

EYFS Knowledge Organiser: Animals from hot and cold countries Term: Spring 1 Term 2



Atlas

An atlas is a book full of maps. The maps are of all the different countries around the world.



Continent

A continent is a large solid area of land. The world has seven continents, Asia, Africa, North America, South America, Antarctica, Europe, and Australia.



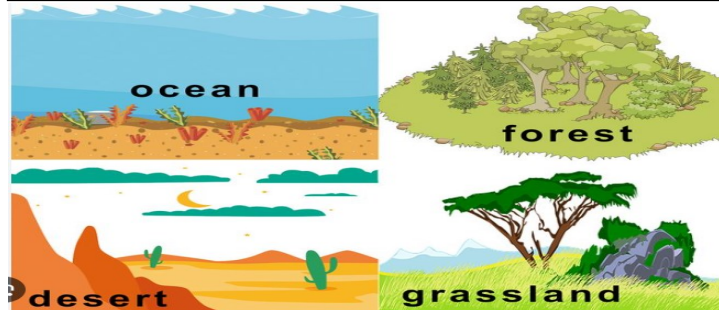
Hot country

The hot countries are closer to the equator. Just a few examples are Africa, Mexico, India and Egypt.



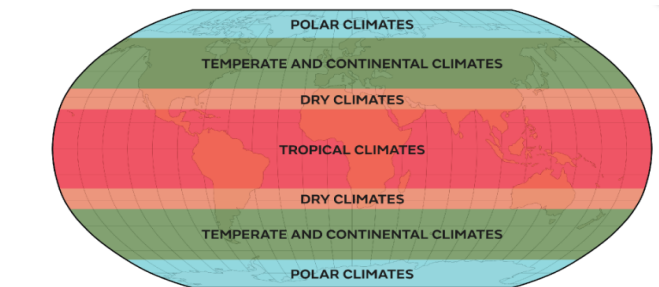
Cold country

The cold places are closer to the North and South Pole. Just a few examples are Norway, Finland, Russia and parts of America and Canada.



Habitat

A habitat is the home of an animal or a plant. Almost every place on Earth—from the hottest desert to the coldest ice pack—is a habitat for some kinds of animals and plants.



Climate

The weather found in a certain place over a long period of time is known as the climate. An area's climate determines what kinds of plants can grow and what kinds of animals can survive.