D) Forests

25. Which continent is home to the Andes Mountains?

- A) North America
- B) Africa
- C) Asia
- D) South America**

26. What is the second-largest ocean?

- A) Indian Ocean
- B) Arctic Ocean
- C) Pacific Ocean
- D) Atlantic Ocean**

27. Which continent is known for its historical significance, including ancient civilizations like Rome and Greece?

- A) Africa
- B) Asia
- C) Europe**
- D) North America

28. The imaginary line of 0 degrees latitude is called the:

- A) Prime Meridian
- B) Equator**
- C) Tropic of Capricorn
- D) Arctic Circle

29. Which continent is largely uninhabited and dedicated to scientific research?

- A) Australia
- B) Antarctica**
- C) South America
- D) Africa