



➤ ***What is Adaptation? What is a Biome?*** (Use page 6 of Adaption to complete this paragraph)
Adaptation is how a _____ or _____ finds a way to _____ in its _____ ---
the area where it lives. There are lots of different habitats across the _____. Similar ones can
be grouped together to form Earth's _____. These are areas with similar _____ and
where similar plants and animals live. In each _____ and each _____, plants and
animals find different ways to _____.

➤ ***Using the Biome map on page 6, answer the following questions:***

- * What Biome do we live in? _____
- * What Biome were you born in (if the same, name one in another part of the world)? _____
- * What important Biome was left out of the KEY? _____
- * Name a Biome that has a place people love to visit. _____
- * What Biome(s) would you ideally want to live in? _____
- * What type of adaptations would a squirrel from New York State
need to have if they were relocated to California (see Biome map)?



➤ ***What do plants and animals need to survive?***

Both plants and animals need _____. Plants get their energy from _____. They use this
to make their own _____. Animals need to eat food --- either plants or other animals --- to get
their own _____. Plants and animals also need _____ to survive. Animals need to
breathe _____, and plants also need _____. Most animals need some shelter, for
protection from the _____ and to hide from _____.