

Biomes # 1

Name _____

Using the following URLs, answer the questions:

<http://www.ngdc.noaa.gov/mgg/fliers/00mgg04.html>

<http://www.cotf.edu/ete/modules/msese/earthsysflr/biomes.html>

<http://www.ucmp.berkeley.edu/glossary/gloss5/biome/index.html>

1. Define: Biome
2. What are the five major world biomes?
3. Each major biome has subdivisions. What are some of the subdivisions for each of the major biomes?
4. What does adaptation mean?
5. List **all** of the examples of adaptations that are given.
6. Give at least 2 additional examples of animal and 2 additional examples of plant adaptations of your own.
7. Why are biomes important?
8. Human activity has destroyed or polluted many habitats. What has been done, and what are the consequences of these activities?
9. What can be done to save the World's biomes?