

What is Geography?



Geography is the study of the Earth's physical properties and how these properties are affected by human activity.

Geographers are interested in Earth's physical features, societies in different parts of the world, political and economic activity and learning about the ways that humanity affect and are affected by the natural world

The word 'Geography' comes from the Greek geo, which means "Earth," and graphy, which means "writing or description."



<u>7 Continents</u>	<u>5 Oceans</u>
Europe	Atlantic
North America	Pacific
Antarctica	Indian
South America	Arctic
Asia	Southern
Africa	
Australasia	

Human and Physical Features are things that you see all around you. Human features - things that are made or built by humans. Physical features - anything that is on the Earth naturally.

<u>Physical features</u>	<u>Human Features</u>
mountains	population
rivers	settlements
oceans	transport
topography	farming
climate zones	towns/cities

