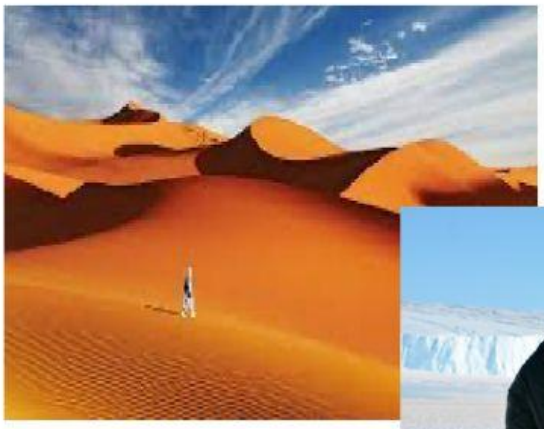
Desert

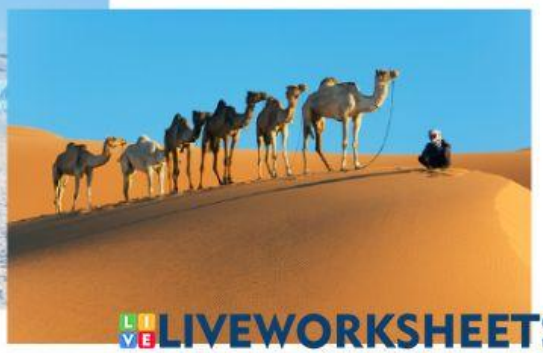
Desert is a large area with very little water and few plants. Many deserts have extreme heat (1)_____ lots of sand. They receive very little rainfall that it is why they are extremely dry. Deserts (2)_____ four types: hot and dry, coastal, semiarid, and cold deserts. The (3)_____ hot desert is the Sahara in Africa. The temperature in the Sahara can rise to 50 degrees Celsius, (4)_____ at night it can go below zero. So, during the day the temperature in the Sahara is hotter (5)_____ at night.

Did you know that the Antarctica is also the biggest desert in the world? The Antarctic and the Arctic are the two (6)_____ polar deserts on Earth.

Although the Sahara is very hot, it is home to many animals like (7)_____ camels, foxes, spiders, elephants and lions, and plants such as cacti and wildflowers.

The desert is (8)_____ beautiful place, but heat, severe sunburns and insects' bites can be dangerous, so people need to be prepared.





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