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**Time & Date:** Fridays @ 11AM – 12PM  
**Location:** CEC Campus, Columbia, MD  
**Age Range:** 8 – 16 years old

## GEOGRAPHY: AFRICA

### COURSE DESCRIPTION

We continue our journey through the continent of Africa to learn even more about the land and culture. After selecting new countries to highlight we enjoy coming up with answers to our class question “Why?”

### REQUIREMENTS

All that’s required is... *YOU! Your Imagination! Your Curiosity! ...and Your Excitement!* New students are welcomed. We expect you’ll thoroughly enjoy the adventure as we use reading, writing, art and music to explore the geography of the largest continent on earth.

### GOALS

- ❖ Students research, question and express their thoughts and present findings.
- ❖ Students grasp the concept of collaboration, active listening and public speaking.

### MATERIALS NEEDED

- ❖ Pad or loose paper for notes (*optional*)
- ❖ Writing utensils

### RESOURCES

Visit <https://www.thoughtco.com/five-themes-of-geography-1435624> to learn more.

### NOTE TO PARENTS

Spend 20 minutes a day studying this subject matter alongside your child.

## FALL 2019 SEMESTER

### SEPTEMBER

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20th

**1<sup>ST</sup> CLASS:** Introductions and Review  
**Class Activity:** Students create a collage of previous countries and their geographical features



27th

**2<sup>ND</sup> CLASS:** New Country Introductions  
**Class Activity:** Africa geography puzzle, Discussion of new countries to highlight

### OCTOBER

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4th

**3<sup>RD</sup> CLASS:** Location and Place  
**Class Activity:** Compass work and map reading



11th

**4<sup>TH</sup> CLASS:** Region  
**Class Activity:** Topography and Landforms



18th

**5<sup>TH</sup> CLASS:** Movement  
**Class Activity:** Transportation and Innovation



25th

**6<sup>TH</sup> CLASS:** Human-Environment Interaction  
**Class Activity:** Climate and Culture

### NOVEMBER

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1st

**7<sup>TH</sup> CLASS:** Presentations  
**Class Activity:** Public Speaking



8th

**8<sup>TH</sup> CLASS:** Presentations 2 and Party  
**Class Activity:** Public Speaking and Celebration

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