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Continents

The Seven Continents

So you live in a town. Well, that town is also in a state. That state? It's in a country. But that country's on a continent. There are seven continents. Let's find out about 'em.

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Africa and Europe will amaze ya,

Chilling in Australia and Asia.

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South and North America,

Antarctica, there's no replica. x2

A continent is a giant landmass,

Most are surrounded by oceans, check the map.

Honestly, there's not a strict definition,

Most people would say there's seven of 'em, listen--

Most continents are bigger than a country,

But let's start with a continent that's a lil different.

Australia, surrounded by seas,

The only continent that's also a country.

Aussie animals you can't find elsewhere,

Like a platypus or koala bear.

Let's move north to Asia, and that's

The biggest continent of all by landmass.

Asia, that's where more than half

Of the world's population hang their hats.

China, India, over to Lebanon,

Let's follow the Silk Road west and get along...

To Europe, home of Italy and France,
Lots of different countries on a small chunk of land.
Europe's north of the Mediterranean Sea,
Want to see the Eiffel Tower? Ah, oui oui.
With more than 50 countries, Africa's got a lotta!
And a desert, yeah, that's the Sahara.
Africa, where humans originated,
So we're all African is one way to say it.
Africa has the Nile and Serengeti,
Let's travel west over the Atlantic, get ready.
North America where the USA belongs,
Canada, Mexico and down to Panama.
But don't forget Greenland, it's been part
Of North America, but depends on Denmark.
We'll embark to South America and chill
In Chile, Peru or even Brazil...

In South America, we speak mostly Spanish,
In Brazil they might not understand it.
They speak Portuguese and have big trees
In the Amazon rainforest with the canopy.
Can it be? There's one more continent,
Follow me south to Antarctica on a trip.
Does it have countries? Well, no,
Just scientists who study and brave the cold.
Antarctica, where you find the South Pole,
And the penguins slide on snow.
That's seven continents on the list,
But in some places we learn there're six.
You see, there's no ocean between
Europe and Asia, some call it Eurasia.

Some people list the Americas as one,
But whether five, six or seven, this song is done.

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