

# THE CLIMATE: PLANTS AND ANIMALS

## 1 Listen and read.

The climate influences the life of plants and animals on Earth.

**Temperate climates** are good for many living beings.

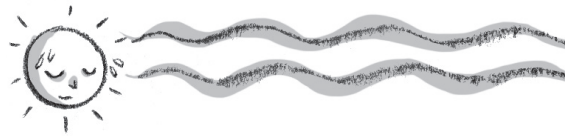
**Extreme weather conditions** (like the cold polar climate or hot deserts) make life very difficult for plants and animals. Only the plants and animals that are able to adapt to these extreme conditions can survive.

## 2 Cut out animals and plants and stick them in the correct box.

### COLD CLIMATES



### HOT CLIMATES



cactus



kangaroo



reindeer



baobab

pine  
treepolar  
bearpalm  
tree

penguin



lichen



crocodile



### KEY VOCABULARY

desert *deserto* • extreme weather conditions *condizioni climatiche estreme*  
 • kangaroo *canguro* • lichen *lichene* • palm tree *palma* • penguin *pinguino*  
 • pine tree *pino* • plant *pianta* • polar bear *orso polare* • polar climate  
*clima polare* • reindeer *renna* • to survive *sopravvivere*