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Great Plains-Inuit Information Sheet

Great Plains	Inuit
Physical Region:	Physical Region:
Shelter:	Shelter:
Food:	Food:
Fuel:	Fuel:
Clothing:	Clothing:
Transportation:	Transportation:

Answer Key for Information Sheet

(these are sample answers students may give)

Great Plains	Inuit
Physical Region: grassland, few trees	Physical Region: land of ice, snow, water no trees
Shelter: tipi made of wooden poles and buffalo hides, floor lined with animal hides, fire pit for warmth	Shelter: igloo made of blocks of snow; lined with animal skins and has fire platform, tupiq (tent) made of animal skins over a frame of bones or wood
Food: hunted buffalo, antelope, rabbit, grouse, cooked or dried	Food: fished; hunted whale, walrus, seal, and caribou, eaten raw, dried, or boiled
Fuel: buffalo dung; wood when available	Fuel: seal and whale oil; animal dung, wood when available
Clothing: tanned hides of buffalo or antelope, added fur, feathers, glass beads	Clothing: sealskin; tanned hides of caribou, polar bear, added fur of polar bear, fox, wolf
Transportation: travois, dog and horse	Transportation: kayak, dog sled

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Compare-Contrast of Plains Tribes and the Inuit

Directions: On the Venn diagram below, list the differences and similarities between the Plains Tribes and the Inuit. Use the left circle for the differences of the Plains Tribes and the right circle for the Inuit. Use where the two circles overlap for the similarities. When done, use the back of this paper to write an essay on the differences and similarities between these two groups of people.

