

# Geography

Year 6 Autumn Term - **Biomes**



Place

Thinking like a Geographer:

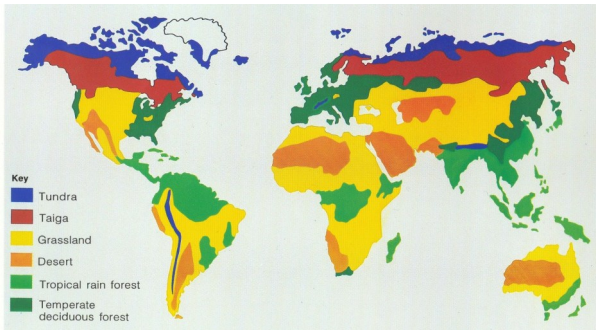
Maps & Field-work	Space	Scale	Interconnections	Environment & Sustainability

## Retrieval and Review

- Name and identify vegetation belts around the world.
- Name and locate the tropics and understand their significance.

## Essential Knowledge

- Name and locate the six types of biomes, tundra, taiga, grassland, desert, rainforest and deciduous forest.
- Describe the climate in each biome.
- Know how the plants and animals differ in each biome.



## Key Vocabulary

Biome	A global ecosystem.
Deciduous forest	Area of trees that lose leaves in Winter.
Taiga	An area of trees that keep leaves all year.
Tundra	Vast, cold, flat, treeless area.
Desert	A dry barren area of land.
Rainforest	An area of forest on the equator that is hot all year round and receives high levels of rain.
Habitat	The natural home of an animal or plant.
Inhabitant	A person or animal who lives in a place.

## Enquiry/fieldwork - Local ecosystems

- What species are found within the local ecosystem? E.g. hedge, field, forest school.