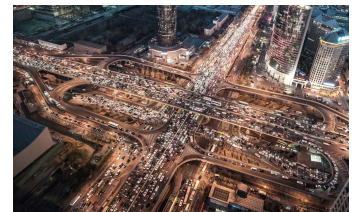


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- China is one of the world's largest countries
 - It is located in east Asia
- More people live in China than in any other country in the world





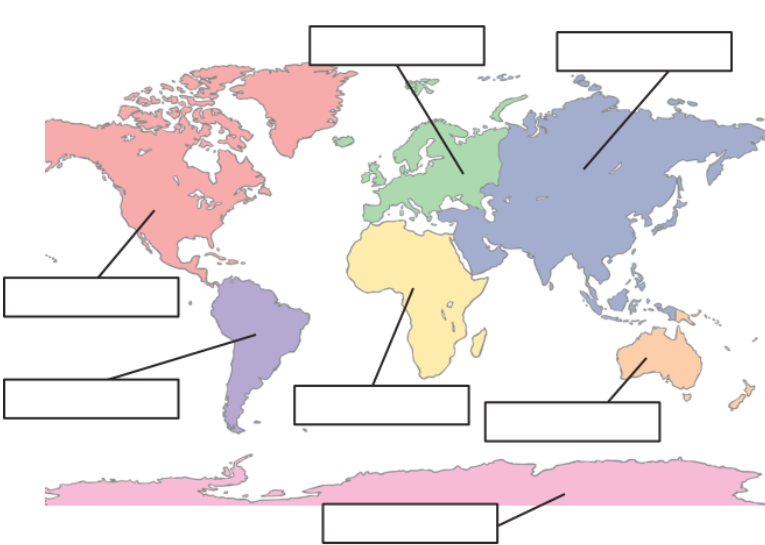
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LO: To identify the different continents



Word Bank

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South America

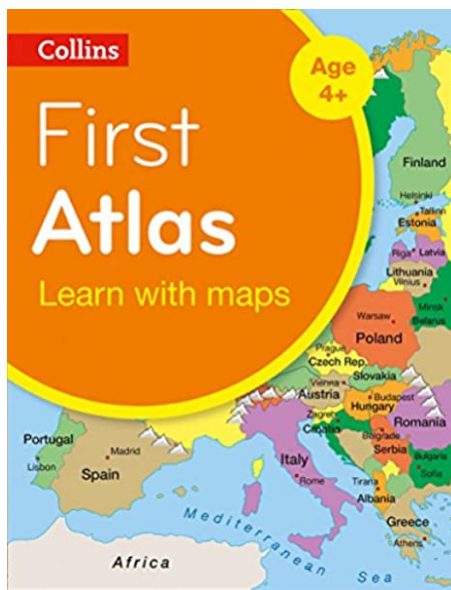
Africa

Antarctica

Oceania

Europe

Asia



Let's see if we can find
China in the atlas.

Remember we need to
use the index.

What is a capital city?

What is the capital city of England?

Every country has important cities, but one is called the **capital city**.

The capital city is where the government of a country can be found.

It is normally a large city, but it is not always the largest.



The capital city of China is Beijing.





Travelling Ted has been on his travels!

Ted has visited China and spent some time in the country's capital city Beijing.

Let's see what he found out on his travels....

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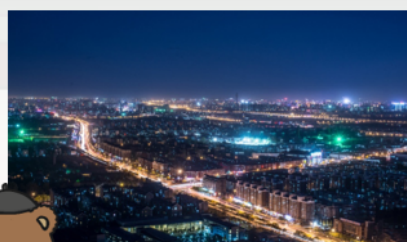


Beijing is a very large, busy city just like London. I saw lots of businesses, offices, shops and markets. Many people go to work in the capital city.

I found out that Beijing's population is around **22 million**. This number of people is increasing (getting bigger) all the time as people move in and out of the city.

Many people live in high rise flats in the city.

How is Beijing similar or different to London?



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Pollution





In Beijing there was lots of **pollution** in the air.

The pollution is caused by the large amounts of traffic releasing exhaust fumes into the air. It is often called smog.

To help the air pollution, Beijing reduces the number of cars that are allowed into the city each day by allowing only certain types of cars.



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Transport



There are many different types of transport to get around the city.

Beijing has many busy roads or 'expressways', a railway, a major airport, buses, taxis and a subway system. I took a 'trolleybus' (which is like a tram and runs on electric) to get around Beijing. Bicycles are also very popular in Beijing and other Chinese cities.

What types of transport are there in London?



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Landmarks of Beijing

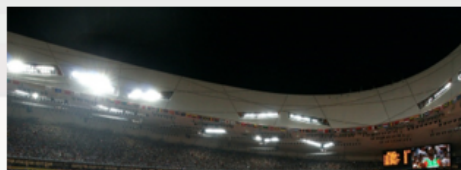
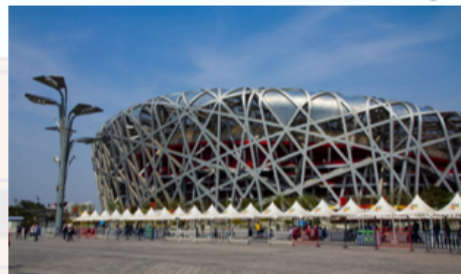


Beijing National Stadium (the Bird's Nest)

On my travels, I visited the site of the Olympics, which were held in the summer of 2008 in Beijing!

I toured the famous Bird's Nest Stadium, where many athletes from Great Britain won medals, such as Christine Ohuruogu, Germaine Mason and Phillips Idowu.

Why do you think the stadium was called the 'Bird's Nest'?



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=do1Go22Wu8o>

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Landmarks of Beijing



I saw many of China's fascinating landmarks in Beijing. Beijing is the most popular city for tourists to visit to see the many sights of the city and the landmarks.

What is a landmark?

The Great Wall of China
I saw one part of the Great Wall of China in Beijing. It stretches more than 5,000 miles and looks like a snake winding its way across the country. It is one of China's most popular landmarks.




Watch this video!

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