Chapter 2.1-2How the Earth Works
(Climate and Vegetation) Learning Outcomes

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Class Period	Date	

Use the following list of statements to measure your understanding of Chapter 2. If you answered "No" to any of the statement(s), explain "why not" after the statement(s).

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		SECTION 1
Yes	No	I have read Chapter 2 Section 1 (pages 63-76)
		I can identify and describe the six main factors that influence climate
		I can explain why seasons change
		I can identify and describe the four elements of weather
		I can describe how convection affects temperature and precipitation
		I can identify position/conditions during the earth's revolution including: Name, date, season, hours of sunlight, whether the days will get longer or shorter and where the direct ray of the sun hit on certain dates
		I can identify and describe three types of precipitation
		I can identify two factors that create deserts
		I can summarize main climate regions from the equator to the poles
		I can identify places that have different climates than other climates at the same latitude and explain what makes the climate different
		I can interpret climate graphs
		I can define all the vocabulary words in the section (Bold or underlined words)
		SECTION 2
		I have read Chapter 2 Section 2 (pages 76-83)
		I can identify and describe five biome types including the types of plants that are typical of each biome
		I can describe relationships between plants and climates in regions and identify examples of what types of plants grow in certain climates.

I can explain why certain plants grow in some places and not in others

I can define all the vocabulary words in the section (bold or underlined)