



Name _____

South American Continent

Directions: Use the words in the word bank to fill in each blank. Read each sentence carefully and choose the word that makes the most sense.

Andes	Pacific	Chile
Amazon	rainforest	equator
Brazil	pampas	
Argentina	Peru	

1. The _____ River is one of the longest and most powerful rivers in the world.
2. The _____ Mountains stretch along the western side of South America.
3. _____ is the largest country on the continent.
4. The _____ is a warm region that runs across northern South America.
5. _____ is known for its wide grasslands called the pampas.
6. The thick _____ of northern South America is home to thousands of species.
7. _____ is famous for the ancient Inca site called Machu Picchu.
8. The long, narrow country that stretches down the western edge is _____.
9. The _____ Ocean borders the west coast of South America.
10. The grassy plains known as the _____ are important for cattle raising.