# What's Africa really like?

## Sticky Knowledge

Africa is a continent made up of lots of countries,

Kenya is a country in Africa,

Kenya has a range of different landscapes.

Different animals are suited to different landscapes.

The weather in Kenya is different from the weather in the UK.

There are many differences to how people live their life's in

Kenya and the UK but there are also many similarities.

# Year 2 – Summer term 2

| Facts about Kenya                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
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| Where is Kenya?                        | Kenya is a country in East Africa, located on the equator and with coastline on the Indian Ocean. It was named after the tallest mountain in the country, Mt Kenya.                                     |
| What languages do they speak in Kenya? | The two official languages spoken in Kenya are English and<br>Swahili, although there are dozens of other languages<br>spoken in various parts of the country.                                          |
| Who lives in Kenya?                    | In 2017 it had a population of 49.7 million people, with 3 million living in the capital city of Nairobi. Kenya is a developing country and half of the population live in poverty.                     |
| What wildlife would I find in Kenya?   | It features many national parks and wildlife reserves with safaris being a popular activity for visitors. Large animals such as lions, buffalo, leopards, elephants and rhinoceros are present in Kenya |



# The Kenyan Flag

### Interesting book/s

Lila and the Secret of Rain – David Conway and July Dafy

The Hunter - Paul Geraghty

One Day on our Blue Planet – Ella Baily

Handa's Surprise – Eileen Browne

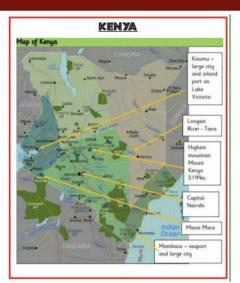
Anna Hibiscuits – Atinuke

Meerkat Mail – Emily Gravett

# Maps



Map of Africa



#### Map of Kenya

| Subject Specific Vocabulary |                                                                                 |
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| Continent                   | A large area of land that is joined together . There are 7 continents on Earth. |
| Country                     | A country is land that is controlled by a single government.                    |
| Landscape                   | Means an area of land as you can see it.                                        |
| Culture                     | The ideas, customs and behaviours of a group of people/                         |
| Safari                      | An overland journey , usually by tourists and in Africa.                        |
| Savanah                     | A grassy plain with a few trees .                                               |
| Tourist                     | Someone who is visiting a place for pleasure.                                   |
| National<br>Park            | A National Park is a protected area of land,                                    |
| Endangered<br>species       | When a species of animal or plant is at risk of becoming extinct                |
| Extinct                     | When a species will never be alive again.                                       |
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