



Under the Sea- Year 1- Term 4



The **7 continents of the world** are:-

Asia
Africa
North America
South America
Antarctica
Europe
Oceania

Oceania is sometimes called Australasia.

The **5 oceans** are the Pacific, Atlantic, Southern, Arctic and Indian oceans.

The **Equator is an imaginary line** that separates the earth into the Northern hemisphere and the Southern hemisphere.

There are **2 polar regions** to the north and south of the planet.

The temperature around the equator is hot.
It is cold around the poles.

Life around the 2 polar regions are different from life around the equator.

Animals such as the **beluga whale, arctic foxes and some seals** live in the colder regions and animals such as **snakes, big cats and primates** live in warmer regions.

We can use a **temperature atlas** to locate where the hot and cold countries of the world can be found.

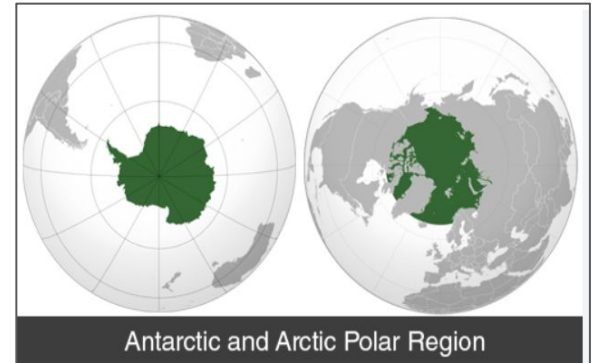
What do you already know?



What country and continent do we live in?

-How many oceans are there?

-What is it like in the coldest parts of Earth?



Antarctic and Arctic Polar Region

Vocabulary



Continent	A large solid area of land. It is also called a landmass.
Ocean	A large body of saltwater.
Sea	A body of saltwater much smaller than an ocean.
Temperature	How hot or cold something is. How hot or cold a place is.
Polar Regions	Regions that cover the top and bottom of the planet earth.
Equator	A imaginary line that divides the world into 2 halves - top and bottom.
Hemisphere	When the world is divided into 2 equal parts.

