

New Zealand

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- ▶ New Zealand is an island country in the southwestern Pacific Ocean.
- ▶ Elizabeth II and Sir Jerry Mateparae
- ▶ Wellington - capital city



Famous places

- ▶ Sky Tower
- ▶ Tongariro National Park
- ▶ Rotorua
- ▶ Bay of Islands
- ▶ Milford Sound



Interesting facts

- ▶ No part of the country is more than 128km (79 miles) from the sea.
- ▶ Only 5% of NZ's population is human- the rest are animals.
- ▶ Blue Lake, in Nelson Lakes National Park, has the clearest water in the world.
- ▶ New Zealand has three official languages: English, Māori and New Zealand Sign Language.
- ▶ The Māori name for NZ, Aotearoa, means 'land of the long white cloud'.

- ▶ Māori are the tangata whenua, the indigenous people, of New Zealand. They came here more than 1000 years ago from their mythical Polynesian homeland of Hawaiki. Today Māori make up 14% of our population and their history, language and traditions are central to New Zealand's identity.



Sport in New Zealand



The national game in New Zealand is Rugby.



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