

Pretest on Africa Today in the Electronic Passport

1. Asia is the world's largest continent. What is Africa's rank? 2nd? 3rd? 4th? 5th?
2. What is the tallest mountain in Africa?
3. The Great Rift Valley can be described as a giant _____ in the earth's surface.
4. Lake Victoria is one of the sources of the world's longest river. name the river.
5. How would you describe land where more than seventy inches of precipitation falls in a typical year?
6. How would you describe land where less than ten inches of precipitation falls annually?
7. What are the Kalahari and the Namib?
8. What does the *sahel* refer to?
9. About how many languages are spoken in Africa? (Please take this question seriously and provide your best guess).
10. The Mbuti and sometimes referred to as pygmies. Who are these people?
11. What does "the Big Man" refer to in post-Colonial Africa?
12. In Africa's poorest countries, how many children does the average woman have in her lifetime?
13. What is the biggest health problem in Africa today?
14. What is a refugee?
15. What is Africa's most populated nation?
16. What are the Ibo, Yoruba, and the Hausa?
17. Who is Olusegun Obasanjo?