

Welcome to Year 6 Geography

The lesson will begin at 14:00 pm



Turn your camera and microphone **off** please

Wednesday 27th January, 2021.

I will understand the Inuit culture and lifestyle.

Do Now:

Where do you think the Inuit people live?

They live in some of the harshest conditions on earth.





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The Inuits live in small towns and villages. Each village has shops, churches and schools.

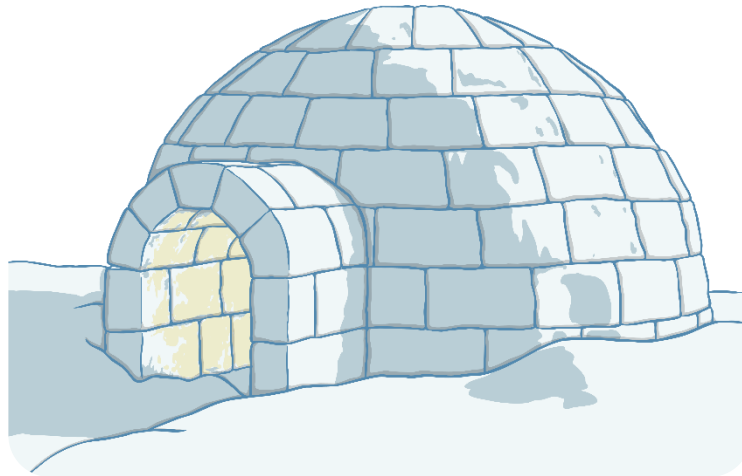


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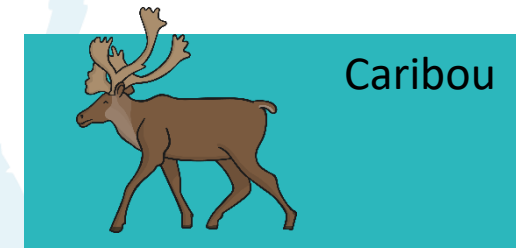
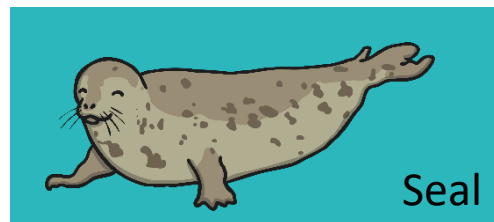
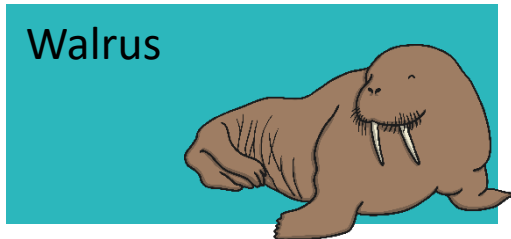
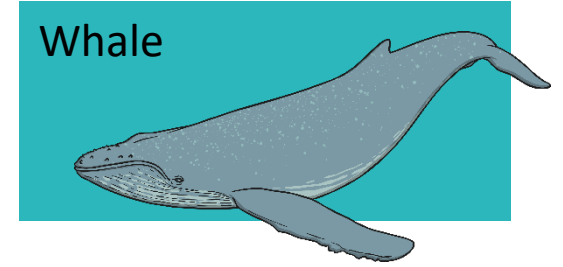
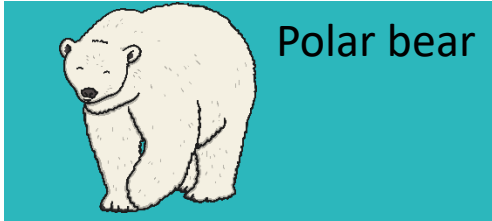
A lot of Inuit people move around all year and don't stay in one single place.

They make igloos out of snow and ice, as a shelter when travelling.

These are perfect for them to stay in during the winter.



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Keeping warm is very important in such a cold climate so the Inuit people wear long parkas made from animal skins and furs.



They can buy their clothes from a shop, but some people still make their own. They wear tunics in summer.

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The Inuit type of throat singing is often called 'katajjaq'. It is an entertaining duet performed by two Inuit people, usually women. They have a fun contest to see who can last the longest.





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Inuit people don't domesticate any animals except for dogs, which they used to pull their sleds.

They typically travel and hunt using snow mobiles or dogs. However, they also sometimes using kayaks (which is actually an Inuit word).

Inuit speak a few different languages: Inuinnaqtun, Inuktitut, Inuvialuktun and Greenlandic languages (Kalaallisut, Inuktun and Tunumiit).

The Inuit sign language is called Inuiyuuk. It is now at risk of becoming extinct because only about 50 people still speak it.

Plenary

Have a go at saying these Inuit words yourself!

kataijjaq = Inuit throat singing

qamutik = dog sleighs

mukluks = warm, soft boots

umiags = strong boats they build

kuanniq = edible seaweed

Tupig = their own homes made
from driftwood, whalebones and
stretched animal skin

