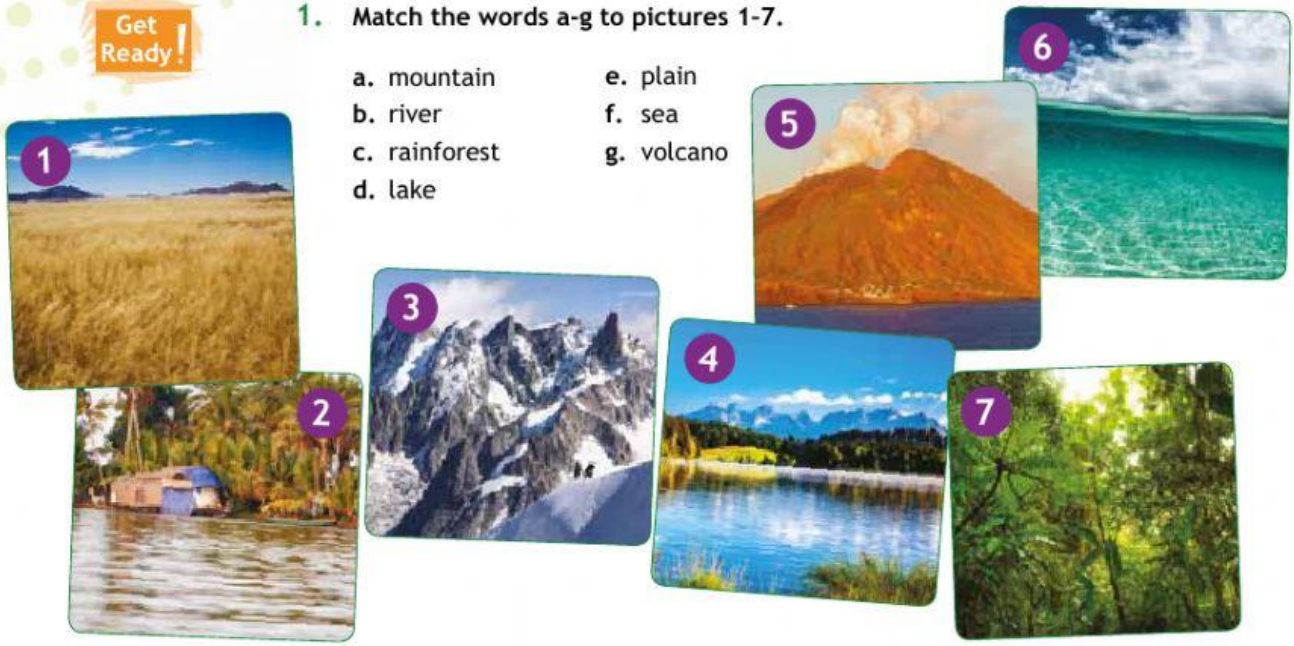
1 Lesson 1

Focus on vocabulary

Get Ready!

1. Match the words a-g to pictures 1-7.

a. mountain
b. river
c. rainforest
d. lake
e. plain
f. sea
g. volcano



2. Read the sentences and complete them with the words in exercise 1.

Places around Colombia:

a. Do you know Guatavita? It is a peaceful _____ near Bogotá.
b. Have you heard of the 'llaneros'? They are Colombian cowboys who live on the Orinoco _____, in the west of Colombia.
c. Chocó is an area in the west of Colombia with beautiful _____ .
d. Pico Cristóbal Colón is a very high _____ in the north of Colombia.
e. Galeras is an active _____. It is very high. It is near Pasto, in the south of Colombia.
f. San Andrés is a tourist island. People enjoy the beaches and swimming in the _____.
g. Caño Cristales is a colourful _____ in La Macarena National Park.

3. Read the text and complete it with words from exercise 1 in your notebook.

Colombia is a beautiful, colourful country. It has many interesting places to visit. There are high (1) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ such as El Picacho in Santander. There are the sunny, hot (2) _ _ _ _ _ _ of Meta and (3) _ _ _ _ _ _ , such as the Amazon and the Orinoco. There is a (4) _ _ _ _ near Cali called Calima. I also love the colours of the (5) _ _ _ on the Caribbean coast near La Guajira and Cartagena. I enjoy the fresh air and the green of the (6) _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ in Chocó and the Amazon. Colombia has beautiful landscapes!

Glossary

such as = tales como
landscapes = paisajes

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