

WORLD LANDSCAPES

DEFINITIONS

Complete the blanks with one of this words: STEPPE – RAINFOREST – DESERT – TAIGA – DECIDUOUS FOREST – MEDITERRANEAN FOREST – TUNDRA – SAVANNAH - MEADOW

Trees such as holm oaks* and pine trees grow in this forests. There are also shrubs and aromatic plants.	
It is a vast plain found in tropical climates. It has tall, green grass in the rainy season, but becomes brown in the dry season.	
Landscapes of moss and lichen in the polar areas closest to the temperate zones.	
Dense and varied vegetation grow in this landscape because of their heat and humidity. It is divided into layers.	
Vegetation is scarce because of the lack of water. Date palms and other plants grow near oases.	
This landscape is usually green. Oceanic trees (beeches, oak*) lose their leaves in autumn.	
Coniferous forest covers large regions in the continental climate in the north. Coniferous trees can resist low temperatures.	
The grass in the oceanic climate is used as pasture for animals.	
Grasslands are found on plains in continental landscapes. This is the typical vegetation in dry areas.	

*Holm oak= Encina

*Oak= Roble

*Beech=haya