

Climates around the World





Click on the circles to find out about the climate of each place.

Average
Temperature:

- 4.6°C

Greenland

- Greenland is within the Arctic Circle.
- There are very long winters and very short summers.
- Over 80% of Greenland is covered with snow and ice.
- The temperature is rarely above freezing.
- It is around 10°C in the summer.
- In winter the temperature can drop to around -16°C.



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Average
Temperature:

9.3°C

United Kingdom

- The UK has warm summers and cool winters. Summers are cooler than others in Europe but winters are milder.
- July and August are the warmest months in the UK.
- January and February are the coldest months.
- The west of the UK is the wettest.
- It rains throughout the year.



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Average
Temperature:

8.9°C

The Alps - Europe

- The Alps are a mountain range in Europe. They stretch across eight countries: Austria, Slovenia, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Germany, France, Italy and Monaco.
- The Alps are very cold as the mountains are high up.
- Rain and snow fall on the mountain peaks for most of the year.
- Warm winds make the snow on the mountains melt, which causes avalanches.



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Average
Temperature:

8.2°C

New York (USA)

- New York has cold winters.
- Summers are very warm and the air is moist.
- January is the coldest month.
- July is the warmest month.



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Average
Temperature:

15.5°C

Spain

- Spain has 4 different climates - Mediterranean, Mountain, Continental Mediterranean and Oceanic.
- Summers are clear, hot and dry.
- Winters are cloudy and cool.
- Rain falls mostly in spring and autumn.



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Average
Temperature:

25.4°C

Jamaica

- Jamaica has a tropical climate.
- It is hot and warm all year round because it is close to the equator.
- There is little rainfall.
- Hurricanes happen between June and November.



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Average
Temperature:

21.7°C

Egypt

- Egypt is within the Sahara Desert.
- It is very dry and has hardly any rainfall all year round.
- In Summer months it is extremely warm and dry.
- Sometimes violent sandstorms happen here.



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Average
Temperature:

24.2°C

India

- India doesn't have the same seasons as ours. It has:

Winter: from November to January.

Summer: from March to May.

Monsoons: from June to September.

Spring: A hint of spring in early November.

- Monsoons are winds that blow from cold to warm places that bring heavy rain.



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Average
Temperature:

24.5°C

Brazil – The Amazon Rainforest

- Around 60% of the Amazon rainforest lies in Brazil.
- There is a lot of rainfall.
- It is hot and very humid throughout the year.
- It is close to the equator.



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Average
Temperature:

17.7°C

Australia

- In the summer, Australia is mostly hot everywhere.
- There is very little rainfall overall.
- There are no extreme cold temperatures.
- There are different seasons in different regions.



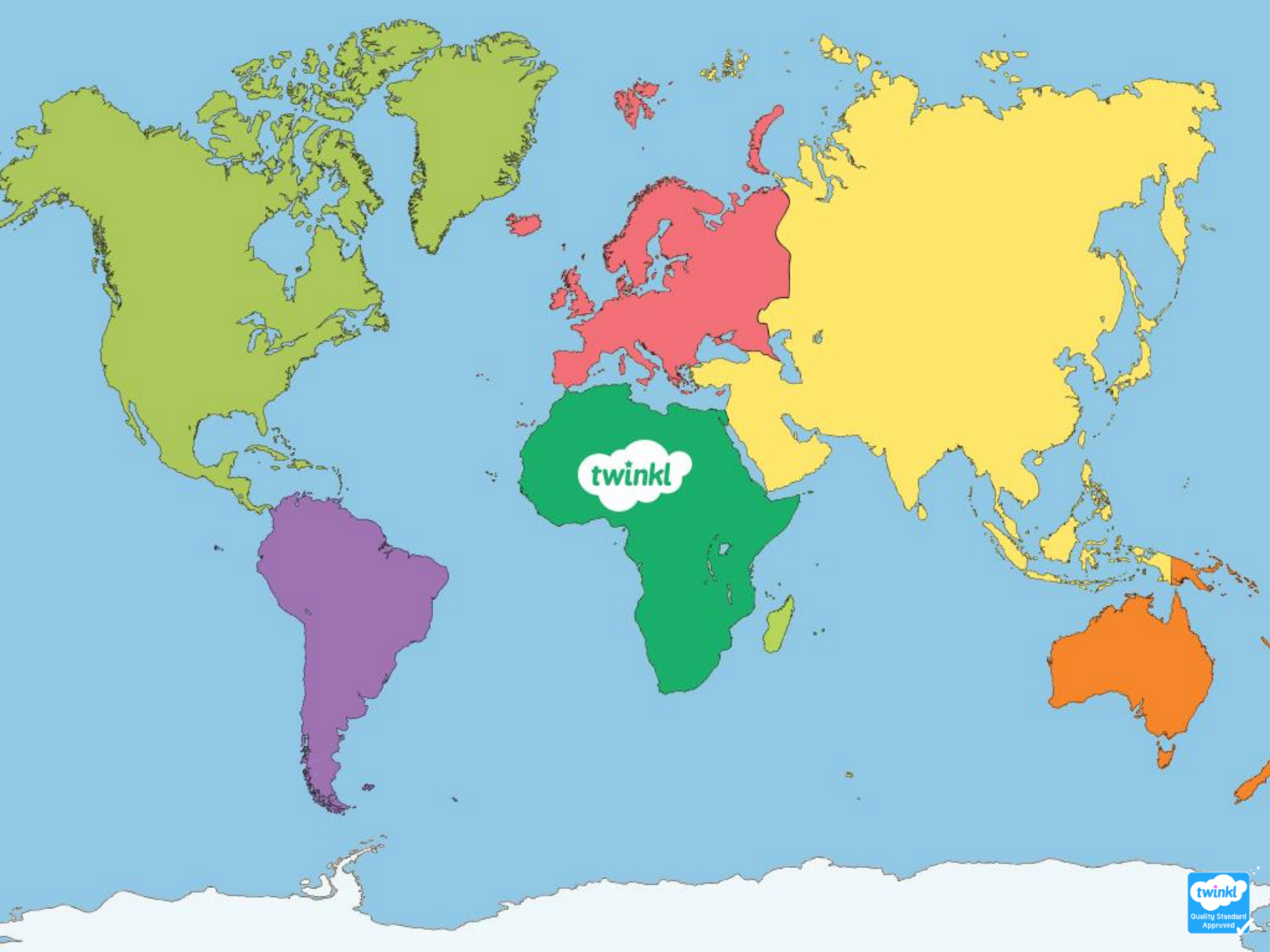
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Your task.

1. Divide a piece of paper into 4.
2. Draw a picture of an arctic climate, an alpine climate, a tropical climate and an arid climate.
3. Add facts for each one.



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