

POLAR REGIONS

Year 2

Geography

Arctic

- The arctic is not a land continent.
- Plants do grow in the arctic.
- Inuits live here even though it's very cold.
- Located north side of the planet.



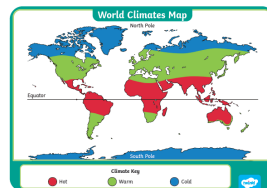
Antarctica

- This continent is covered by an ice cap.
- Almost no plants grow here.
- People don't live here but scientists go here to conduct experiments.
- Located south side of the planet.
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The world

- There are 7 continents in the world
- The equator is an invisible line around the centre of the world.
- Countries closer to the equator are warmer.



Key Vocabulary

Ice cap— A covering of ice over a large area.

Inuit— Someone who lives in the arctic circle.

Mountain— A large natural peak in the earth's surface.

Season— A period of time where weather patterns and daylight

Hours change.

Climate— The weather conditions which change across the Earth

and throughout seasons.

Equator— An invisible line around the centre of the earth.

North Pole— A place located on the top of the earth.

South Pole— A place located on the bottom of the earth.

Roald Amundsen.

- He was a Norwegian explorer.
- He was the first person to reach

the South Pole.

- He was one of the first to

cross the arctic

