

1 **Complete the sentences with the words from the box.**

continent country city ~~city centre~~ satellites satellite images

1 There is a big park in the city centre . We go there after school.
2 _____ help meteorologists see if dangerous weather is coming.
3 I think living in a _____ is exciting because you can do many things.
4 Asia is the biggest _____ on our planet.
5 _____ help us talk to people all over the world.
6 Australia is a very big _____. It's one of the biggest islands on our planet.

2 **Read the text. Tick ☑ the correct sentences.**

A satellite is an object that goes around a planet. There are two different kinds of satellite: natural satellites and artificial satellites. The moon is a natural satellite. It goes around the Earth. Other planets have natural satellites too. Artificial satellites are made by people and then put in space. Some artificial satellites help us by taking photos of space. They tell us what is happening in space and what is happening to the Earth. Other satellites help us communicate with people all over the world. Weather satellites tell us what the weather will be like, so we can get ready for bad weather. The biggest satellite is the International Space Station. Astronauts from all over the world live and work on this satellite. The astronauts collect information and send it back to Earth. Satellites use energy from the sun. They collect sunlight and turn it into electricity. Today there are thousands of satellites in space.

1 Natural satellites do not give us any information about space. ☑
2 The moon is an artificial satellite. ☐
3 Satellites help us talk to people in different parts of the world. ☐
4 Astronauts live and work on the biggest artificial satellite. ☐
5 Satellites use other satellites to make electricity. ☐

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3 Look at these satellite images. Write what they show.



a river











4 Imagine you have a satellite image. What places does it show? Write and then draw a picture of it.

My satellite picture shows

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