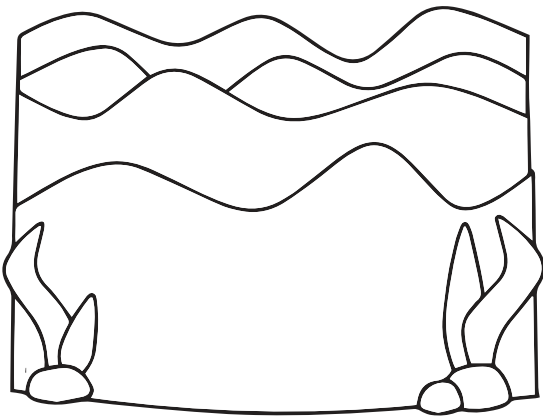
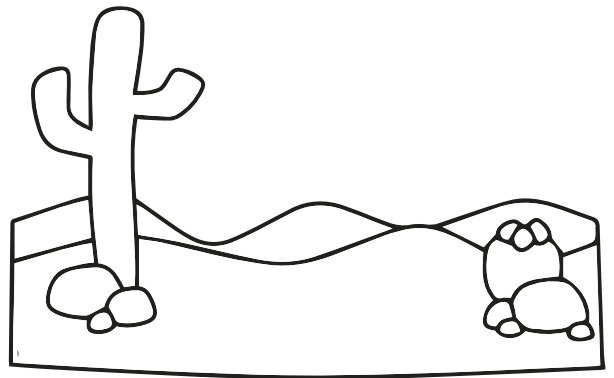


Biomes

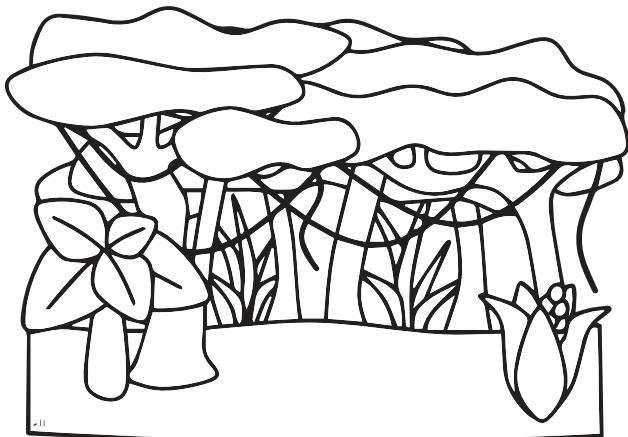
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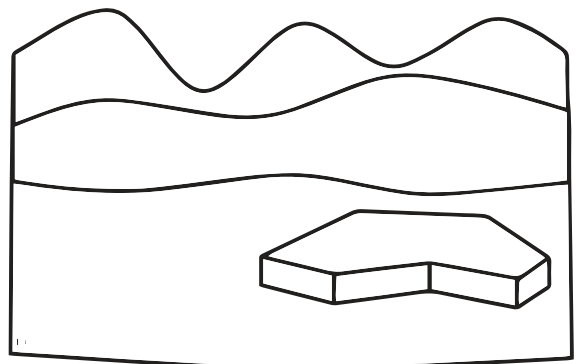
Desert



Rainforest



Arctic



How to create your lapbook:

Supplies Needed:

- File Folder
- Crayons, Markers
or Colored Pencils

- Glue
- Scissors

Cover of Lapbook

To create the cover of the lapbook, color each item on the page. When finished, cut down the solid line and glue the pieces to each side of the lapbook.

Center

Using the dotted line area at the top of each page as a guide, with the cover page on top, glue the rest of the pages together.

Booklets

Cut out each page of the booklets. Using the top line as a guide, glue the top portion (with the names and pictures) of the booklet to the next page. Repeat for each page until the booklet is formed. Glue bottom portion down to the inner lapbook flap.

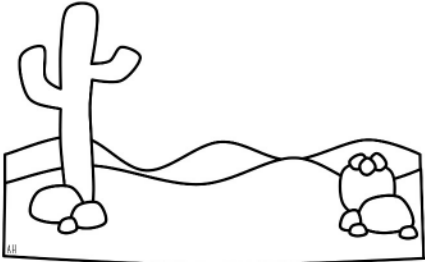
Cut & Paste Activity

Cut out the circles with animals in them. Paste them around the biome they belong to.

What is a biome?

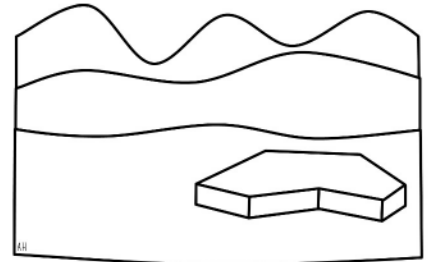
A biome is a large region of Earth that has a certain climate and certain types of living things. The plants and animals of each biome have traits that help them to survive in their particular biome. Plants and animals that live within smaller areas of a biome also depend on each other for survival. These smaller areas are called ecosystems. Each biome has many ecosystems.

Desert



The desert biome is more dry and hot than any of the other biomes. The desert biome gets less than 10 inches of rain a year and does not have much water. They have dry soil, little to no surface water, and high evaporation. They are so dry that sometimes rain evaporates before it can hit the ground!

Arctic



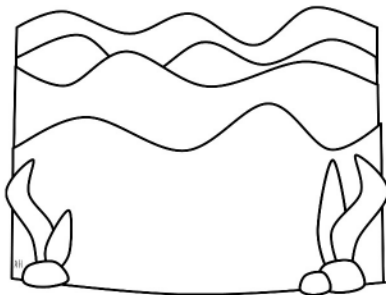
The arctic biome is the coldest of the biomes. The average temperature in the arctic is around -18 degrees F. It gets much colder in the winter and warmer during its short summer.

Rainforest



The tropical rainforest is the wettest land biome in the world. The tropical rainforest gets its name because it is warm and rainy! This land biome is home to over half of all the plant and animal species on the entire planet.

Ocean



The ocean biome is the largest biome on planet Earth and covers around 70% of the Earth's surface. Many of the animals, such as fish, have gills that allow them to breathe the water. Other animals are mammals that need to come to surface to breathe, but spend much of their lives in the water.

Cut and paste each animal around the correct biome.

