

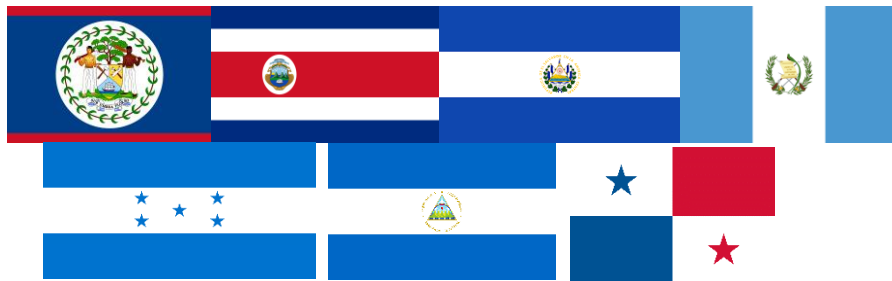
Central America

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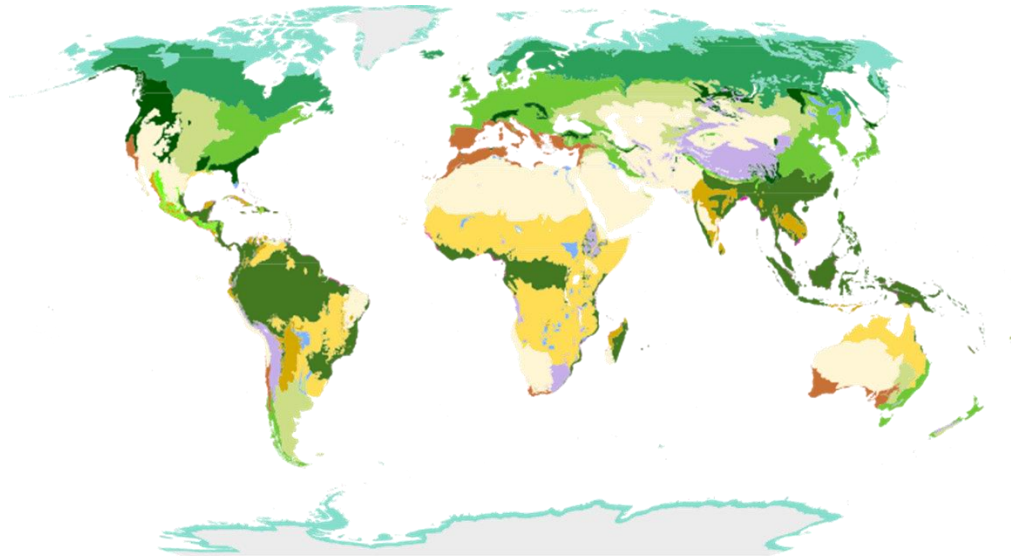


Country	Capital	Area (km ²)	Population (2016)
Belize	Belmopan	22,966	366,954
Costa Rica	San Jose	51,100	4,857,274
El Salvador	San Salvador	21,041	6,344,722
Guatemala	Guatemala City	108,889	16,582,469
Honduras	Tegucigalpa	112,090	9,112,867
Nicaragua	Managua	130,370	6,149,928
Panama	Panama City	75,420	4,034,119
total		521,876	47,448,333

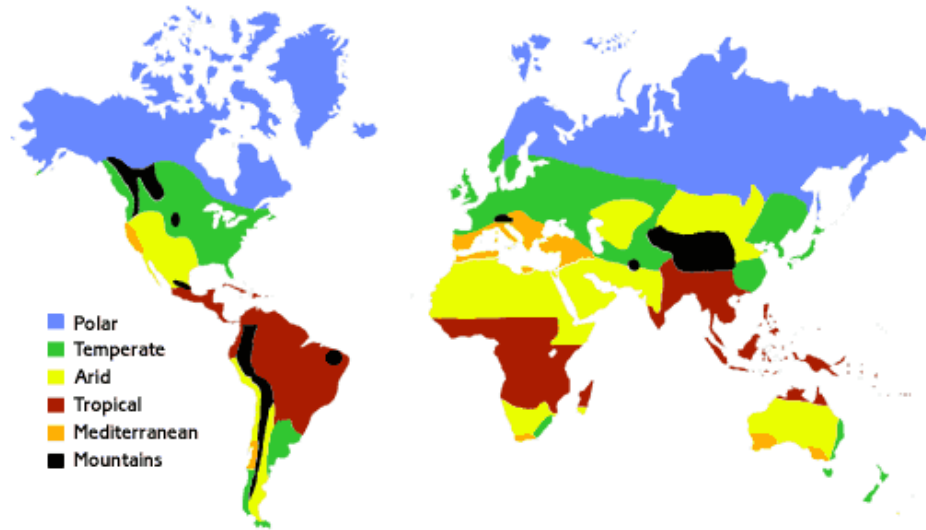
Term	Definition
Biome	A large community of plants and animals that have common characteristics for their environment.
Climate	The weather conditions in an area over a long period of time.
Climate Zone	An area with a similar climate.
Continent	A massive area of land that is separated from others by water or other natural features.
Isthmus	A narrow stretch of land that joins two larger areas of land.
Land Mass	A large area of land.
Plate tectonics	The way the plates that make up the crust of the earth move.
Trade routes	Established routes used to move good around the world.



A map showing different biomes:



A map showing different climate zones:



Learning Objectives:

- ✓ I can use maps and atlases to locate the countries of Central America.
- ✓ I can identify and label their capital cities.
- ✓ I can identify key details about the countries I have studied.
- ✓ I can identify and describe the climate and vegetation of Central America.
- ✓ I can identify the main industries of a Central American country.
- ✓ I can identify similarities and differences between these industries.
- ✓ I understand ways in which people have changed the world around them and can suggest reasons why.
- ✓ I understand that the actions of humans have an impact on the planet around us.
- ✓ I understand the reasons why tourists visit different countries.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Central_America

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