



What's fascinating about Brazil?

Subject Specific Vocabulary			Exciting Books		
street children	Street children are groups of children with no homes or parents who are forced to beg for a living.		<h3>Sticky Knowledge about South America</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❑ There are 12 countries in South America and almost 400 million people live there. ❑ Brazil is the largest country and covers almost half the continent. It is only slightly smaller than the USA. ❑ South America's largest river is the Amazon, which is the second longest river in the world. However, the Amazon carries more water than any other river in the world. ❑ With one of the fastest growing metropolitan populations, Sao Paulo is the largest city of the Southern Hemisphere and one of the largest conurbations in the world. ❑ Spanish is the most popular language in South America even though Brazilians speak Portuguese. ❑ The Incas were the largest group of indigenous people in South America when the Europeans arrived. 		
pampas	The pampas are fertile South American lowlands that cover more than 750,000 km ² .			<h3>South American countries</h3> <p>There are 12 sovereign states:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brazil • Argentina • Chile • Venezuela • Colombia • Peru • Suriname • Bolivia • Uruguay • Paraguay • Guyana • Ecuador <p>Plus, a part of France (French Guiana) and a non-sovereign area (the Falkland Islands, a British Overseas Territory though this is disputed by Argentina).</p>	
anaconda snake	Anacondas are semiaquatic snakes found in tropical South America. They are some of the largest snakes in the world.				
I am somebody	A poem which was used in a campaign to bring attention to the street children of Brazil.				
inhabitant	An inhabitant is a person or animal that is a permanent resident of a particular place or region.				
Pico da Neblina	This is the highest peak in Brazil.				
sparsely populated	Sparsely populated means that there are few people scattered around the area.				
Rio de Janeiro	A huge seaside city in Brazil				
Southern Hemisphere	The half of the Earth that is south of the Equator.				
latitude and longitude	A coordinate system by means of which the position or location of any place on Earth's surface can be determined and described.				