

Biomes Around the World

Taiga

I. Directions: Choose the plants that grow in this biome.

					
Broadleaf trees, bushes, ferns, evergreens	Grasses, cacti, arid-adapted trees and shrubs	Only wildflowers, grasses, woody shrubs, few trees	Only mosses, lichens, grasses, low woody shrubs	Evergreen trees and shrubs, mosses, lichens	Vines, water-tolerant trees, flowering plants

II. Directions: Choose the animal that lives in this biome.

					
Tawny Owl	Gorilla	Caribou	Rattlesnake	Arctic Wolf	African Elephant

III. Directions: Choose the amount of precipitation for this biome.

			
Small amount	Small-moderate amount	Moderate amount	Large amount

YEARLY RAINFALL Includes all forms of precipitation

IV. Directions: Choose the temperature range for this biome.

NO SEASONS Hot, humid, rainy and frost-free all year; no dry season	WET and DRY SEASONS Warm all year, with wet and dry seasons instead of summer & winter	SUMMER and WINTER Very hot summer, warm winter; cold nights all year	SUMMER and WINTER Warm or hot summer, humid on hot days; cold, snowy winter	SUMMER and WINTER Mild or warm, humid summer; long, very cold, snowy winter	SUMMER and WINTER Short, cool or warm summer; long, extremely cold winter
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TEMPERATURE RANGE