

A web quest about South Africa

About the Republic of South Africa:

<http://www.timeforkids.com/destination/south-africa/sightseeing>

1. Indicate the oceans, name the other countries on the map, and write the names of the most famous cities and places don't forget to colour it.

1. Imagine you're a tourist in SA, say where you're likely to be or go (click on the places to find out details about them)

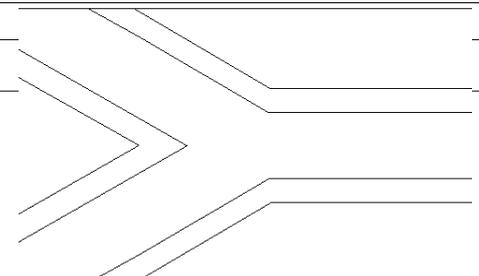


	Place	Give some details
You want to go on a photo safari		
You want to visit the place where Nelson Mandela was jailed for 20 years		
You want to relax in a seaside resort		
You want to visit a famous area where black people were forced to live during the apartheid period		
You're in a big city where you witness a car-jacking, and a murder		
You're in a city where there are some very rich people many of them being businessmen		
You see poor black people who live in really bad conditions		
You have lost your passport and you need to go to the French embassy to get a new one		

The South African flag

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Flag_of_South_Africa

1. Colour it
2. When was it adopted? What does this date mark?
3. The colours of the flag have an official meaning True/False?
4. Indicate what the colours may symbolize



yellow	
Green	
Black	
Blue	
White	
Red	

History

Complete the grid with some names and dates (the questions are not in chronological order)

<http://www.timeforkids.com/destination/south-africa/history-timeline>

	<i>Names</i>	<i>dates</i>
First Europeans to settle in South Africa		
A black man arrested and sent to jail for life		
Introduction of segregation laws (what is it called)		
A famous township where many black protesters were killed		
A town where there was a first revolt against <u>apartheid</u>		
Announced the end of apartheid		
Awarded Nobel Peace Prize		
First black man elected in SA		
Year this black man's presidency ended		
Freed Mandela from prison		
Opposed during the <u>Boer</u> war		
They won the Boer war		
It became independent		

Write a (very) short summary about the history of SA using the answers to the former exercise
make sure you use some link words such as : **before+ Ving / after + Ving / x years later / then**

Right (✓) or wrong (✗) ? Justify

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Africa

English is <u>the</u> official language of S.A		
SA is nicknamed the <u>rainbow</u> nation because the traditional clothes are very colourful		
SA belongs to the <u>British commonwealth of Nations</u>		
Its currency is the South African pound		
The current president of South Africa is called Nelson Mandela		
Nelson Mandela is not dead , he is 70 years old.		
AIDS affect many people in SA as a consequence there are many orphans		

Words related to the subject (make sure you understand what they mean and add your own)

Apartheid	Aids
township	orphan
crime	
car jacking	
rainbow	
jail	