GES IGCSE GEOGRAPHY

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| TOPIC: Climate and Natural Vegetation |

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| Theme: Identify and explain the global patterns and characteristics of biomes. | Level: Year 11 |
| Objectives: To investigate the equatorial, tropical rainforest and hot desert biomes, and the impacts of deforestation. |

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| Focussing Questions | Key Words |
| 1. Describe and explain the following climates
	1. Equatorial climate
	2. Hot desert climate
2. Describe and explain the following ecosystems:
	1. Tropical rainforest
	2. Hot desert
3. Deforestation
	1. What are the causes?
	2. What are the impacts?
4. Case studies:
	1. An area of tropical rainforest
	2. An area of hot desert
 | CauseEffectImpactHumanPhysicalSocialEconomicEnvironmentalFactorsCharacteristicLatitudePressureWindPrecipitationAltitudeVegetationSoilWildlifeClimateLocalGlobal | Explaining words...so.....because...Therefore...As a result...This means that...Therefore...This caused......Due to the fact......caused…However |

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