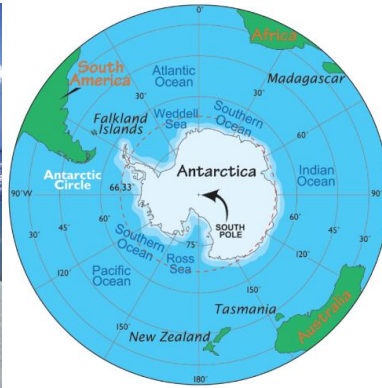


Vocabulary		
1	shelter	A place giving temporary protection from bad weather or danger.
2	continents	The Earth's land masses are divided into 7 large landmasses
3	climate	The weather conditions prevailing in an area in general or over a long period.
4	precipitation	Rain, snow, sleet, or hail that falls to or condenses on the ground.
5	desert	An area of land with little to no rainfall.
6	arid	A land with little to no available water.
7	semaphore	Sending messages using flags.
8	flares	A sudden brief burst of bright flame or light.
9	bivouac	A temporary shelter for sleeping outside.
10	igloo	A dome-shaped Eskimo house - typically built from snow.
11	hypothermia	Dangerously low body temperature.
12	dehydration	Dangerously low levels of water.

Sonoran Desert

Sonoran Desert, North America

- Located in The USA and Mexico.
- It is one of the hottest deserts in North America..
- This desert is thought to have the greatest species diversity of any desert in North America.
- The hottest part of the desert is located near the lower Colorado river, with temperatures reaching up to 49°C.
- The desert has a subtropical climate, receiving 3-15 inches of rainfall per year.



Ernest Shackleton facts

Joined the Navy at 16.	Set out in 1914 on an expedition to pass through the South Pole & Antarctica.
By age 24 he was a certified master mariner.	Shackleton was on the ice for 2 years.
Polar explorer who led British explorers to the South Pole.	Thanks to Shackleton, nobody died when stranded on Elephant Island.

Antarctica

Antarctica

- Southernmost continent on Earth.
- Bigger than Europe and almost double the size of Australia.
- Most of Antarctica is covered in ice over 1.6 kilometres thick (1 mile).
- Because it experiences such little rain, Antarctica is considered a desert.
- The coldest recorded temperature on Earth occurred in 1983 at Vostok Station, Antarctica, measuring a rather chilly -89.2 °C (-128.6 °F).
- Well-known animals that live in Antarctica include penguins and seals.
- Around 90% of the ice on Earth is found in Antarctica.
- Sea levels would rise around 60m (200ft) if all the ice in Antarctica were to melt.