

Mapping Africa: Checklist

- Shade contiguous borders of countries. Go for the glow!
- Label countries in black ink, using all capital letters.
- Mark capital cities with a clear black ink dot or star. (Only selected cities will be labeled by name. Simply identifying each capital's location is the goal.)
- Shade ocean borders and lakes, and trace over rivers with blue pencil.
- Identify mountains and mountain ranges with
- Include a compass rose, legend, and your first and last name on the bottom right.



Countries & Cities

Shade contiguous borders. Label countries in one color.

Mark cities with a clear dot and label them in a second color.

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| Algeria (Algiers) | Madagascar (Antananarivo) |
| Angola (Luanda) | Malawi (Lilongwe) |
| Benin (Porto-Novo) | Mali (Bamako) |
| Botswana (Gaborone) | Mauritania (Nouakchott) |
| Burkina Faso (Ouagadougou) | Morocco (Rabat) |
| Burundi (Bujumbura) | Western Sahara (El Aaiun)
claimed by Morocco |
| Cabinda (belongs to Angola) | Mozambique (Maputo) |
| Cameroon (Yaoundé) | Namibia (Windhoek) |
| Canary Islands (Las Palmas) | Niger (Niamey) |
| Cape Verde (Praia) | Nigeria (Lagos) |
| Central African Republic (Bangui) | Rwanda (Kigali) |
| Chad (N'Djamena) | Sao Tome & Principe (Sao Tome) |
| Comoros Islands (Moroni) | Senegal (Dakar) |
| Congo (Brazzaville) | Sierra Leone (Freetown) |
| Congo, Democratic Republic of (Kinshasa) | Somalia (Mogadishu) |
| Cote d'Ivoire (Abidjan, YAMOUSSOUKRO) | South Africa
(PRETORIA - administrative capital)
(CAPE TOWN - legislative capital)
(BLOEMFONTEIN - judicial capital) |
| Djibouti (Djibouti) | Sudan (Khartoum) |
| Egypt (Cairo) | Swaziland (Mbabane—administrative)
(Lobamba — legislative) |
| Equatorial Guinea (Malabo) | Tanzania (Dar es Salaam — administrative)
(Dodoma — legislative) |
| Eritrea (Asmara) | Togo (Lome) |
| Ethiopia (Addis Ababa) | Tunisia (Tunis) |
| Gabon (Libreville) | Uganda (Kampala) |
| The Gambia (Banjul) | Zambia (Lusaka) |
| Ghana (Accra) | Zimbabwe (Harare) |
| Guinea (Conakry) | |
| Guinea-Bissau (Bissau) | |
| Kenya (Nairobi) | |
| Lesotho (Maseru) | |
| Liberia (Monrovia) | |
| Libya (Tripoli) | |

Features

Label in a third color.

- Atlantic Ocean
- Atlas Mtns.
- Congo R.
- Gulf of Aden
- Indian Ocean
- Lake Chad
- Lake Victoria
- Mediterranean Sea
- Niger R.
- Nile R.
- Orange R.
- Red Sea
- Zambezi R.

Identify the following features on the "Africa: Physical Map"

- Shade desert & semiarid regions yellow
- Shade tropical areas (wet & dry) orange.
- Shade mild (Mediterranean; humid subtropical; & marine) areas green
- Draw in the Equator and Tropic of Cancer and Tropic of Capricorn
- Shade mountain ranges tan or brown
- Shade ocean borders and lakes, and trace over rivers with blue

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| 1. Strait of Gibraltar | 8. Atlantic Ocean | 15. Zambezi River | 22. Mt. Kilimanjaro |
| 2. Mediterranean Sea | 9. Gulf of Guinea | 16. Nile River | |
| 3. Red Sea | 10. Cape of Good Hope | 17. Congo River | |
| 4. Gulf of Oman | 11. Atlas Mountains | 18. Lake Victoria | |
| 5. Gulf of Guinea | 12. Sahara Desert | 19. Lake Nyasa | |
| 6. Gulf of Aden | 13. Kalahari Desert | 20. Lake Tanganyika | |
| 7. Indian Ocean | 14. Niger River | 21. Ethiopian Highlands | |

* Use these numbers to locate each feature on the smallest map.

