



Illustration: Scientists say monkeys could have sailed from Africa to South America on rafts.

Explore

Africa and South America are two of the seven continents. Can you name the other five? The Atlantic is one of the world's five oceans. Can you name all of them?

Use an atlas, map, the Internet or this easy to read [Continents and Oceans Map](#) to help you. Finally, use this [Continents and Oceans Labelling Activity](#) to test your knowledge.

Write

Didactic cinquains are really fun little poems! They are five-line poems and each line follows a simple rule: one noun; two adjectives; three verbs; a four-word phrase (can be about your feelings); and a synonym of the first noun.

For example

Explorer

Small, brave

Splashing, sailing, arriving

Feeling out of place

Pioneer

This **Sloth Cinquain Poem** guide is a great place to start to get ideas. Try writing your own about something in today's article.

Investigate

For the monkeys arriving in South America, it must have been an overwhelming journey across the Atlantic! Think of all the new animals and plants that they must have come across along the way.

Investigate which animals live in South America and compare them with those that live in Africa today.

Can you find out what the largest animals on both continents are? Which are your favourites?