

# Race across the world

## In a frenetic race across the world, travellers can choose any route they like – which will you choose?

Follow the instructions below to complete the **Geography** Summer project. Good luck and enjoy!

### Instructions

Watch the first episode of Series 2 of Race Across the World on BBC iPlayer (<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/m000g6nt>). There are more episodes available – you can watch them all if you want to!

If you don't have access to BBC iPlayer, don't worry! You can still complete the summer project.

Choose one of these continents:

- Asia
- Africa
- Europe
- North America
- South America

Choose two places to travel between **at opposite ends** of your chosen continent.

Split the journey into six sections. Produce a summary table to show each section of the journey. Include approximate distances between each place as well as the total distance for your journey in your table.

You must plan each section of the journey (as if there were no travel restrictions!) including the following:

- How will you travel? Like in the programme, air travel is not allowed!

- Where will you stay each night?
- What will you visit on the way? Think about interesting landmarks, museums, sports stadiums...you decide!
- What will the costs be? Calculate an approximate cost for each section of the journey and a total cost for the trip. Try and be as thrifty as possible; the show's contestants get very little money!

### Presentation

You can choose how to present your work. A PowerPoint, leaflet, video, etc.

### Key point

It goes without saying that I DO NOT want you to actually book any of this journey, this exercise is just for fun!

### Useful websites

<https://www.expedia.co.uk/> - Accommodation

<https://www.statravel.co.uk/> - Accommodation, travel (bus and train) worldwide

<https://www.raileurope.com/> - Train travel in Europe

<https://www.flixbus.co.uk/> - Bus travel in Europe

<https://www.lonelyplanet.com/> -  
Worldwide travel information

You can also check out the tourist board website for any country you want to visit on your journey, such as the ones below. Simply search the country name and 'tourist board' and then look for the official website listing.

<https://magicalkenya.com/> - Kenya  
tourist board

<https://www.tourismcambodia.com/> -  
Cambodia tourist board

