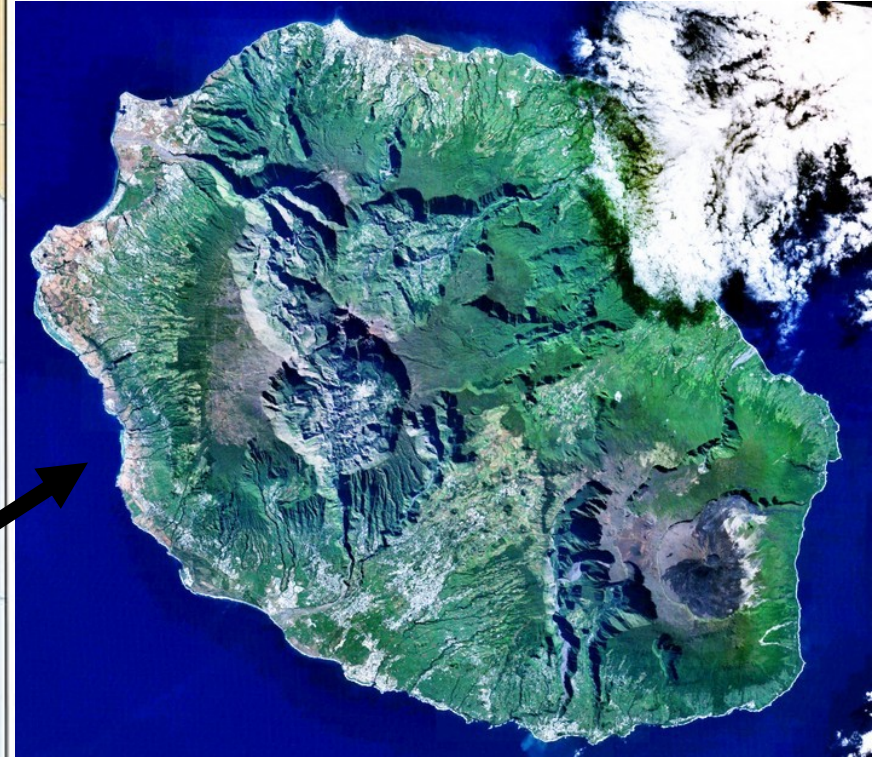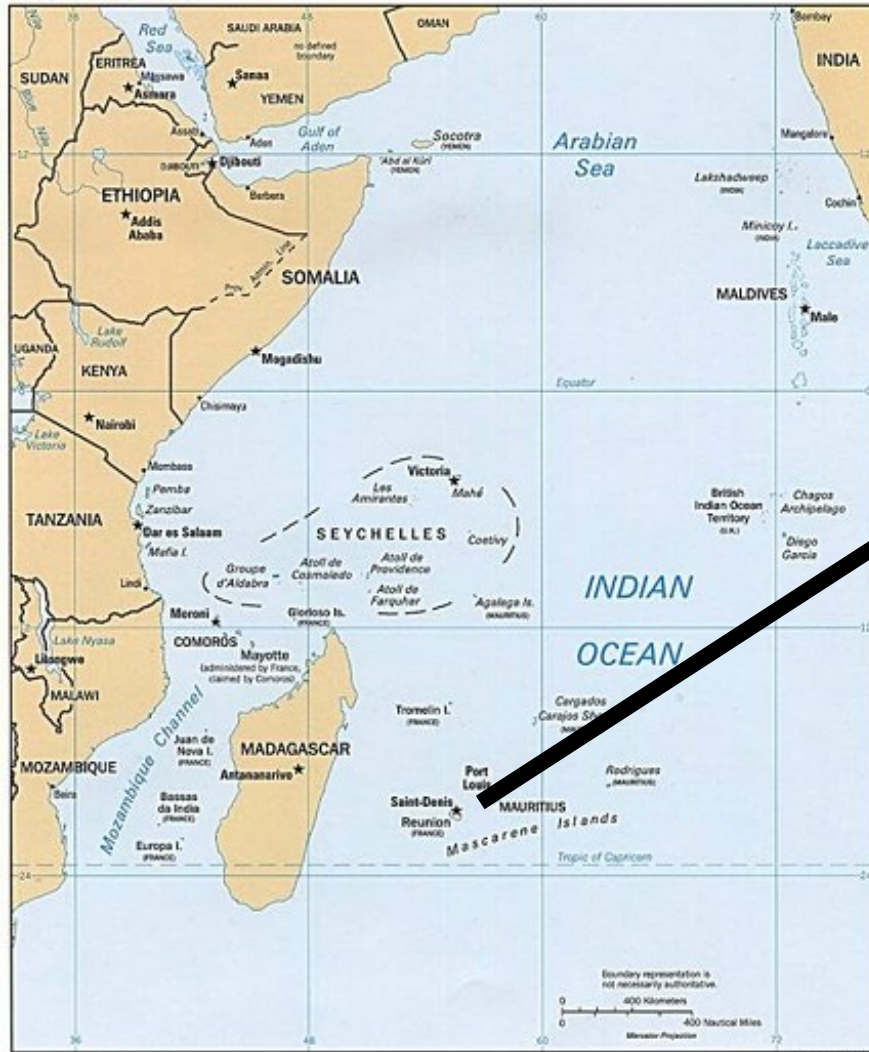# Introduction to Réunion Island

- It's a french island of 800.000 population located in the Indian Ocean, 800 km east of Madagascar about 200 kilometers, and south west of Mauritius .

- Reunion Island is a tropical Island.

Reunion Island in the Indian Ocean

Western Indian Ocean

- Reunion Island is a tropical Island

Réunion landscapes

- The highest moutain is the Piton des Neiges at 3070 m

Typical
Forest

La Réunion is a real paradise for people who like trekking. They will be amazed by what they see by walking through the three cirques and the volcano.

Economy of Réunion

Sugar was traditionally the chief agricultural product and export. Tourism is now an important source of income.
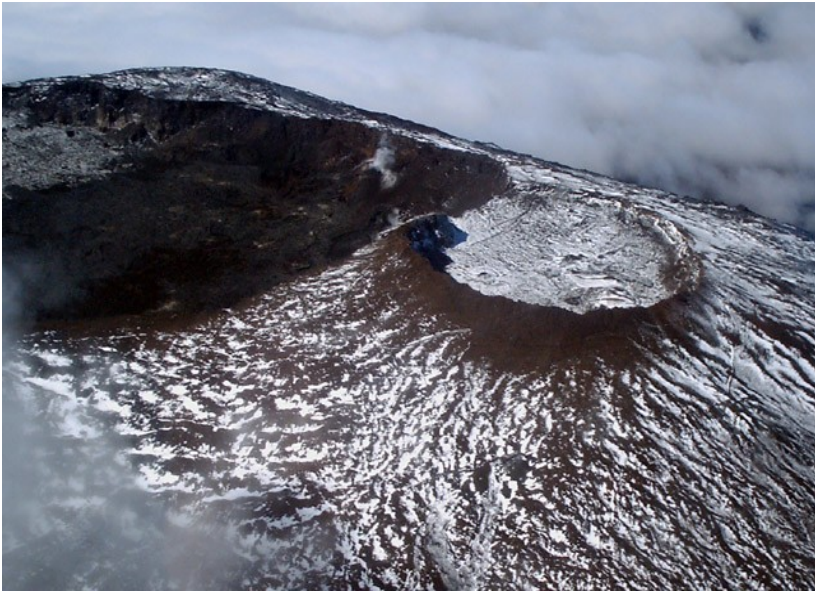

the sugar cane growing

The waterfalls

Moving a few kilometers from the mountains to the sea
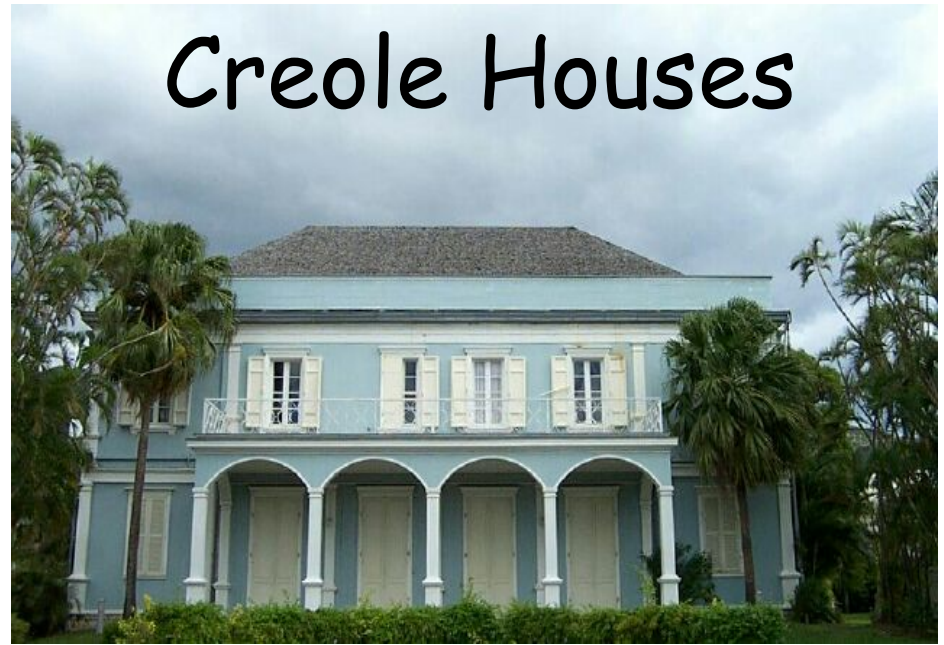
Volcano : Piton de la Fournaise

For 10 years , the volcano has thrown up lava every year.

Creole Houses

Fauna of Reunion Island.

The turtles

The Whale

The " paille-en-queue"

The Chameleons

The Fruit of Reunion

Flowers

Réunion Island is rich
with many floral species

The Reunion : A rainbow population

• Reunion has 800,000 population of diverse origins

Ethnic groups present include people of European, African, Malagasy, Indians and Chinese origin as well as many of mixed race. Local names for these are used: Yabs, Cafres, Malbars and Zarabes (both ethnic groups of Indian origin) and Chinois

Today, the faces of the Reunionese reveal a mingled beauty in all its diversity.

Religious diversity

The predominant religion is Roman Catholicism with Hinduism, Islam and Buddhism also represented, among others.

The food

Creole food is composed of spice, rice, beans, meat or fish.

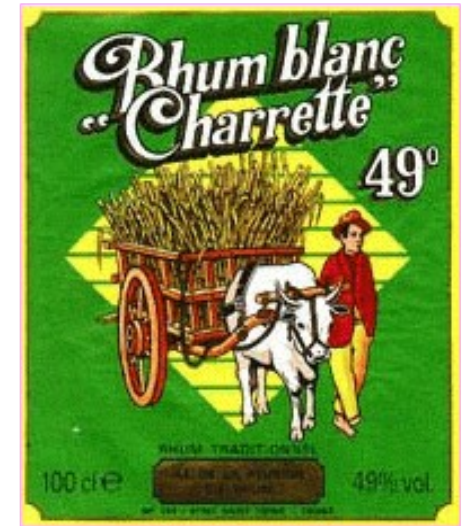Local food blend influences from Africa, India, China and Europe.

Alcohols of Reunion Island

Rum with Fruit

Rum

Wine

Beer

The
School

The School

Art et Bois
Lycée Jean Joly

The technical Part of the school (Wood, carpentry, Furniture..)

Some manufacturing