

## Knowing the World

Approach: Independent

Level: Year 8 only

Resources: None

Questions/instructions	% responses
<b>Put a tick by the best answer.</b>	<b>y8</b>
1. The country with the most people	
✓China	50
England	3
Japan	13
U.S.A.	34
2. The city where the United Nations has its headquarters.	
Brussels	10
London	48
✓New York	34
Paris	8
3. What is the highest mountain in the world?	
Mt Cook	4
✓Mt Everest	91
Mt Fuji	3
Mt Olympus	2
4. What is the name of the country where the very first Olympics were held?	
Australia	4
Germany	6
✓Greece	85
U.S.A.	5
5. When did World War II start?	
1914	27
1929	23
✓1939	39
1965	11
6. Greece, Israel and Libya are all on the edge of a big area of water. What is that area called?	
Atlantic Ocean	22
Pacific Ocean	13
Caspian Sea	14
✓Mediterranean Sea	51

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<b>Write your answer on the line.</b>	<b>y8</b>
7. North and South Korea, Thailand and India are all part of one continent. What is that continent called?	
Asia	41
8. France, Spain and Italy are all part of one continent. What is that continent called?	
Europe	39
<b>Draw lines to match these countries with their capitals.</b>	
9.	
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>           France Australia Indonesia Peru United States         </div> <div>           Lima Sydney Washington D.C. Paris Djakarta New York Canberra         </div> </div>	
France	83
Australia	46
Indonesia	58
Peru	61
United States	63
10.	
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>           Fiji Tonga Western Samoa Papua New Guinea Cook Islands         </div> <div>           Rarotonga (Avarua) Apia Noumea Suva Port Moresby Nuku'alofa         </div> </div>	
Fiji	39
Tonga	19
Western Samoa	22
Papua New Guinea	31
Cook Islands	31