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LO: To identify geographical differences between South America and the UK

What are the key geographical features of South America?

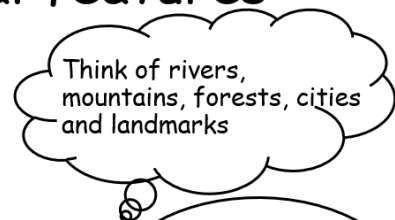
- Macchu Picchu** in Peru
- Iguazu Falls** in Argentina/Brazil
- Angel Falls** in Venezuela (the world's highest waterfall)
- Rio de Janeiro** in Brazil
- Patagonia** in Argentina/Chile
- Amazon rainforest** in Brazil
- Amazon River** in Brazil, Colombia and Peru
- Pantanal** in Paraguay/Brazil (world's largest tropical wetland area)
- Atacama desert** covering Chile and Peru (is the driest place in South America)
- The Andes** through seven South American countries: Venezuela, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia, Chile, and Argentina (the world's longest mountain range)
- Lake Titicaca** shared by Bolivia and Peru (biggest lake in South America)



What are the key geographical features of the UK?

Mountains and Hills

Can you think of any for these categories?



Islands



Lakes and rivers

Human geographical features

Beaches

What are the differences and similarities between the geographical features of South America and the UK?

Can you explain why South America has a rainforest and the UK doesn't?

<u>Similarities</u>	<u>Differences</u>
Lots of rivers	South America has a rainforest and the UK doesn't

Answers

Mountains and Hills

Ben Nevis in Scotland
Snowdon (Snowdonia) in Wales
Brecon Beacons in Wales
Dartmoor in England
Cotswolds in England
Pennines in England
Cheddar Gorge in Somerset, England
White Cliffs of Dover England

Islands

Isle of Wight in the English Channel
Drake's Island on Plymouth Sound
Isles of Scilly part of Cornwall
Shetland Island in Scotland

Lakes and rivers

River Thames in London, England
River Severn covers England and Wales
Loch Ness in Scotland

Human geographical features

Big ben in London, England
The Eurotunnel connecting England and France
Angel of the North in Newcastle, England
Stonehenge in England
Tower Bridge in London, England

Any Beaches in the UK

You may have thought of some that weren't on here too!