

LISTENING UNIT 6. THE COLDEST PLACES IN THE WORLD.

A. WARM UP

- 1 What cold places around the world do you know?
- 2 What can you see and do in those places? What kinds of animals live there?



B. VOCABULARY

✓ documentary (n) PHIM TAI LIEU	Resident (n) dan cu (people, animals)
be <u>covered</u> with sth (v) duoc bao phu	permanent (adj) lau dai
polar bear (n) gau Bac cuc	quite a few (people) = many
on the <u>coast</u> (n) ven bo (bien)	glacier runs (n) tang bang troi
ice fishing festival (n)	reach (v) temp --> dat den 50
dog sled race (n) cuoc dua cho keo xe	temporarily (adv) tam thoi >< permanent
Exhausted (adj) very tired	unbearable (adj) khong the chiu dc
average <u>temperature</u> (n) to trung binh	freezing cold (adj)
habitable/inhabitable (adj) co the song dc, co su song ><uninhabitable (adj) khong co su song	snowmobile/skimobile (n/v) xe chay tuyet automobile (n) car
range from (v) dao dong tu den	awesome vacation (adj) great/wonderful

Vocabulary Fill in the blank with the correct word(s).

coast
cruel

culture
habitable

permanent
documentary

exhausted
residents

- 1 _____ worn out; very tired
- 2 _____ the people (or animals) who live in a place
- 3 _____ a movie about real events
- 4 _____ livable; fit for a person to live in
- 5 _____ very long lasting
- 6 _____ way of life in a certain society
- 7 _____ very mean; hurtful to others
- 8 _____ land along the sea

C. LISTENING PRACTICE

EXERCISE 1.

1-6: Fill in the gap with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS

1. Melinda and John are watching a/an _____.
2. Greenland is covered with _____.
3. The animals they see on TV are _____.
4. The island is covered with snow and ice, so people can only live _____.
5. People are having an ice fishing festival and a _____ in the film.
6. The dogs seem to be _____ in the race.

7: Choose the best answer:

7a	What is the purpose of the conversation? <input type="radio"/> a to work on an assignment about Greenland <input type="radio"/> c to talk about ice-fishing culture	<input type="radio"/> b to talk about nice places to live <input type="radio"/> d to research cold places
7b	What is true about Greenland? <input type="radio"/> a It's smaller than Iceland. <input type="radio"/> c People can live on the central highlands.	<input type="radio"/> b It is the largest island in the world. <input type="radio"/> d Dog sled races are now prohibited.
7c	What can be inferred about Melinda and John from the conversation? <input type="radio"/> a Melinda is a genius. <input type="radio"/> b They may watch the documentary again. <input type="radio"/> c They have completed their assignment. <input type="radio"/> d They have written down all the information from the documentary.	

EXERCISE 2: Listen and check

1 Russia	2 Finland
1) Region : Western Siberia <input type="checkbox"/> yellow Eastern Siberia <input type="checkbox"/> orange	1) Region : Southern Finland <input type="checkbox"/> yellow Northern Finland <input type="checkbox"/> orange
2) Temperature : -30°C to -15°C <input type="checkbox"/> yellow -20°C to -11°C <input type="checkbox"/> orange	2) Temperature : -20°C to -15°C <input type="checkbox"/> yellow -10°C to 0°C <input type="checkbox"/> orange
3) Environmental state : Habitable <input type="checkbox"/> yellow Uninhabitable <input type="checkbox"/> orange	3) Environmental state : Habitable <input type="checkbox"/> yellow Uninhabitable <input type="checkbox"/> orange
3 Sweden	4 Iceland
1) Region : Northern Sweden <input type="checkbox"/> yellow Eastern Sweden <input type="checkbox"/> orange	1) Region : highlands of Iceland <input type="checkbox"/> yellow coastal area of Iceland <input type="checkbox"/> orange
2) Temperature : -50°C to -15°C <input type="checkbox"/> yellow -15°C to -6°C <input type="checkbox"/> orange	2) Temperature : above -10°C <input type="checkbox"/> yellow below -10°C <input type="checkbox"/> orange
3) Environmental state : Habitable <input type="checkbox"/> yellow Uninhabitable <input type="checkbox"/> orange	3) Environmental state : Habitable <input type="checkbox"/> yellow Uninhabitable <input type="checkbox"/> orange

EXERCISE 3:

Listen and summarize using words from the Word Box.  **Task 23**

Antarctica is the _____ place in the world. The temperature can reach _____ . The land is covered with _____ and ice. There are no permanent human _____ . Only _____ stay _____ for their _____ during the _____ period.

Word Box



-89 degrees
temporarily

coldest
research

snow
summer

residents
researchers

EXERCISE 4:

Task 1 Listen and check.  **Task 24**

1 What is the main topic of the conversation?

Joe's trip to Sweden

the coldest place in the world, Sweden

Task 2 Listen again and answer the questions.

1 Where did Joe go and stay?

2 What items were made of ice?

3 What was put on the ice bed to make it warm?

4 What are some things Joe did on his vacation?
