

Name _____



Africa's Features

Directions: Read the paragraph and fill in each blank with the correct word from the word bank.

Sahara

Atlas Mountains

Nile River

Kilimanjaro

Savanna

Africa is home to many remarkable physical features. In the north lies the vast _____, one of the largest deserts in the world. Farther east flows the _____, a major water source that has supported communities for thousands of years. Large parts of central and eastern Africa are covered in _____, grassy areas where animals like zebras and antelopes roam. In the northwest, the _____ rise high above the surrounding land and create cooler climates. Farther southeast stands _____, one of the tallest peaks on the continent and famous for its snowy summit.