



Biomes

Remember to **practice** with the study questions on the BIOL 101 web site.

Arctic-alpine

Limiting factors

Biodiversity hotspot

Rain forest

Biome

Rain shadow

Chaparral

Subtropical deserts

Climate

Temperate forests

Ecology

Tiaga

Tropics

Questions

1. Where is the biodiversity hotspot nearest to you?
2. Find a map of Hispaniola. This island is divided between the countries of Haiti and the Dominican Republic. Provide an ecological explanation for the more abundant forests in Haiti. In an effort to produce food and sell wood, the forests in Haiti have been cut down. Explain why farming the land in Haiti has been extremely difficult.
3. Identify the California biomes. What biome are you in?

