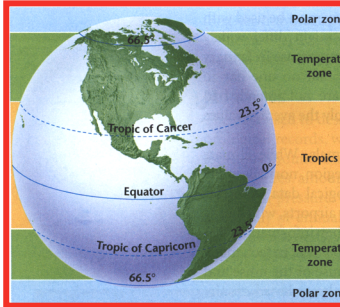


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Comments/Questions



1. Latitude:

b. The tropics receive the most solar radiation because the sun's rays strike almost directly.

_____ in the tropics are _____ year-round.

c. The temperate zones have _____ conditions.

d. The _____ zones receive the least radiation because the sun's rays strike at a very low angle. Temperatures in polar regions are usually _____.

2. Elevations

- a. Elevation is the height above sea level.
- b. On average, air temperature drops about 6.5°C for every 1000 m of altitude.
- c. The higher the elevation, the colder the climate
- d. Elevation determines the amount of precipitation.
 - i. higher elevation typically means increased precipitation

Summary