

Tourist Regions and Attractions Course

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1- Explain in detail two different world climates, with a clear focus on:

- The characteristics of each climate
- climate characteristics and the typical tourism activities associated with these climates.

Ans: Two World Climates and Tourism

Mediterranean Climate

Mediterranean weather has hot, arid summers and mild, wet winters, with winter temperatures of 10-15°C and summer temperatures of 25-30°C. Most of the rain in Greece occurs between October and April and the summer months are very dry. Due to this climate, olive trees, vineyards and aromatic herbs which can survive droughts, can be found.

The tourism sector does well throughout the year, but it peaks in the summer. In coastal regions, people mainly visit for the seaside and enjoy swimming, sailing and a variety of water sports because the weather and water are suitable for them. Many people choose cultural tourism in the shoulder seasons, when the climate is ideal for sightseeing at ancient ruins, old cities and archeological sites. Because the climate is right for making wine, people can visit wineries and try different kinds of wines. Temperatures in spring and autumn make hiking and outdoor activities more enjoyable for many.

Tropical Rainforest Climate

Tropical rainforest climates are always very warm (24-27°C) and have a high humidity of more than 80% all year long. Between 2000 and 3000mm of rain falls every year here, with only brief dry months. Because of its climate, there are many different ecosystems with thick tree canopies and rich variety of species.

The principle tourism attraction in Costa Rica is ecotourism, with things like wildlife spotting, bird watching and hiking through natural rainforests. Canopy tours, zip-lining and river rafting are included in adventure tourism. Such tourism is centered on indigenous tribes and how they used to live. People studying biodiversity such as scientists and students, visit research sites for tourism. Because of the year-round weather, several activities can continue all year, though they may not be available when it is very rainy.

2- Explain in detail the nexus between climate and the tourism industry, with a specific focus on:

- Tourism demand
- Destination appeal
- Travel patterns

Ans: Climate-Tourism Industry Nexus

Tourism Demand

When planning a trip, tourists are influenced by climate, as are the patterns of tourist travel by the seasons. When the weather is nice, visitation increases, but if it is too hot, rains a lot or storms occur, the number of tourists declines. The changing seasons create times when tourism is busy or slow which guide pricing plans and decide how well tourism operations can operate.

Most tourists prefer temperature comfort zones between 20-26°C, while the influence of humidity, directions of the wind and sunshine also affect their contentment. Cheap flights usually allow visitors to plan ahead, carry the necessary things and increase their chances of visiting the destination again.

Destination Appeal

The climate in a destination is a main factor in building its image and rank among tourists. Warm beach experiences and ideal climate are promoted by tropical tourist places, while snow sports and activities on the mountains are promoted in the alps. How much an area's climate varies or is constant is a characteristic that makes it stand out in crowded travel markets.

The presence of a favorable climate brings in more tourists, a longer season for activities and increases the appeal of the local area which straight away leads to increased profits.

Travel Patterns

Climate affects where and when tourists go. Because of climate changes throughout the year, visitors often migrate to warmer spots during the cold seasons. As a result, tourism flows vary greatly depending on the season which changes demand for lodging, travel schedules and work for tourism-related people.

Changing climate patterns have led to shifts in people's travel plans, as areas that were often too cold can now be explored, at the same time warmer areas may be reduced in popularity due to stronger storms, higher seas or changes in the ecology.