

Read Section 5. Write one or two sentences describing the type of thematic map you read about. Then complete the list of vegetation zones by filling in the missing pieces. Each entry should have a key term, an icon, and a definition.

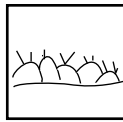
5 Trees and Other Plants: Earth's Vegetation

A world vegetation map shows information about

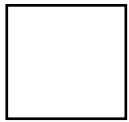
Vegetation Zones



ice cap:



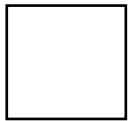
_____ : small trees and bushes adapted to a Mediterranean climate



tundra: treeless plain with grasses, mosses, and scrubs adapted to a cold climate



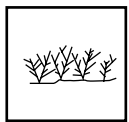
_____ : trees with broad, flat leaves that are shed before winter



desert: arid region with few plants



_____ : a mix of coniferous and deciduous trees



desert scrub:



coniferous forest:



temperate grassland:



broadleaf evergreen forest: tall trees with large leaves that remain green all year



_____ : grasses and scattered trees adapted to a tropical wet and dry climate



highlands: vegetation varies with latitude and elevation