

Benchmark: Geography 4



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Brief Constructed Response Prompt: Compare the way of life of the people above with a group of Native people who live in the desert of the southwestern U.S.

Desired Response(s):

The Inuit made their tents, clothes, tools, snowshoes, and fuel from various parts of whales and seals. They would need these things to provide for their needs in the environment of their region. Native people in the desert would use materials from plants more than animals since there are more plants that live in their area. They would need to protect themselves from the heat and to find ways to conserve water.

Rubric

- 2** = This response gives a valid response with an accurate and relevant explanation.
- 1** = This response gives a valid response with an inaccurate, irrelevant, or no explanation.
- 0** = inaccurate or no response