Environmental Science Biome Project

A travel agency is trying to boost travel to different parts of the world by increasing the advertising and selling vacation packages. You have been hired to make a presentation to sell a travel package. After presentations have been made, the class will vote for a winner. Winner will win a gift certificate to their favorite restaurant.

Some questions to consider:

• What kinds of activities could people do in this location?
• What kinds of plants and animals live there?
• What kind of clothes should they bring?
• What's the weather like?
• What is the best time of year to travel there?
• What part of the world will they be travelling to?
• Are there any dangerous elements to traveling there?

Project Description

1. An interesting, catchy title

2. A logo (small, artistic design or symbol) that represents your biome

3. A description of the characteristic plant & animal species of the biome

4. Seasonal attractions (specific times of the year in which flowers are in bloom or wildlife is active)

5. Features: a general description of the landscape (what does it look like there?)
6. Climate: a description of the seasonal temperature and moisture conditions of your biome.

7. A food web from your biome

8. Example of two plants and two animal adaptation to your biome

9. • Suggested tourism activities suitable for a chosen city in your biome (what can you do for fun?)

10. • A map of the world showing your biome and destination

11. • Suggestions for suitable clothing, footwear and personal items to bring

12. • Cost to travel to your biome from Newark (Airfare for all members of the group plus hotel accommodations while you are there)

13. • Describe any endangered species and any threats to this biome

14. • Group presentation “selling” your biome to the class. You should dress the part of your biome and include things that you might pack on a visit to your biome.*

*Presentations

Use any of the following formats for your presentation.

1. Flyer or Brochure – A flyer a brochure that you can hand out to the class (ask your teacher to make copies). Microsoft Office has a publisher program to help make pamphlets.

2. Poster Board - Make a real poster on poster board. Make a self-standing project board that has pictures and information about your biome.

3. Museum Box Make a museumbox on the web to present to classmates in a web format. (http://museumbox.e2bn.org/index.php)
4. **PowerPoint** - Make a presentation using PowerPoint and present to the class on a digital project.

5. **Website** - Create a website on [weebly.com](http://weebly.com)

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