The First People of Canada

Click and drag in where each group should be

West Coast

Plateau

Plains

Artic

Subarctic

Northeastern Woodland Haudenosaunee

Northeastern Woodland Algonquians



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Different Ways of Life

While the many different indigenous groups of Canada share many beliefs, they all had different ways of life. This was because they lived off the land, and Canada has a wide range of habitats. Fill in the table below.

	Northeastern Woodlands: fisher/hunters (Algonquin)	Northeastern Woodlands: Haudenosaunee	Great Plains	Plateau	West Coast	Sub Arctic (Tundra)	Arctic (Far North)
Where did they live (location, description)							
	Mountains, rivers, lakes	Atlantic coast	Forests in the south, flat and treeless in the north	Around the Great Lakes	Mostly covered in ice and snow	Flat grassland with dew trees and rivers	Mountains, forests and lakes in the north, desert in the south
Food							
	Hunted buffalo	Deer, elk and salmon	From the ocean in the summer. Moose, deer, bear and otters in the autumn	Fish and gathered shellfish	Moose, bear, caribou	Farmed corn, beans and squash	Caribou, muskoxen, waterfowl, berries and marine mammals
Homes							
	Tents with caribou skins	iglu	Cedar log homes	Large longhouses	Villages along coast, with fur skins in the winter	Tents with long poles with buffalo skins	Winter villages

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