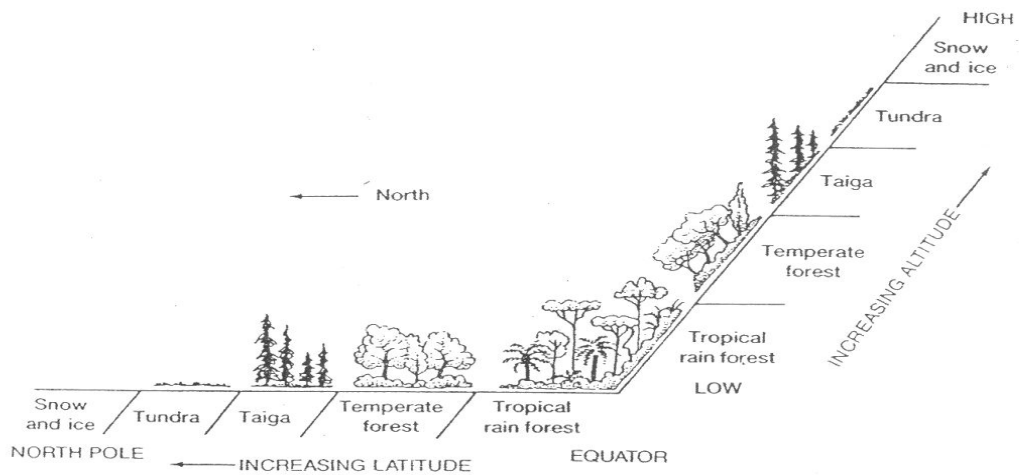


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TERRESTRIAL BIOMES—LATITUDE AND ALTITUDE



1. List in order the biomes through which you would pass if you traveled from the equator to the pole. _____
2. What is the latitude of the equator? _____ the approximate latitude of the taiga? _____ the approximate latitude of the tundra? _____
3. Compare the diversity of the plants and animals as one goes from the tropics to the polar regions. _____
4. Where is the tree line as one ascends a mountain? _____
5. How are the northern tundra regions similar to the alpine tundra regions? _____
6. Where might you be able to travel from a tropical forest to a snow and ice covered mountain top in a relatively short period of time? _____