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REGIONAL FOCUS (THE NORTH AFRICAN REGION)

STUDENT RESOURCE (A)

ALGERIA	EGYPT
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Algeria is the largest country on the African continent. 2. The Sahara Desert covers 80 per cent of the country. As Sahara is the Arabic for desert, it is technically called the Desert Desert. 3. 70% of lawyers and 60% of judges are women. 60% of university students are women. In many families, women are contributing more to the household income than men. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The longest River in the World and in Africa – the Nile starts flows through Egypt. Without the River Nile all of Egypt would be made up of desert. 2. The pyramids of Egypt are the last remaining ancient wonder of the world. The Pyramid of Giza being the most famous. 3. Soccer is the most popular sport in Egypt. The national Egyptian team has won the Africa Cup of Nations a record six times.
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LIBYA	MOROCCO
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Libya is a water poor but oil rich country. Most Libyans live on the Mediterranean coast, in cities of Tripoli and Benghazi. The largest water development project ever devised, the Great Man-Made River Project, brings water from aquifers under the Sahara to the coastal cities. 2. The Sahara Desert lies in Libya and engulfs 90% of the country. 3. The crops that are widely cultivated are dates, olives, wheat and barley. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The full Arabic name of Morocco is 'Al-Mamlaka al-Maghribiya', which translates to 'The Western Kingdom'. 2. The main University in Fes, a Moroccan city was founded in 859 AD, claims to be the oldest university in the world. 3. The national drink of Morocco is mint tea.
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