



In 1936, the significant scientist and climatologist, **Wladimir Köppen**, was the first person to create a system to identify major climate types of the world.



Equatorial

Tropical
|
warm and wet
Tropic of Cancer
Equator
Tropic of Capricorn



Arid

Deserts
|
hottest and driest regions with little or no rainfall



Mediterranean

Hot dry summer
|
winter is cooler with some rainfall, but hardly any frost



Snow

Long cold winter
|
summer is short with rapid changes in the spring & autumn



Polar

Very, very cold
|
cold as
-60 °C in Arctic
-80 °C Antarctic

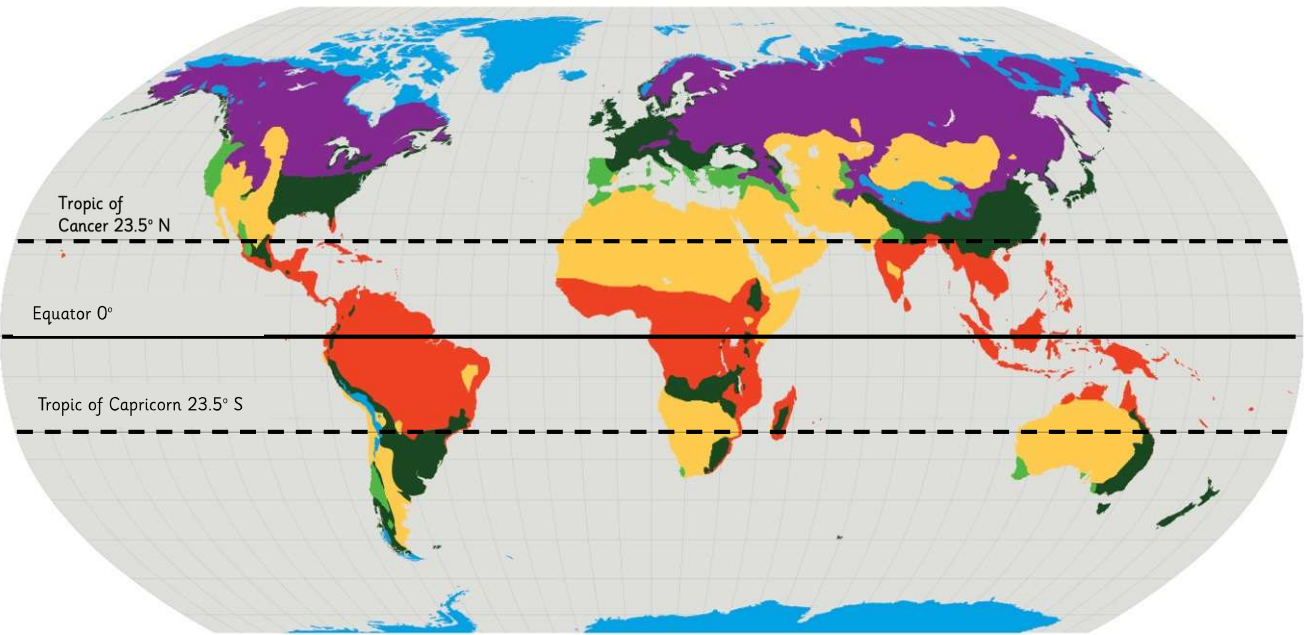


Temperate

Warm or hot summer
|
slightly colder winters



Environment region map of the world



Location of places to study

