

# Around the World

**Today we will be...**

Finding out about where Europe is and what France is like.





Have you ever been on holiday to a different country?

Where did you go?

What was it like?



Hello!  
My name is Buddy the Bee!

Buddy lives in the United Kingdom. He has never been anywhere else in the world and would like to do some exploring!





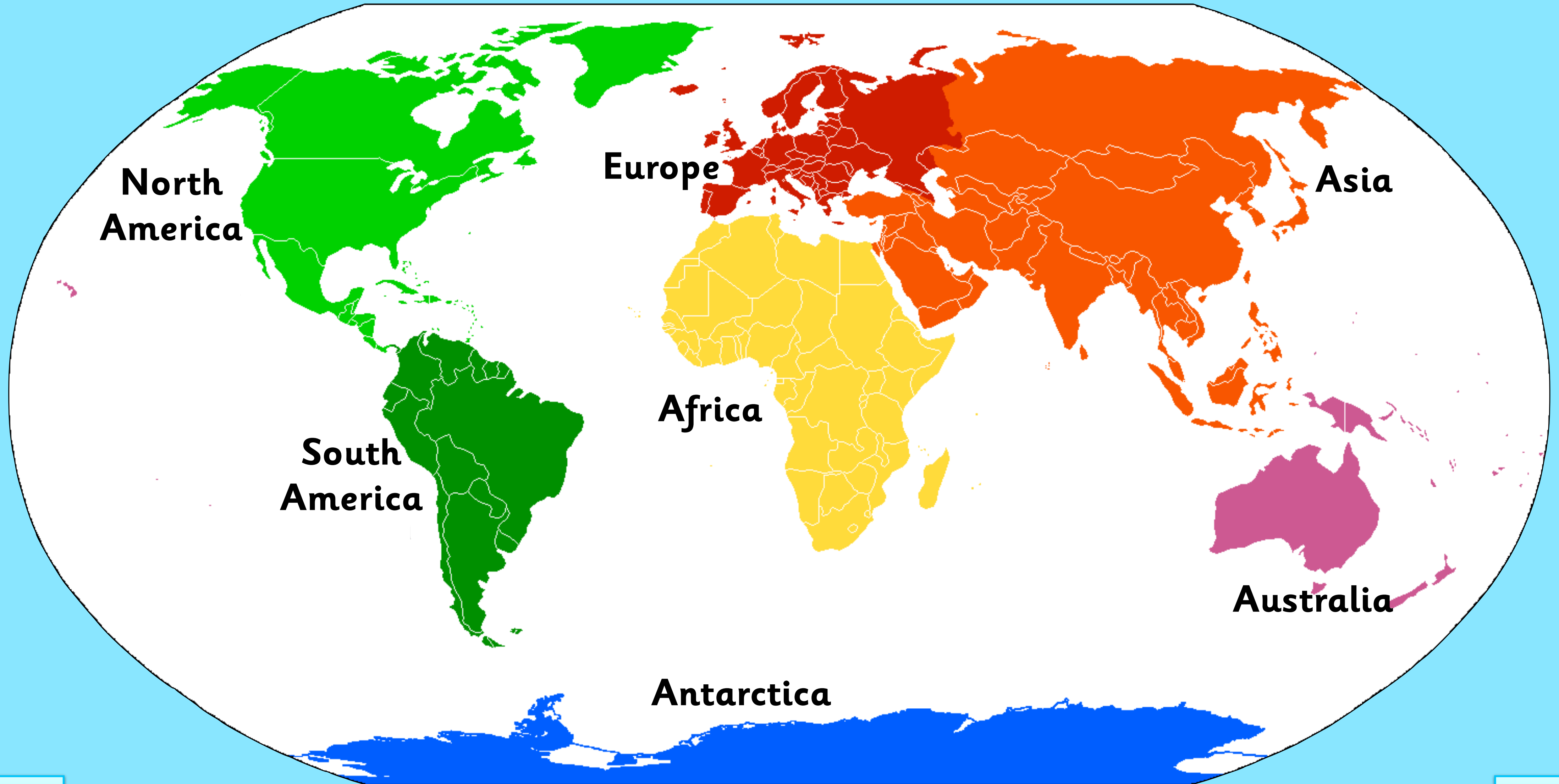
The Earth is round but the countries of the world can be laid flat on a map so you can see how they are set out.



Let's have a closer look at a world map and find out more...

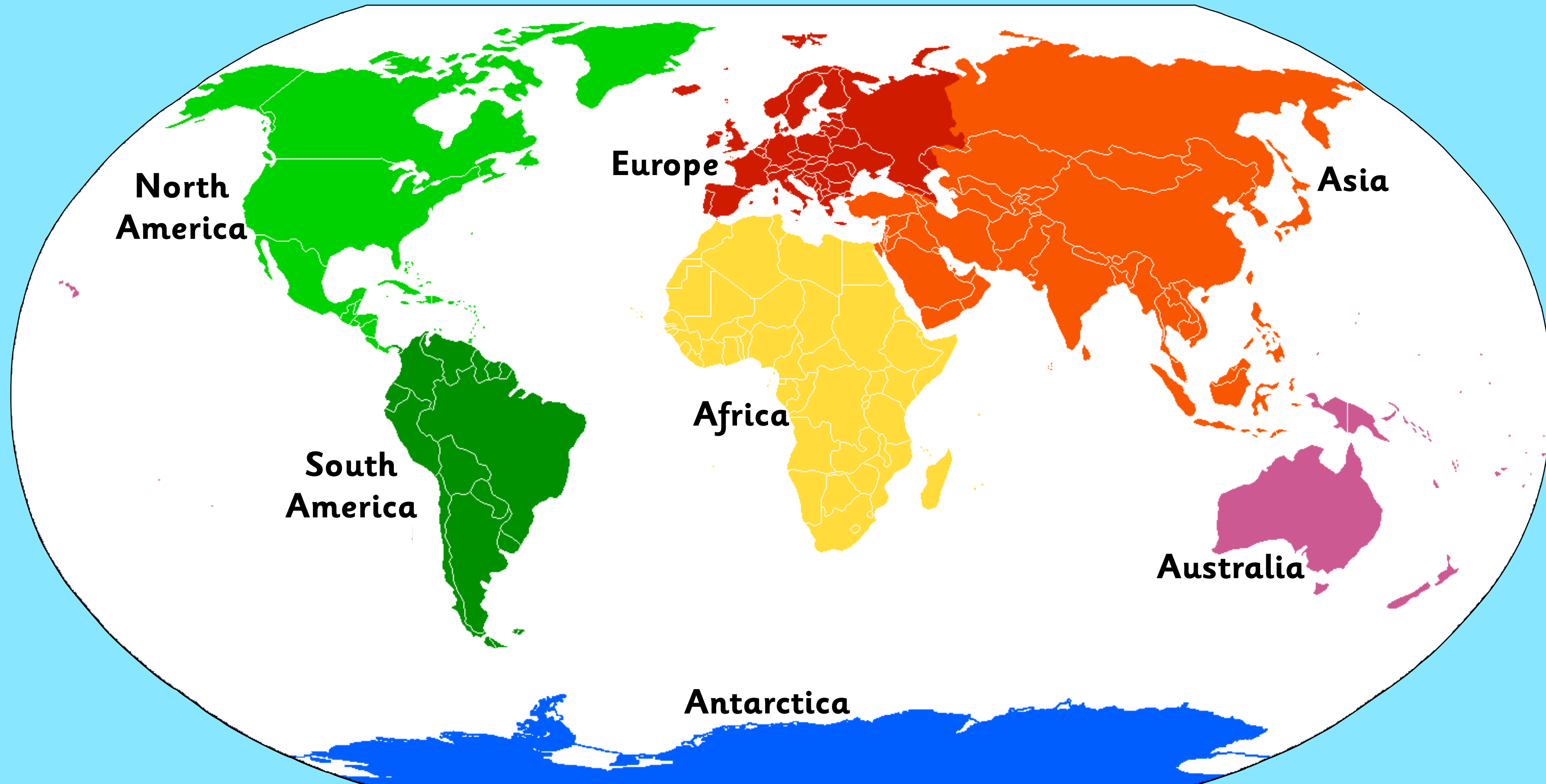


The Earth is split into 7 areas of land called **CONTINENTS**. The continents of the world are very large.





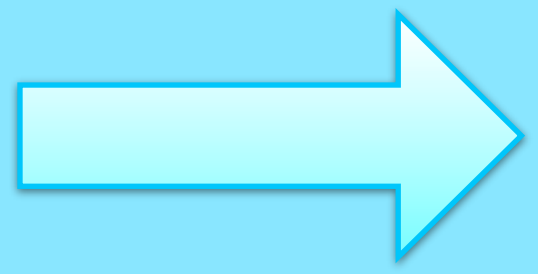
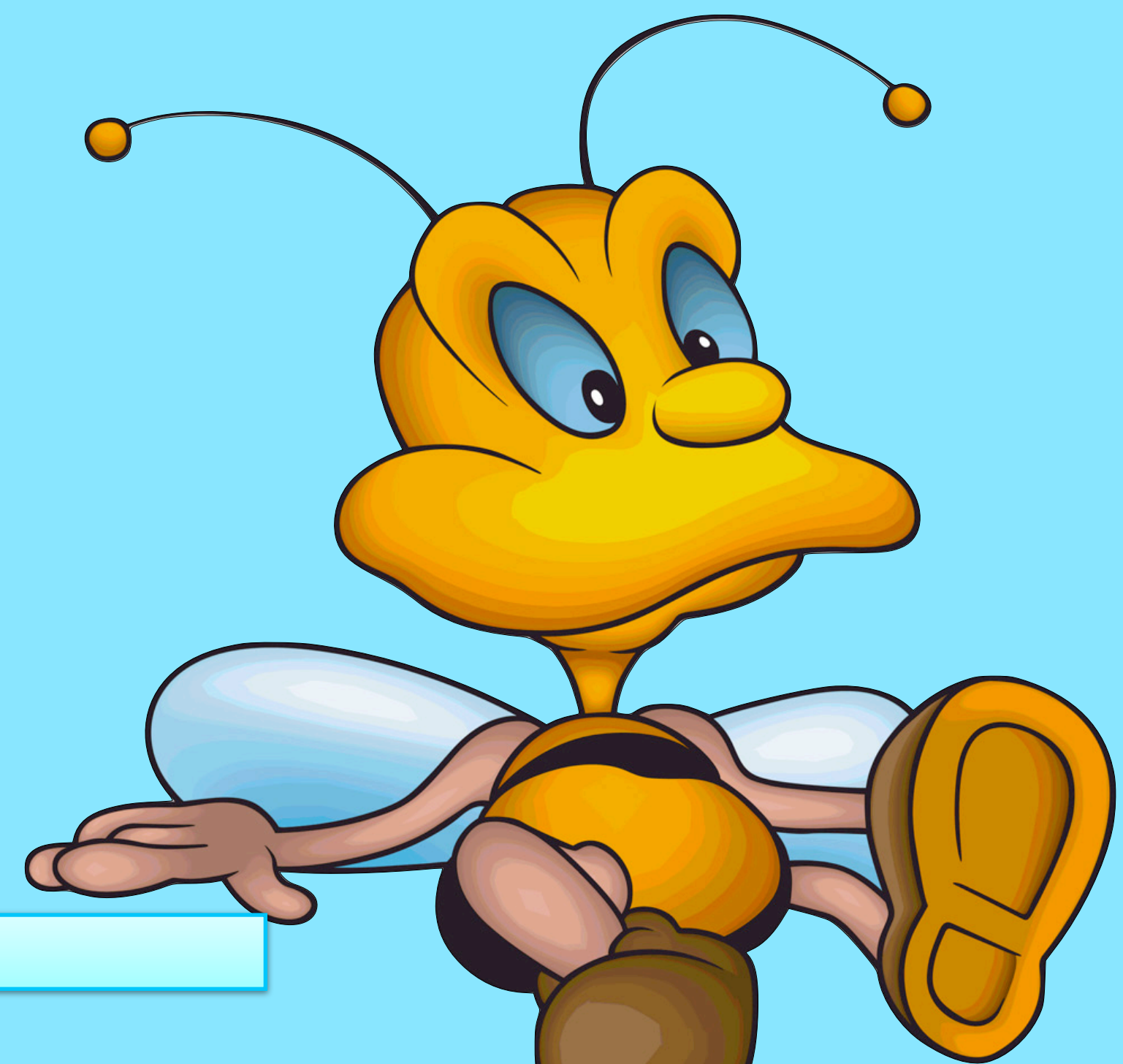
Each CONTINENT (apart from Antarctica) is separated into different COUNTRIES. Each country has its own laws, customs and traditions. Can you see the white lines on the continents? This shows where the countries are.





Buddy the Bee lives in the United Kingdom, which is in the continent of Europe. The countries of Europe are shown on this map.

I live here!







I have decided that I want to visit one country in every continent, starting with Europe. The United Kingdom is in Europe but I want to visit another European country.

**Can you guess which of these countries Buddy will choose to visit?**

Sweden



Italy



France



Spain



Germany



Portugal





# Buddy has decided to go to FRANCE!



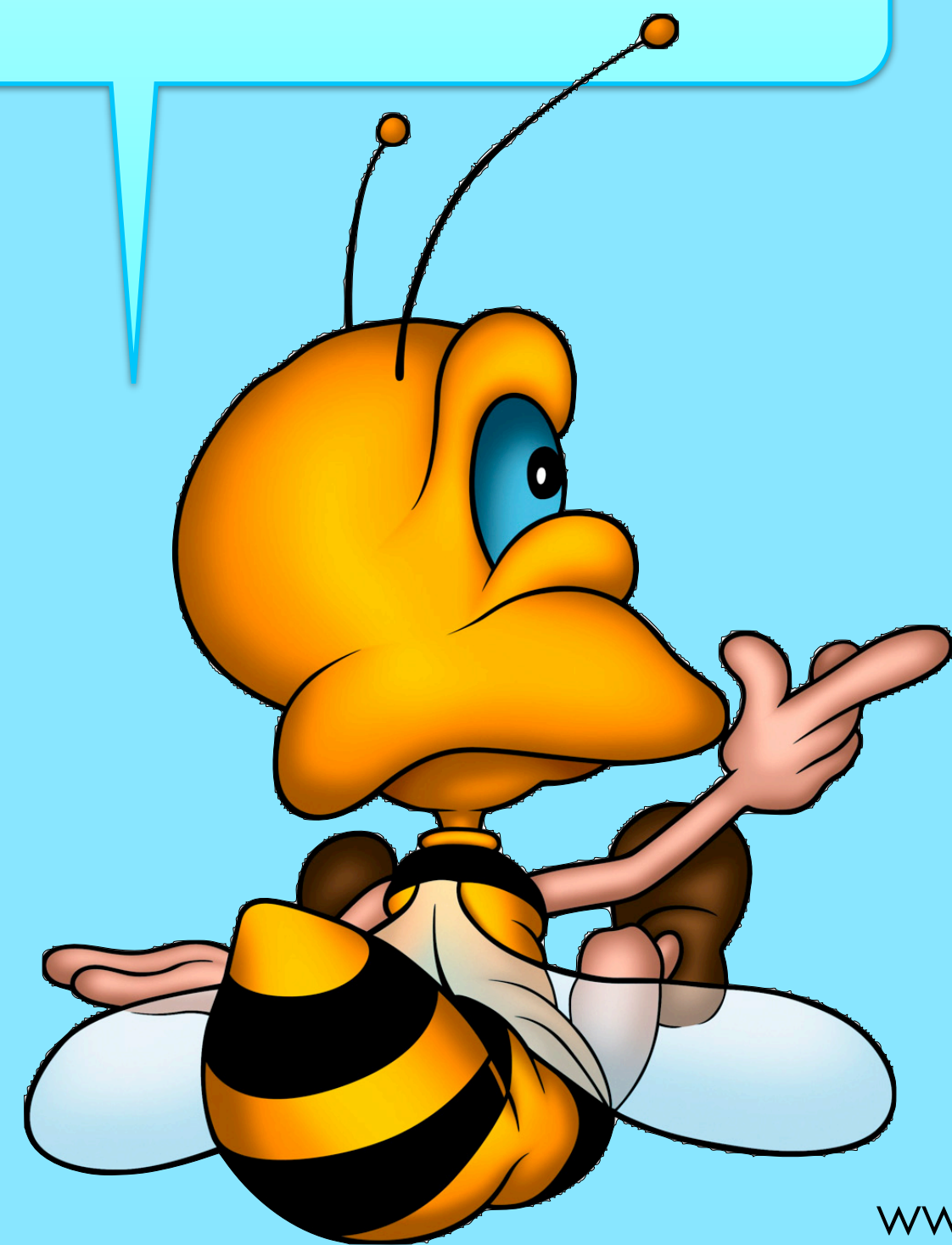


Before I went to France, I had to change my money into euros.





I went to Paris which is the capital city of France. I saw the Eiffel Tower...







...and the Arc  
de Triomphe.

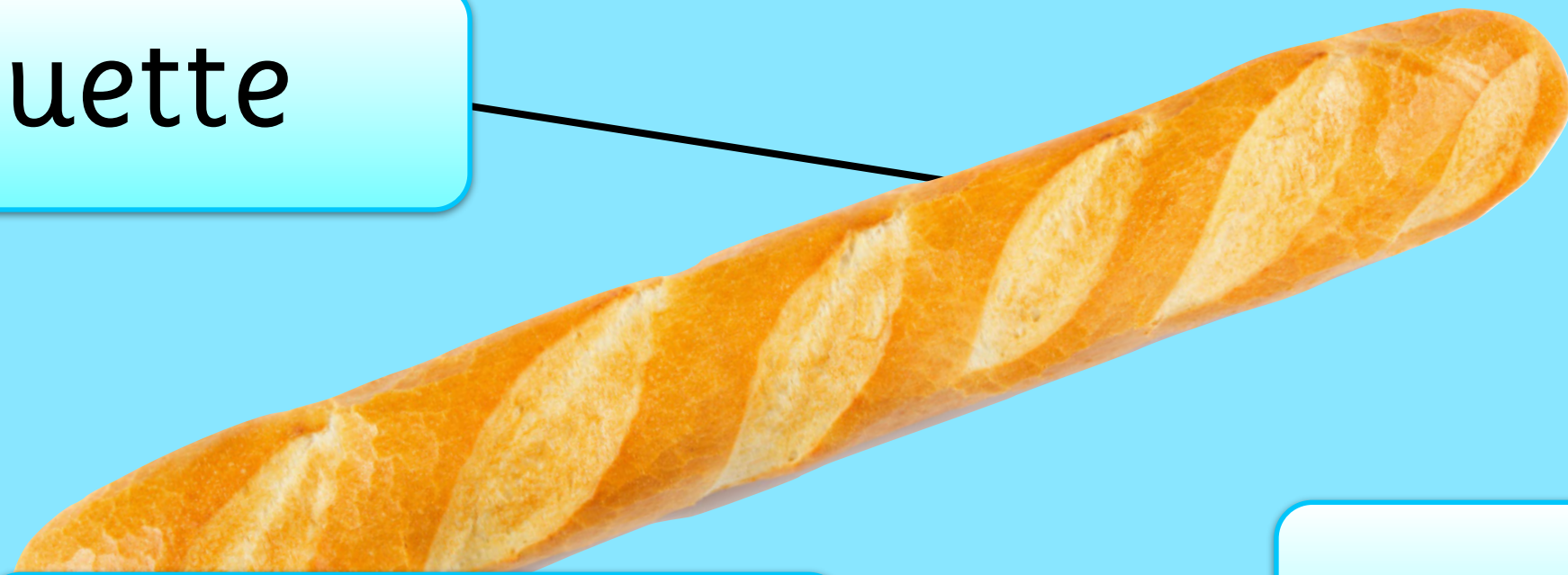




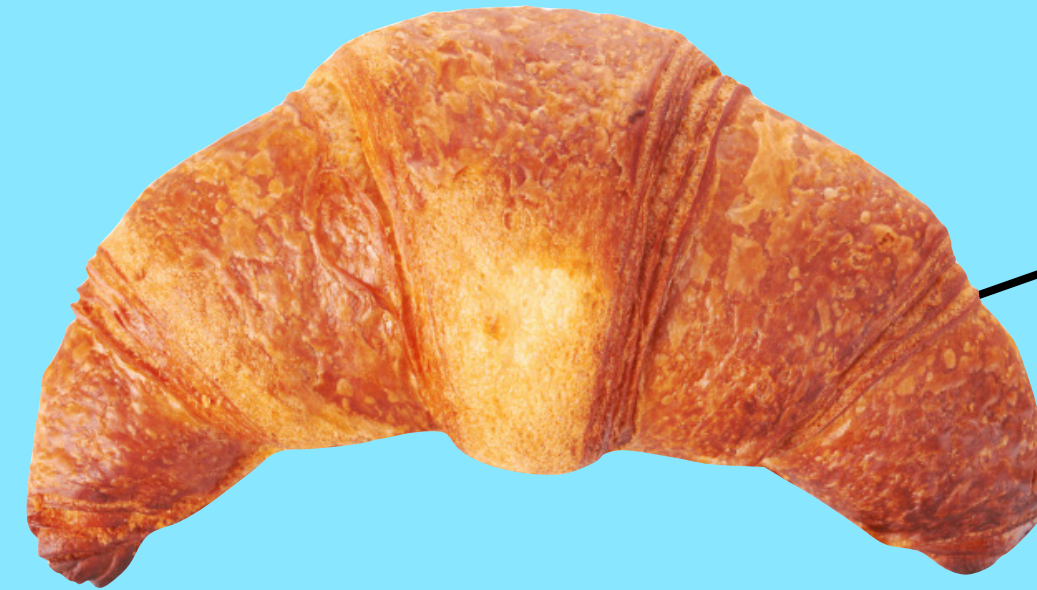


France is known for its good cuisine. I tried all these delicious French foods. Have you tried any of these?

baguette



croissant



snails



cheese



onion soup



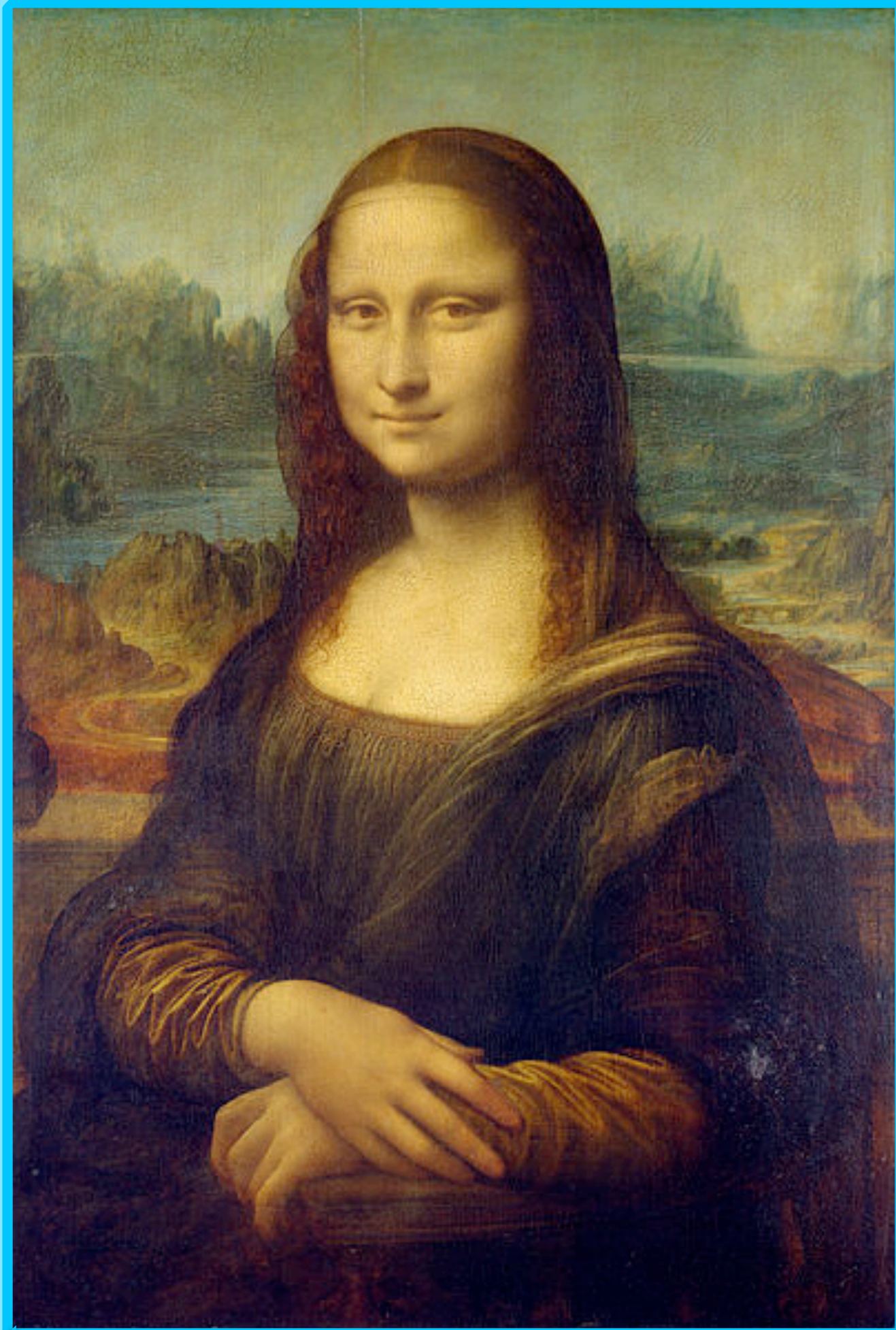


Buddy visited some vineyards. France is famous for its wine and vineyards are where the grapes for wine are grown.





Buddy also went to the Louvre museum. This museum is where the Mona Lisa, one of the most famous paintings in the world, is kept.



The Louvre has more than 30,000 works of art! I didn't have time to see them all!



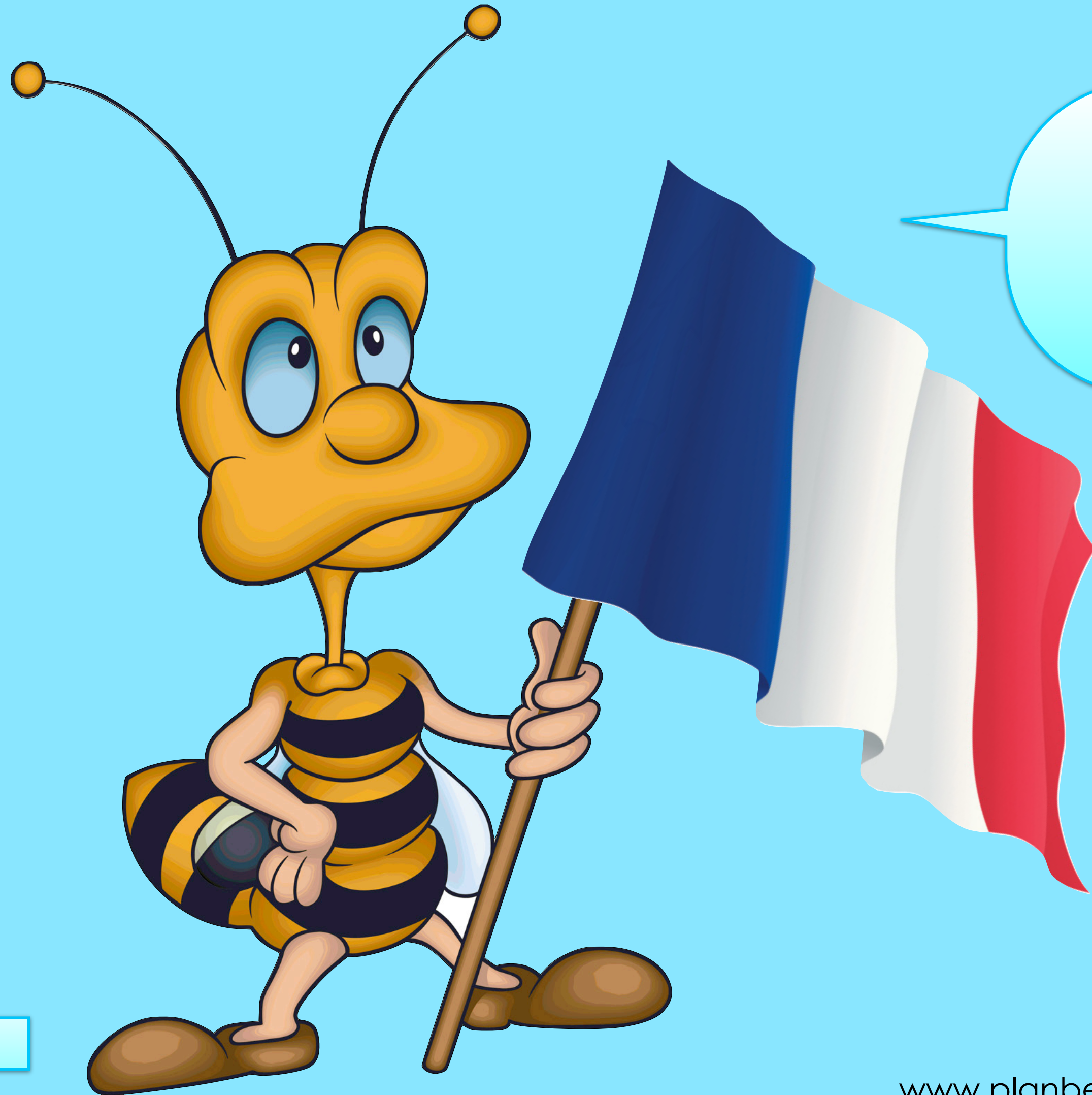
Buddy saw the Tour de France. This is the world's most famous cycle race. The winner of the Tour de France gets to wear a yellow jersey the next year.



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Buddy has really enjoyed his trip to France. He has seen lots of famous French attractions, learnt about French culture and has even learnt some French words!



Au revoir!



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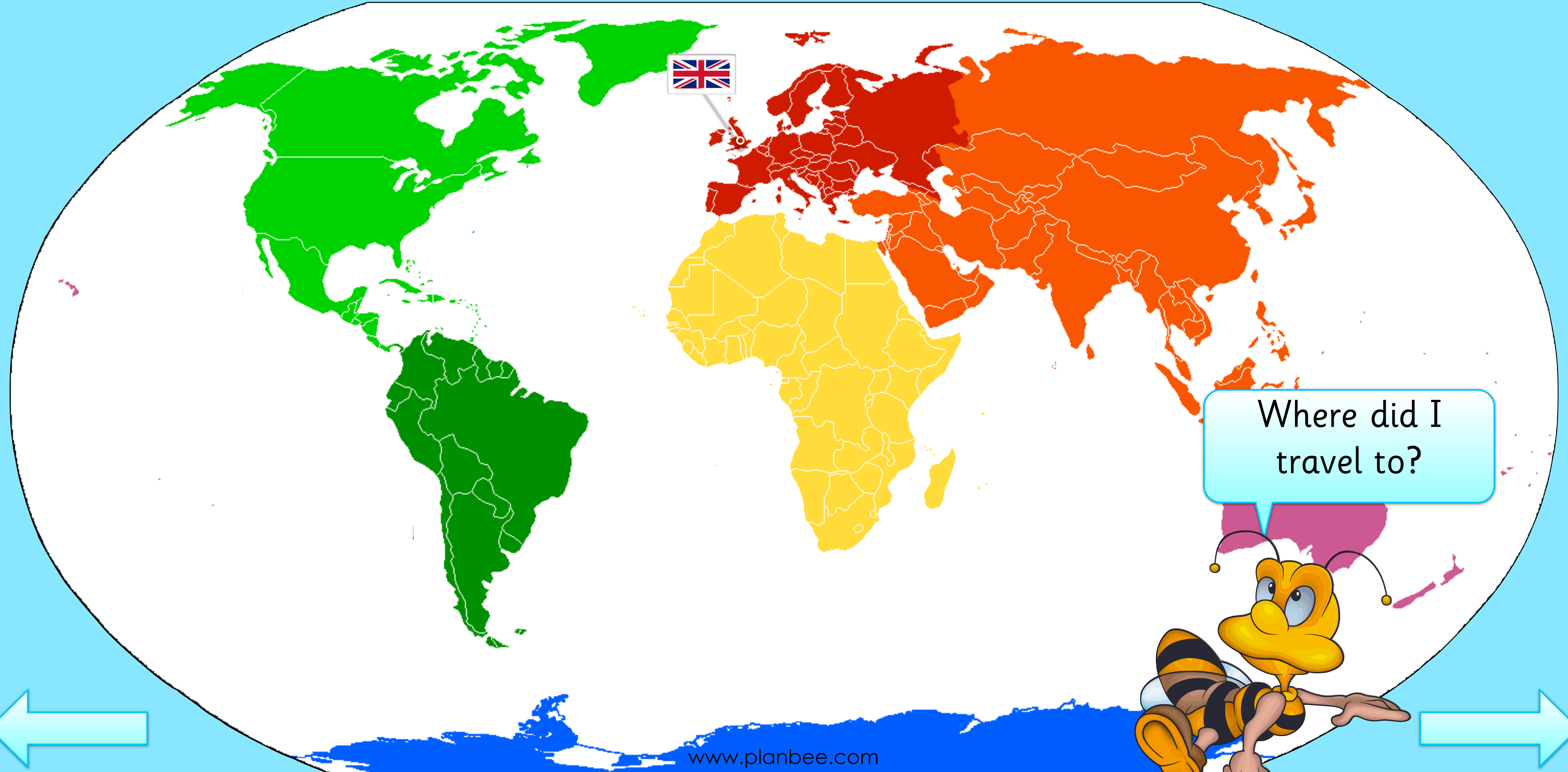
Every time Buddy visits a new country, we are going to mark it on the map.

Where did I start my journey?





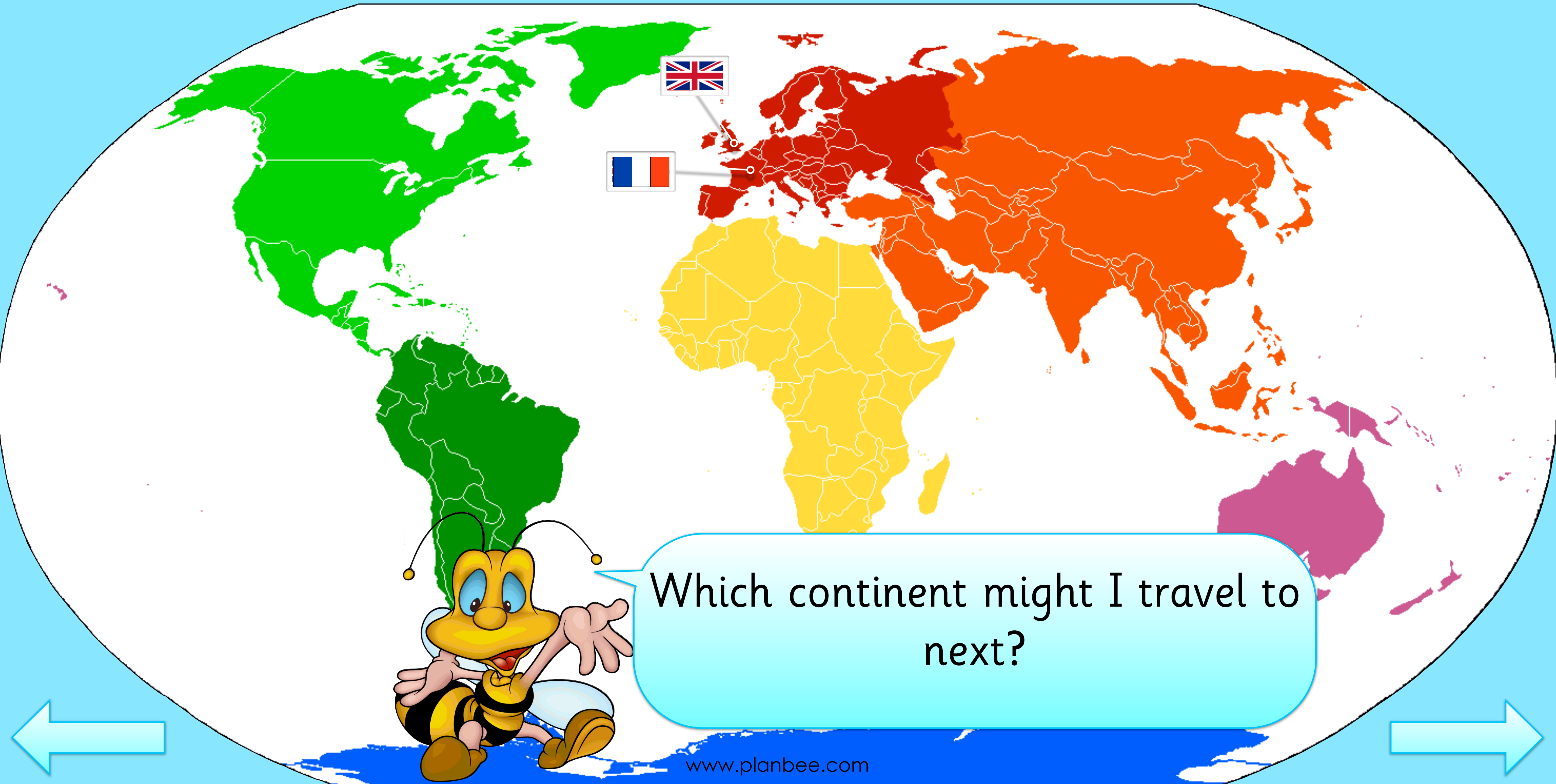
Buddy started his journey in the UNITED KINGDOM. This is in the continent of EUROPE.



Where did I travel to?



He then travelled to FRANCE. This is also in Europe.



Which continent might I travel to next?