

Africa and desertification

Knowledge and Understanding	Skills
<p>Students are able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A detailed knowledge and understanding of the complex causes of desertification making links between physical and human factors. • Evaluated a variety of solutions to the problem of desertification and demonstrate a strong understanding of sustainability. 	
<p>Students are able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explain how climate determines the characteristics and distribution of biomes • Compare the climate and characteristics of different biomes • A detailed definition of the term 'desertification.' • A detailed knowledge and understanding of the complex causes of desertification (both physical and human - this is balanced) • Explained in detail a wide range impacts that this will have on people and the environment. • A variety of solutions offered to the problem of desertification and demonstrate a sound understanding of sustainability. 	<p>Students are able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Calculate temperature and precipitation averages using climate data
<p>Students are able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe the characteristics of different biomes • Describe the climate of different biomes • A clear definition of the term 'desertification.' • Recognised, described and started to explain some of the different causes of desertification (both physical and human - this maybe unbalanced) • Started to explain some of the impacts that this will have on people and the environment. • Some solutions suggested to the problem of desertification and have an awareness of the idea of sustainable management. 	<p>Students are able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw a climate graph using geographical data • Calculate temperature and precipitation ranges from climate data

Students are able to:

- Name the main biomes found in Africa
- Identify some climates and characteristics of different biomes in Africa
- A **basic** definition of the term 'desertification.'
- Recognised and **described some** of the different **causes** of desertification.
- Briefly explained **some** of the **impacts** that this will have on people and the environment.
- **Basic solutions** suggested to the problem and have demonstrated an awareness of the idea of sustainable management.

Students are able to:

- Identify different biomes using photographs
- Identify values from a climate graph, including minimums and maximums