

Biome Postcard Project

OBJECTIVES:

- (1) Describe key characteristics about a particular biome (climate, common animals, common plants, natural resources, etc.).
- (2) Identify where in the world a particular biome is located.

ASSIGNMENT: Create a fabulously colorful, creative, and informative postcard from anywhere in the world that has your assigned biome!

In your postcard, please include the following:

- (a) Front **picture** that depicts the scenery of your biome (native plants and animals, identifiable monuments or land forms, etc.) This can be drawn by hand and colored in markers, crayons, colored pencils, etc. OR it can be a collage of cutout images. But it cannot be one large printed image.
- (b) A **stamp** that is designed as a symbol representing your biome
- (c) A **letter** written in the first person (I, us, we) describing your journey in a location anywhere in the world that has your assigned biome. In the letter, you must include the following details:
 - a. at least 3 types of fauna (animals) and at least three types of flora (plants) that you see
 - b. the climate that you are experiencing
 - c. at least 3 activities that you have done on your trip relating to the biome
 - d. the food that you have eaten
 - e. the place (hotel, campground, chalet, hut, etc.) where you are staying
- (d) The address which includes the name and address of the person you are sending the postcard to (Ms. Dannenberg or Ms. Bizier, Newton North High School, 360 Lowell Ave., Newtonville, MA 02460)
- (e) A return address which is your **name and address** where you are staying in the world (for example: Sally Jones, 42 Bob Marley Way, Jamaica Islands).
- (f) The **date** you wrote the postcard.