Africa

Climate and Vegetation

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| **Main Idea A.**  There are 3 factors that influence climate in Africa   1. Elevation (height above sea level) 2. Proximity to water 3. Major land forms 4. How close you are to the equator |

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| **Main Idea B.**  There are 3 primary types of vegetation regions in Africa   1. Tropical rain forest-supports a rich environment of different plants and trees 2. Tropical savanna- tall grasses, thorny bushes, and scattered trees grow here. The savanna has two seasons wet and dry 3. Desert- very hot and dry small shrubs grass and some trees grow here. |