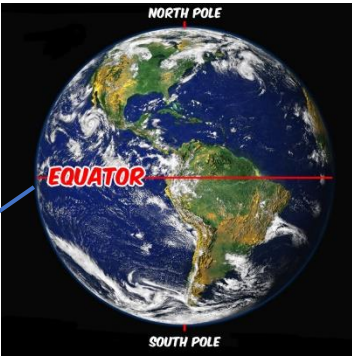
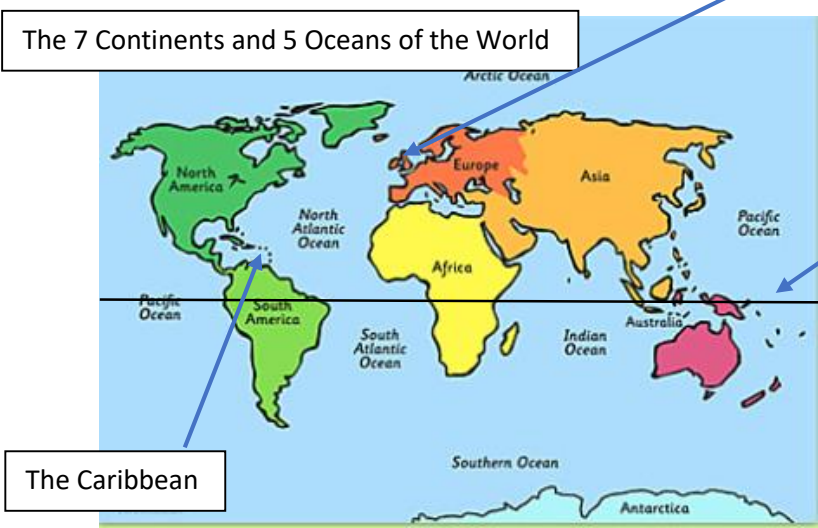


Y2/3 Why do so many people holiday in the Caribbean?

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Key Vocabulary	
Climate	Is like the weather over a period of time. It looks at temperature, wind, rainfall, snow.
Rainforest	They are found in warm places, and are full of many tall trees and leafy plants. It's called 'rainforest' because it also gets a lot of rain every year, helping all the plants grow.
Mountain	A mountain is a landform that rises high above its surroundings. Taller than a hill, it usually has steep slopes and a rounded or sharp peak.
Volcano	A mountain or hill, having a crater through which lava, rock fragments, hot vapour, and gas are or have been erupted from the earth's crust.
Equator	The Equator is an imaginary circle around Earth. It divides Earth into two equal parts between the north and south poles.
Hurricanes	A storm with a violent wind, in particular a tropical cyclone in the Caribbean



Key Facts About St Lucia

- St Lucia is an island in the Caribbean.
- Castres is the capital city of St Lucia.
- It has volcanoes (no longer active), mountains and rainforests.
- Main agriculture: bananas and exotic fruits such as mangoes.
- Climate: warm and tropical. Lowest temperature is about 23 degrees C in January up to 32 degrees C in the summer.
- Rainy season is from June to December. These heavy rains are often over very quickly and the rainforests experience more rain than the coastal areas.
- Hurricanes can occur between June and November.

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