

Countries, latitude and longitude

You will need an atlas for this exercise.

There are over 180 countries in the world. Have you ever wondered how many of them you can name or how many of them you could find on a world map?

All of the world's countries are in an atlas. By using the index and latitude and longitude it is quite easy to find where they are in the world.

This activity will help you learn how to use an atlas. You will also be able to find some of the world's countries.

With help from your atlas, complete a copy of the table below to locate the following 24 countries. Lightly colour in each country as you find it. The first one has been done to help you.



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| 22. UK | Brazil | USA | Saudi Arabia | Egypt |
| USSR | South Africa | Pakistan | Nigeria | Japan |
| 14. India | Argentina | Bangladesh | Indonesia | Ghana |
| New Zealand | Australia | Peru | Kenya | Venezuela |
| Canada | Israel | Mexico | China | |

Countries in alphabetical order	Latitude in degrees	Longitude in degrees	Reference number
Argentina	35° South	66° West	6
Australia			

