

Glossary

Mount Kenva

Adapted - changed to suit the environment Climate - the weather conditions over a long period of time

Continent - a massive area of land that includes many countries

Dam - a barrier created to hold back water to stop flooding and to use the water

Desert - a large, barren area of land that gets very little rain each year

Equator - a line that divides the Earth into the Northern and Southern Hemisphere

Tribes - a group of people that live together that share the same culture, language, religion and often have a leader

Tributary - a river or stream flowing into a larger river or lake





Rift Valley

People in Kenva live in different areas and homes. People in cities live in modern houses. People in rural areas live in homes made of thatch and dried mud. Many people also live in **tribes**.

flows into the

Mediterranean Sea.

Africa is a **continent** that lies close to the equator. There are 54 countries in Africa with different climates and

cultures.

The **climate** in Kenya varies. There are wet and dry seasons. There are also different land features such as valleys, mountains and

The River Nile is the The river is longest river in the used for fresh world and is located in water. food. North Africa. It flows agriculture and through 11 countries. It transportation.



The two **tributaries** are The Blue Nile and The White Nile. They join together in Sudan.

The Sahara **Desert** in Africa is the largest desert in the world. Animals and plants that live there are adapted to survive in the desert.

FUN FACT

2.5 million

people live in

the Sahara

Plants in the

Savannah have spines

instead of leaves to

stop them losing

water, and they have

deep roots to find

water.

The River Nile does not flood anymore due to the Aswan High Dam.



Year Two Geography Africa and Kenva



Spring

Egypt

Kenya







CHAD

CONG

NIGER

South Africa

ALGERIA

Congo

SUDAN

ETHIOPH

There are many different **climates** in Africa. Africa's climate is mostly tropical, which means warm and hot. There are rainforests, grasslands and deserts.

> There is a dry tropical climate in the North and South with many deserts. There is a wet tropical climate in middle of the continent with lots of rain.



Fennec Foxes





Olive Trees

Date Palm