



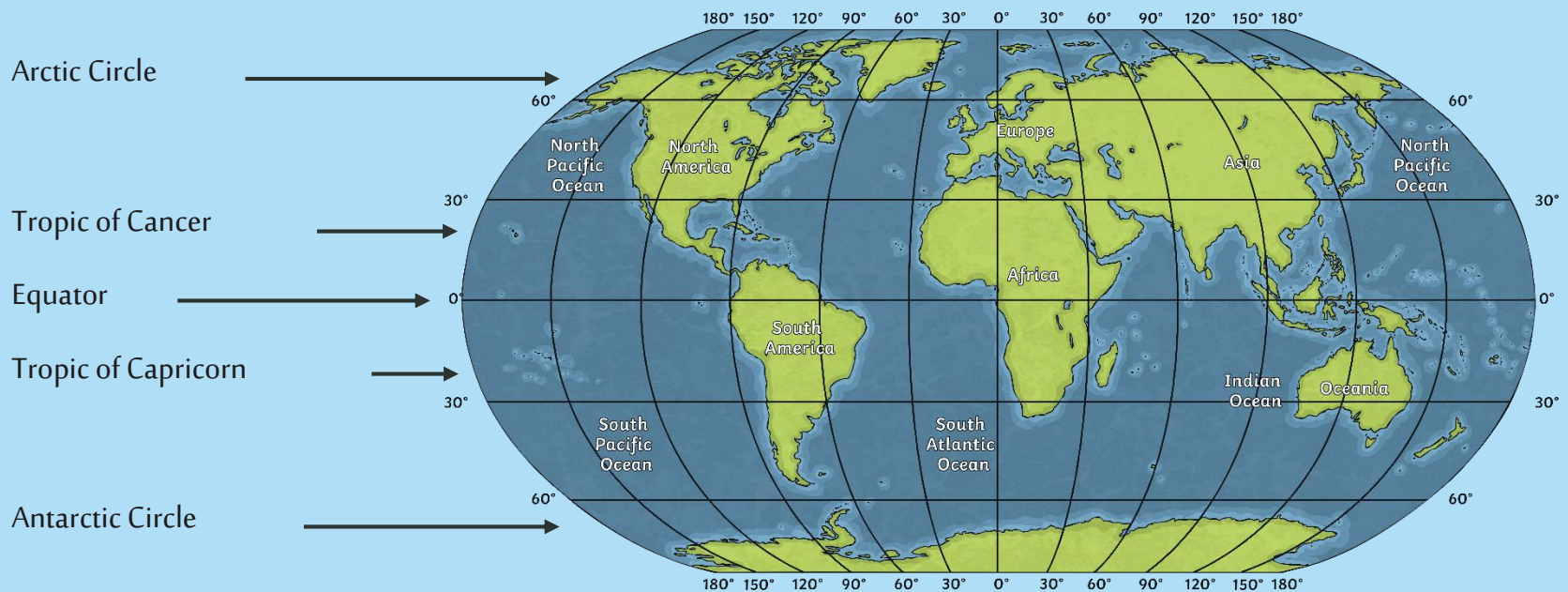
Location, Location

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Latitude and Longitude



This world map shows the lines of latitude and longitude.
What do the lines of latitude and longitude tell us?

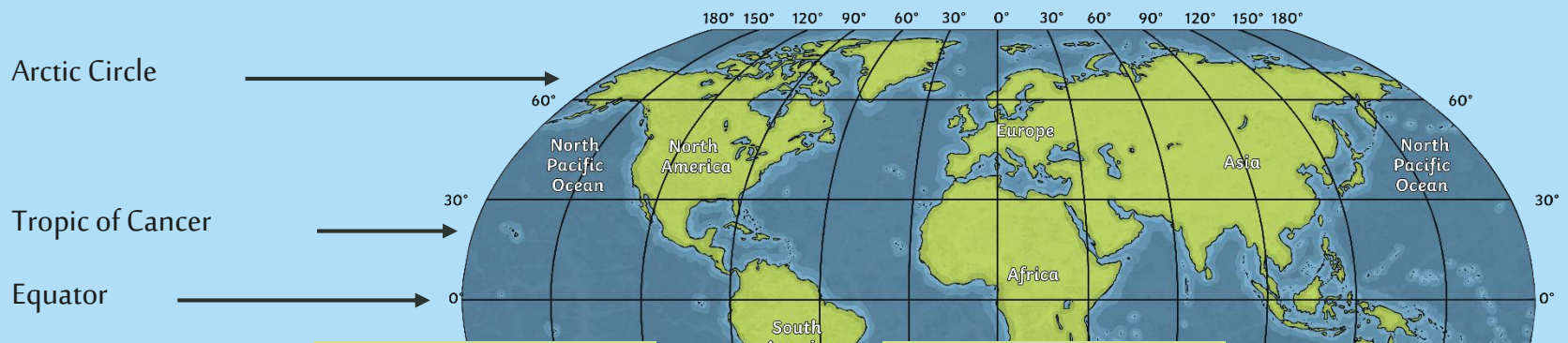


Will the places in each land mass look the same? Why/Why
not?

Climate Zones



What do you know about these areas?
Click each of the areas to find out more.



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imaginary line around the southernmost of the Earth's Circles the Pole.

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imaginary line around the northernmost of the Earth's Circles the Pole.

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Equator: An imaginary line around the globe at latitude 0°. The sun is directly above this line around March and 21st June.

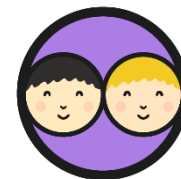
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Tropic of Cancer: an imaginary line around the globe at latitude 24° north. The sun is directly above this line at the solstice around 21st June.

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Key Vocabulary



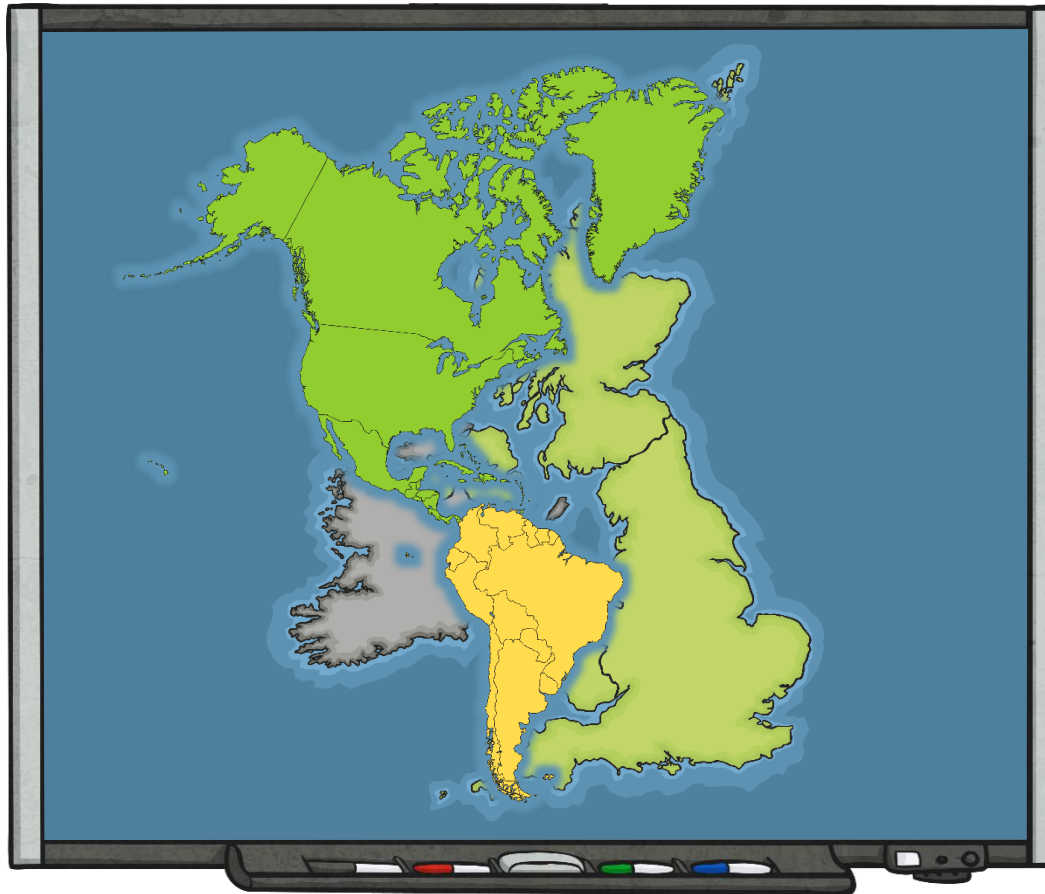
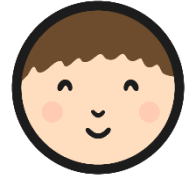
Work with a partner to complete the **Word Search Activity Sheet**. Then write a definition of each of the key words.



Equator, Tropics, Hemispheres and Poles

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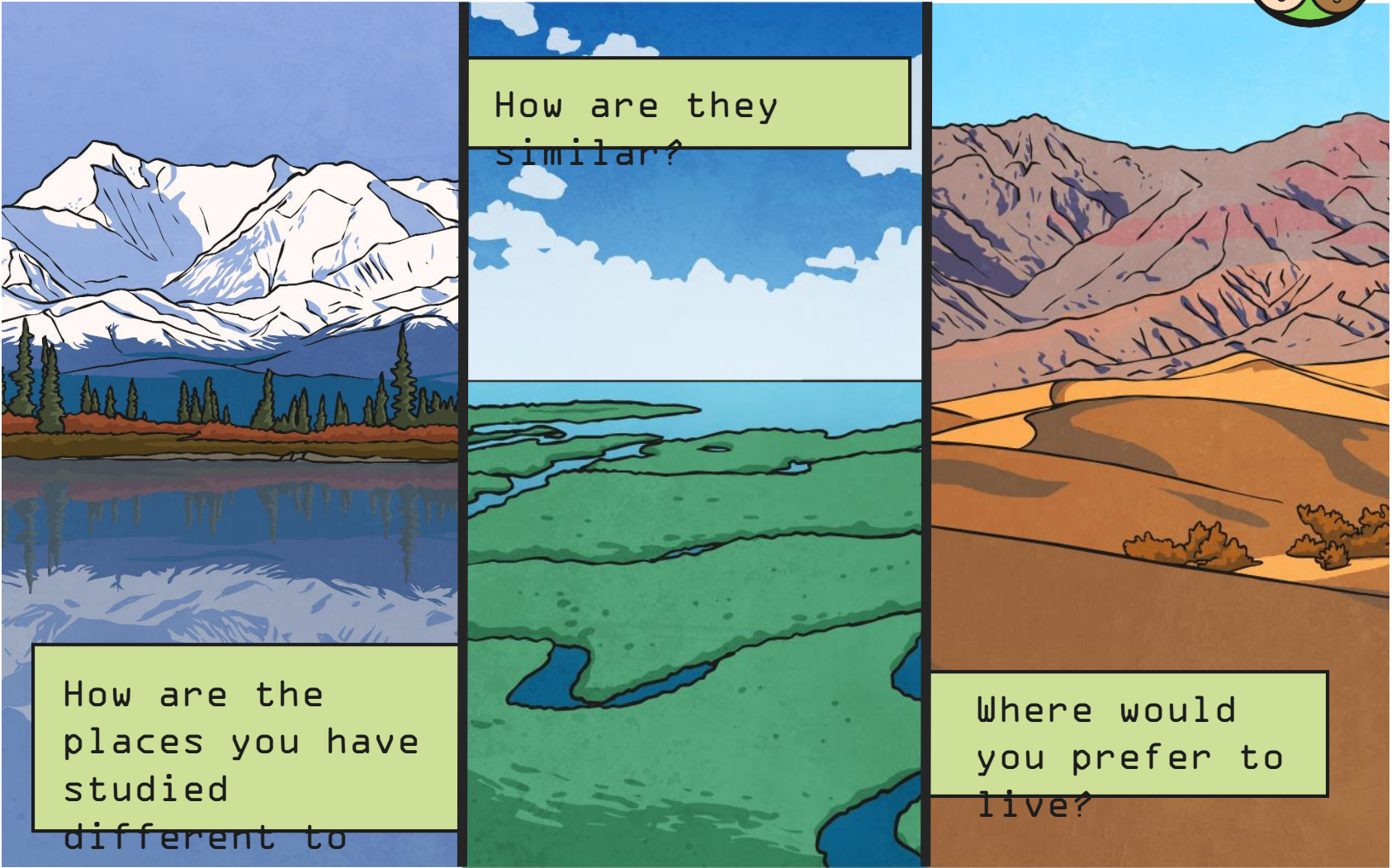
Geographical Locations and Characteristics



Unlike the United Kingdom, the Americas cover a huge area of the globe, extending over several lines of latitude and longitude. This means that the characteristics of different countries and regions vary significantly.

These will include temperature, rainfall, vegetation and land

Making Comparisons

The slide is divided into three vertical panels. The left panel shows a snowy mountain range with evergreen trees in the foreground. The middle panel shows a green valley with a winding river and a blue sky with clouds. The right panel shows a dry, brown landscape with mountains in the background and some small bushes in the foreground.

How are they
similar?

How are the
places you have
studied
different to
the UK?

Where would
you prefer to
live?



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