

ARTICLES WITH GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES



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Rivers: <i>the Nile</i> Seas: <i>the Black Sea</i> Oceans: <i>the Indian Ocean</i> Lakes: <i>the Naroch BUT! Lake Naroch</i> Groups of islands: <i>the Maldives</i> Mountain ranges: <i>the Alps</i> Superlative degree: <i>the best, the highest, the most beautiful</i>	Continents: <i>Asia</i> Countries: <i>Belarus BUT! The United Kingdom, the United States of America, the Republic of Belarus, the Russian Federation</i> Cities: <i>Minsk</i> Streets, avenues, squares: <i>Baker Street</i> Parks: <i>Central Park</i> Islands: <i>Cuba</i> Mountains: <i>Everest</i>

1. Fill in *the* / *–*.

- 1) _____ China is in _____ Asia.
- 2) _____ Nile is _____ longest river in _____ world.
- 3) _____ Minsk is _____ capital of _____ Belarus.
- 4) _____ Madagascar is in _____ Indian Ocean.
- 5) _____ Lake Baikal is _____ biggest lake on our planet.
- 6) In summer we usually go to _____ Turkey and swim in _____ Black Sea.
- 7) There's a monument in _____ Victory Square.

2. Fill in *the* / *–*.

- 1) _____ Brazil is in _____ South America.
- 2) _____ Paris is _____ capital of _____ France.
- 3) _____ Lake Naroch is in _____ Belarus.
- 4) In summer Ann usually goes to _____ Spain and swims in _____ Atlantic Ocean.
- 5) _____ Minsk Stands on _____ Svisloch River.
- 6) Kevin's house is in _____ Greenwood Road.
- 7) _____ Hyde Park is in the centre of _____ London.

3. Fill in *the* / *–*.

- 1) In summer we usually go to _____ Poland and swim in _____ Baltic Sea.
- 2) _____ Neman River is in _____ Belarus.
- 3) _____ London is _____ capital of _____ UK.
- 4) _____ Lake Ontario is in _____ Canada.
- 5) My school is in _____ Golubeva Street.

- 6) _____ Italy is in _____ Europe.
- 7) Her office is on _____ Grand Avenue.
- 8) _____ Everest is _____ highest mountain in _____ world.
- 9) Everybody dreams of spending holiday on _____ Seychelles.
- 10) _____ Russian Federation is _____ biggest country in the world.
- 11) _____ Australia is _____ smallest continent.
- 12) _____ Himalayas are in _____ Asia.
- 13) My relatives live in _____ Czech Republic.

4. Fill in the /-.

Hi! My name is Ann. I am from _____ Belarus. You can also call my country _____ Republic of Belarus. It is situated in the centre of _____ Europe. It is surrounded by five countries: _____ Poland, _____ Ukraine, _____ Latvia, _____ Lithuania and _____ Russian Federation. My country is known as blue-eyed country because there are a lot of lakes and rivers. _____ longest river is _____ Dniepr, _____ widest is _____ Berezina. _____ biggest lake in _____ Belarus is _____ Naroch and _____ deepest is _____ Dolgoye.

