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**CHAPTER NUMBER: 01**

**CHAPTER NAME :LANDFORMS OF THE WORLD**

**SUBTOPIC : PASSES, PLATEAU, PLAINS**

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# LEARNING OBJECTIVE

**In this class you will learn about**

- **Passes**
- **Plateau**
- **Plains**
- **Deserts**

## **RECAPITULATIONS**

- **Define Block Mountains.**
- **Where do Sierra Nevada mountains located?**
- **Do mountains are located only in North?**
- **Name two volcanic mountains?**

Observe the path between two houses.



## Passes

- Passes are very low and narrow and natural gaps.
- People cross the mountains through these passes.
- The Khyber pass in the Himalayas connects Afghanistan and Pakistan.



# Pass



A low place through mountains that allows for passage of people, cars, etc.



# Plains

- Plains are flat lands gentle slopes.
- Rivers flowing from the mountain spring fertile soil to the plains.
- Plains are the thickly populated areas in the world.
- The northern plains of India and the Prairies of the USA, produce large amount of wheat and other grains.



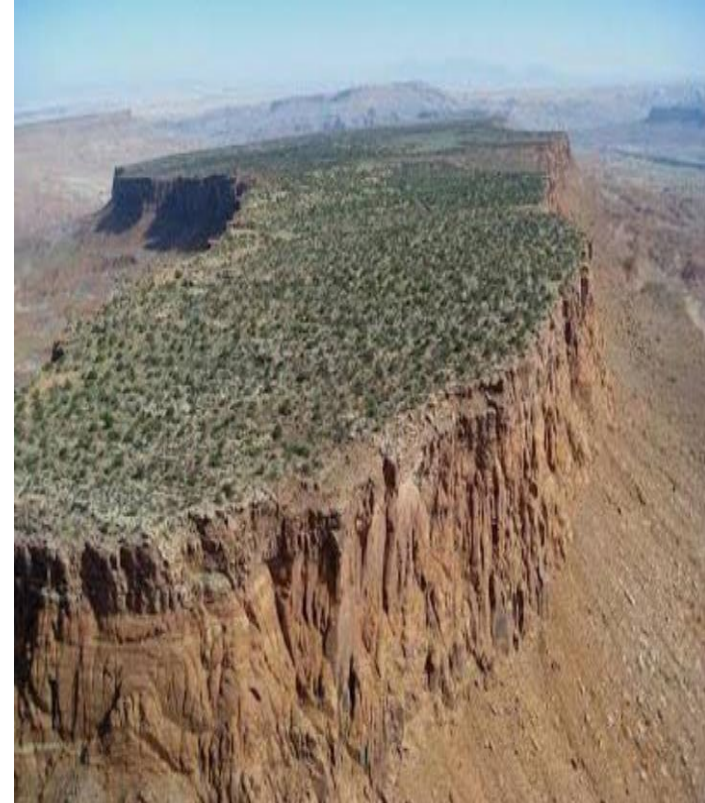


## Plateaus

Area of land that is higher than the surrounding and more or less flat at the top is called plateau.

### Examples:

- The Deccan Plateau in the South India covers the Indian peninsula.
- The Tibetan plateau the Himalaya is the highest plateau in the world .
- It is also known as the roof of the world.
- The Columbia and Colorado plateaus are in the USA.





## Deserts

- Deserts are large extremely dry areas of land.
- There is very little rainfall and few plants grow in deserts.  
Desert soil having very extreme temperature.
- In summer the days are very hot and nights are cool in winter days are cool and nights are very very cold.



## Important deserts in the world

**The Sahara desert in the North Africa is the biggest desert in the world.**

- **The Kalahari Desert in Southern Africa.**
- **Atacama desert in South America.**
- **Thar desert in India.**

## **Answer the following questions**

**Q1.what are landforms. Name the main landforms of the world?**

**Ans. The different features that makes up the Earth's surface are called landforms.**

**The main landforms are:**

- **Mountains**
- **Plains**
- **Plateaus**
- **Deserts.**

# Homework

**Define Strait and paste the picture of the Park Strait in the notebook.**

**THANKING YOU**  
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