



## Where is Nigeria located?







Nigeria is located in Central West Africa. It has land borders with the countries Benin, Niger, Chad and Cameroon.



## Flag of Nigeria.

The green represents the country's agriculture and natural wealth.  
The white represents peace.



Key Vocabulary	
<b>Africa</b> 	The second largest continent.
<b>Northern Hemisphere</b>	The half of the earth that is north of the equator.
<b>Southern Hemisphere</b>	The half of the earth that is south of the equator.
<b>Biome</b>	A major type of global region, such as forest, desert, or grassland.
<b>Species</b> 	A group of living things that can mate with one another but not with those of other groups.
<b>Earth's tilt</b> 	Earth is slightly tilted (slanted) on its axis as it rotates on its axis and orbits around the Sun.
<b>Biodiversity</b> 	If an area on the earth has biodiversity, it means that there are many different kinds of animals and plants living there.
<b>Climate</b>	The usual weather conditions in a place.
<b>Tropical</b> 	Having to do with, characteristic of, or happening near the equator.
<b>Equator</b> 	The imaginary circle around the earth that is halfway between the North and South Poles. The equator is represented by a line that goes around the middle of a globe.

## Facts about Nigeria.

Capital city: Abuja

Population: Over 216 million people

Currency (money): Naira



## Famous food in Nigeria

People eat a variety of food in Nigeria and it also plays an important part in celebrations, such as at Christmas and weddings. Famous dishes include:  
A traditional Nigerian meal is thick stew.



Chin Chin are a sweet treat. They are made out of cubes of dough and deep fried.



Dodo is a snack made of deep-fried plantains sprinkled with salt.



Akara is a deep-fried Nigerian breakfast food made of black-eyed peas and onion.



Oloyin beans are sweet brown beans which are used in many types of cooking.



## What are the landscapes in Nigeria like?

There are many different types of landscapes in Nigeria including:

deserts.



plains.



swamps.



mountains (Central Nigeria has extinct volcanoes in the rugged highlands of the Jos Plateau).



Jungles



## Wildlife in Nigeria.

Many animals previously roamed free in Nigeria. Nowadays they are protected and live inside the national parks. These include:

lions,



giraffes,



antelopes,



gorillas.



Unfortunately, due to hunting and habitat destruction, many species are at risk of becoming extinct.