

LISTENING

MAP OF AFRICA
FRANCE BANS TOBACCO

Part 2

Listen to a talk about the Mercator projection map. Fill in the gaps with ONE to THREE words.

1. The Mercator projection map was created by Gerardus _____ in 1569.
2. In the 18th century, it became the international _____ for sailors.
3. Countries _____ from the Equator appear larger than they really are.
4. Countries closer to the Equator appear _____ on the Mercator map.
5. The African Union is supporting a campaign called _____ the Map.
6. The Mercator map gives the impression that Africa was less _____.
7. Africa is the world's _____-largest continent by area.
8. Africa has more than _____ billion people.
9. The Mercator map is called the world's longest _____ and disinformation campaign.
10. The group Speak Up Africa suggests using the _____ Earth map from 2018.

Type the jumbled words in the correct order

1. A shrinks that continent African the map widely-used .

2. The sailors for became map international the standard .

3. It show doesn't true of size the nations .

4. Countries Equator away from the farther larger look .

5. A Africa's design correct shows that size .

6. It map seem to a just be might .

7. She second-largest is Africa said world's the continent .

8. The world's misinformation the was campaign map longest .

9. People 2018 should map use the Equal Earth .

10. Africa Greenland appears 14 times than larger .

Part 4

Listen to a report about France's smoking ban. Choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each question.

1. What is banned in France according to the new law?
 - A. Smoking in indoor public places only
 - B. Smoking in places like beaches and parks
 - C. Smoking at outdoor cafés and restaurants
2. What is the main reason for the new smoking ban?
 - A. To reduce smoking rates in adults
 - B. To protect children from passive smoking
 - C. To increase tax revenue from tobacco
3. What did the Minister of Health say about tobacco?
 - A. It should be allowed only in designated smoking areas

- B. It must disappear from places where children are present
- C. It must be banned entirely by 2032

4. How does the Minister describe the freedom to smoke?

- A. It is more important than children's right to clean air
- B. It should be limited where children need clean air
- C. It should only be allowed at home

5. How many deaths per year are caused by passive smoking in France, according to the report?

- A. Up to 500
- B. Up to 5,000
- C. Up to 50,000

6. What percentage of French people support rules banning smoking in public?

- A. 36%
- B. 50%
- C. 68%

7. Which places are NOT included under the new smoking ban?

- A. Beaches and parks
- B. Outdoor cafés and restaurants
- C. Schools and playgrounds

8. According to the report, smoking can damage:

- A. Only the lungs
- B. Nearly every organ of the body
- C. Only the heart and circulatory system

9. Why is smoking near children especially dangerous?

- A. Because children do not like the smell
- B. Because children's bodies are still developing
- C. Because it is illegal

10. What do people hope the new ban will achieve?

- A. Less smoking among adults
- B. More tobacco sales restrictions
- C. Healthier growth for children

Match the Phrase

1. Any smoker who lights	a. hand smoke
2. protect children from	b. in smoke
3. This happens when you breathe	c. up to be healthier
4. These are places to play, learn, and	d. clean air
5. the right of children to breathe	e. of preventable disease
6. They also want bans at	f. up a cigarette in public
7. Smoking is one of the leading causes	g. organ of the body
8. It can damage nearly every	h. outdoor cafes
9. Second-	i. passive smoking
10. children can grow	j. breathe