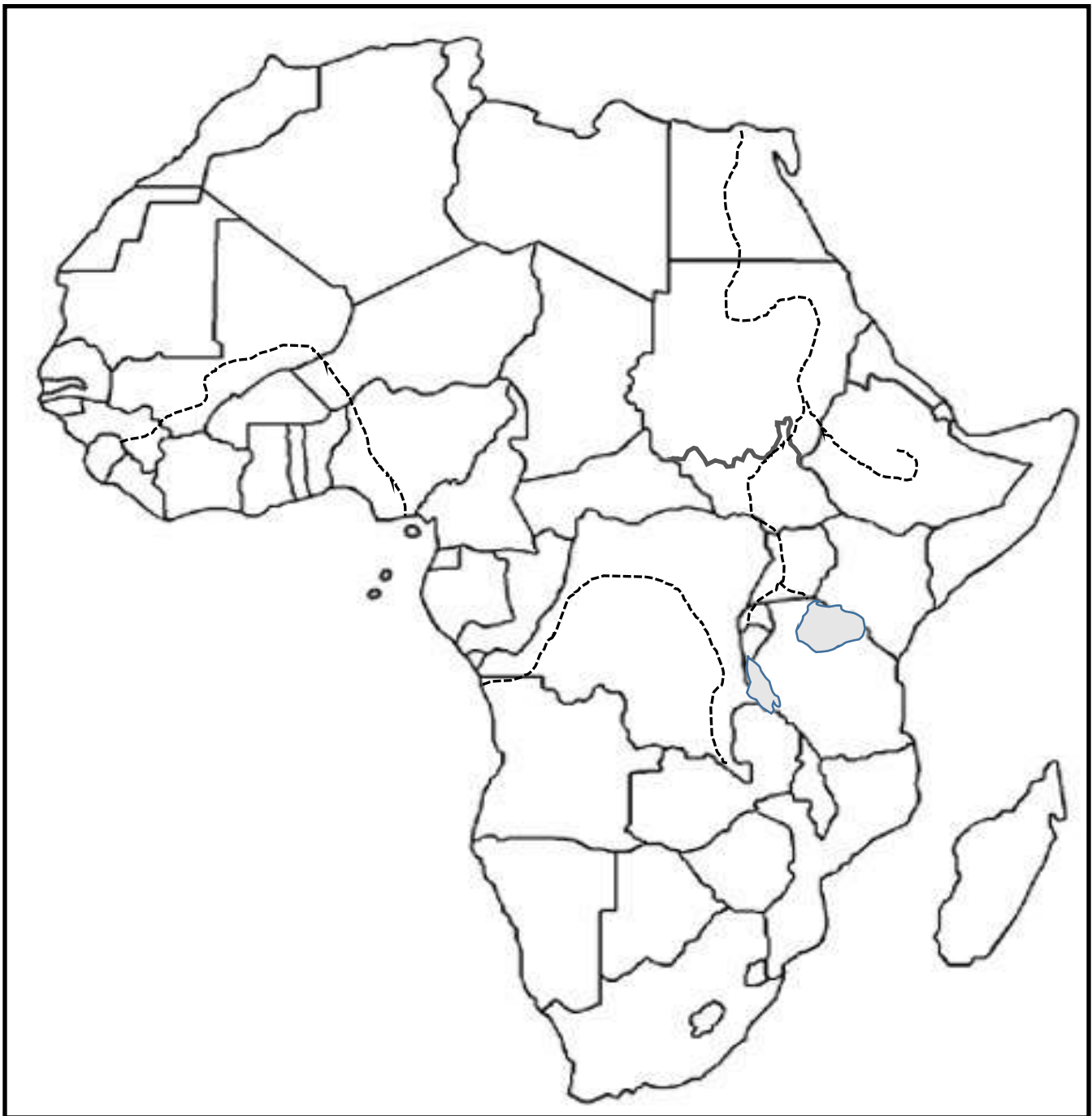


Geography of Africa

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SS7G1 The students will locate selected features of Africa.

a. Political features of Africa



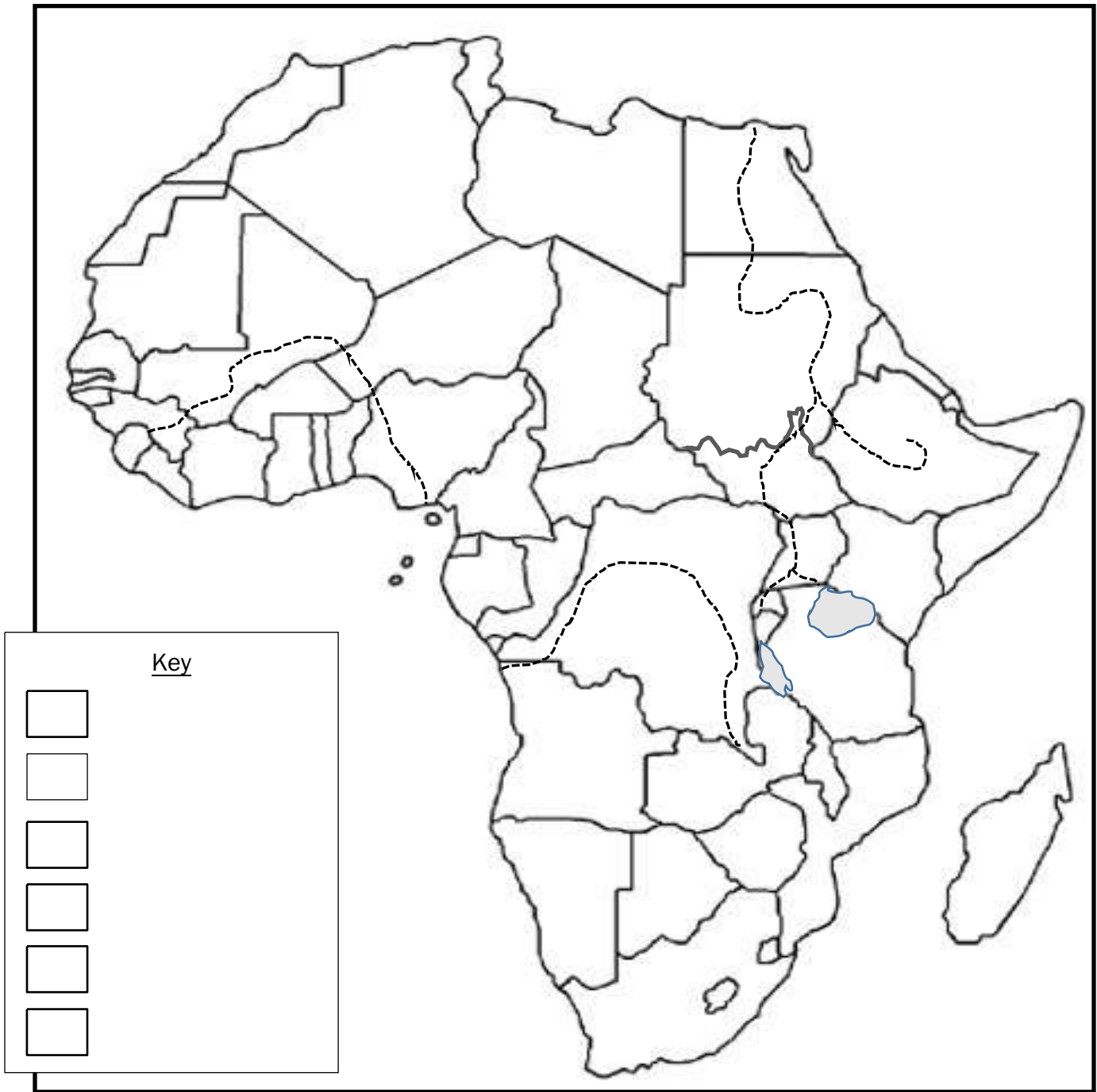
Write your answers to number 1-7 here:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

- 4.
- 5.
- 6.
- 7.

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b. Physical features of Africa



Write your answers for number 8-18 here:

- 8.
- 9.
- 10.
- 11.
- 12.
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- 15.
- 16.
- 17.
- 18.

- 1. Locate and label the physical features.
- 2. Color rivers, lakes and oceans blue.
- 3. Color mountains brown.
- 4. Color deserts yellow.
- 5. Label the following and lightly shade the correct color.
 - a. The Sahara: Yellow
 - b. the Sahel: orange
 - c. the Savanna: light green
 - d. the Rain Forest: dark green
- 6. Make your key.

Where in the world?

Geography of Africa

Directions: Use the maps on pages 158 – 161 of the Atlas to answer the following questions. Once you have found the answer, label the political or physical feature on the correct map.

Directions: Using absolute location, answer the following questions and then label them on your political map.

1. If I am standing on the equator at 20 degrees' east longitude, what country am I in?
2. If I am at 30 degrees' north latitude and 30 degrees' east longitude, what country am I in?
3. What country is located at 20 degrees' north latitude and 30 degrees' east longitude?
4. I am the most populous country in Africa, I am located at 10 degrees' north latitude and 10 degrees' east latitude.

Directions: Using relative location descriptions, answer the following questions and label the feature on your political map.

5. Cape Agulhas is the point where the Indian Ocean meets the Atlantic Ocean, in which country would I find this point?
6. This country has the Indian Ocean as its southeastern border and Lake Victoria as its southwestern border.
7. The city of Juba is the capital of which new country?

Directions: Using relative location descriptions, answer the following questions and label the feature on your physical map.

8. This is the longest river in the world, it flows north through Egypt into the Mediterranean Sea.
9. From these mountains, you might be able to see both the Atlantic Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea.
10. There are two countries that share the name of this river located along the equator.
11. This long narrow lake lies between Tanzania and the Democratic Republic of Congo.
12. This is the largest lake in Africa, it borders Kenya, Tanzania, and Uganda.
13. This southern African desert is home to the Bushmen or San people; it is located mainly in the country of Botswana.
14. This long winding river flows through the western Africa cities of Niamey, Gao, Tombouctou, and Bamako.

Directions: Using relative location descriptions, label these geographic regions on your physical map.

15. This north African desert is the largest desert in the world.
16. This is the area south of the world's largest desert; it is a semi-arid region where herding is a major occupation.
17. When most people think of Africa they picture this lush grassland that is home to many large grazing animals.
18. This region of thick forests with hot climate and lots of rain is found in the central part of the continent.