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Touch the correct answer to the following questions.

g) What is the longest river in the world?

Amazon

Mississippi



Nile

h) What is a large land-locked body of water called?

sea



lake

ocean

i) What is located at 0 degrees longitude and 90N degrees latitude?

South Pole

North Pole

Greenland

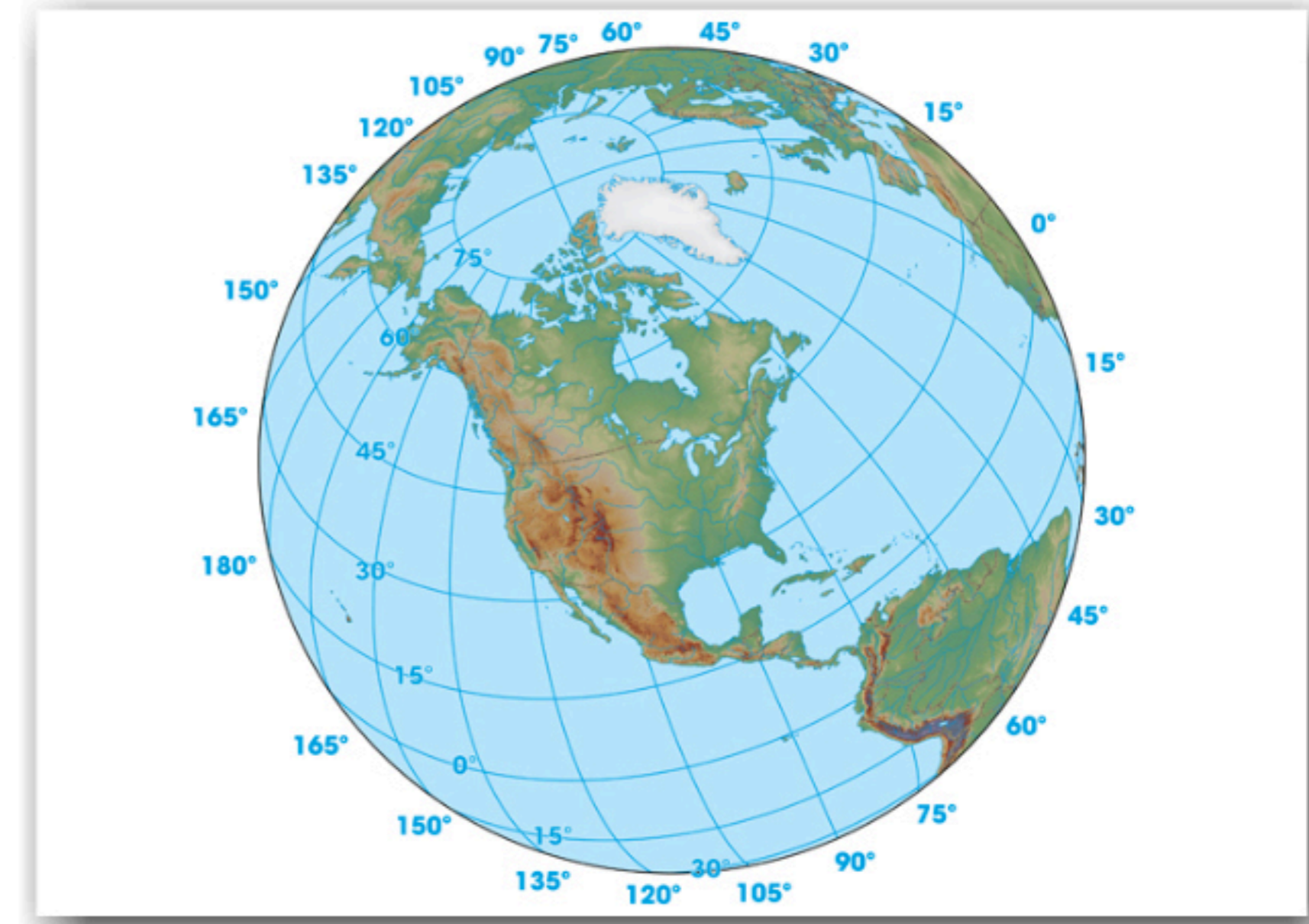


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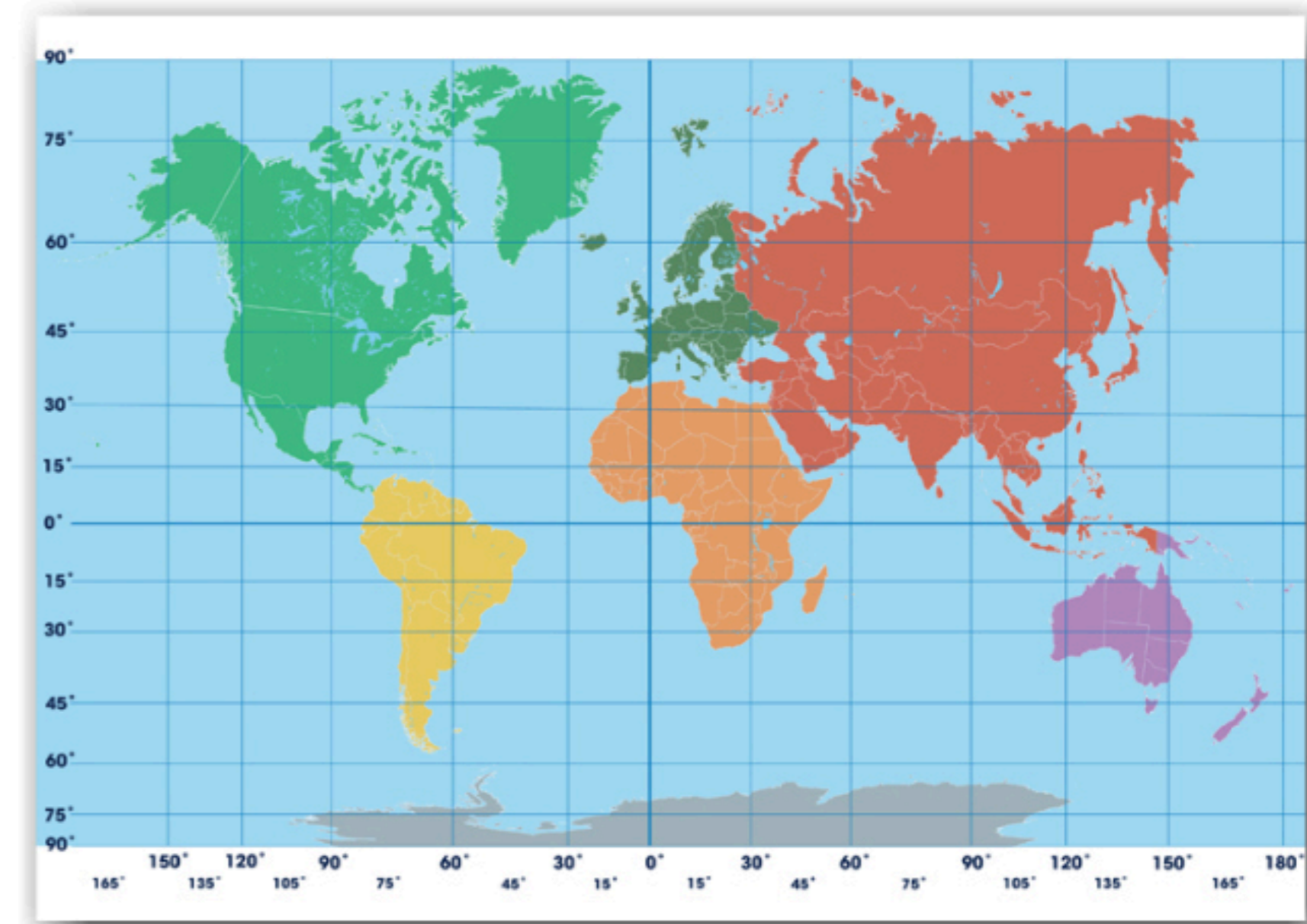
Mapping Skills with Google Earth™ Map the World



The Earth spins on an imaginary axis, which runs through the North and South Pole. Globes can spin on their axis in the same way that the Earth spins on its axis. Maps are 2 dimensional representations of the Earth's surface and consequently are not as accurate. The lines of longitude are furthest apart at the equator and closest at the poles. However, on many maps they are shown as straight grid lines. This creates great inaccuracies the further away from the equator we go. However, they are easy to read, as the grid lines are straight and not curved.



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When the south pole is tilted towards the Sun, what season is it in the northern hemisphere?

- A) Summer
- B) Winter
- C) Fall
- D) Spring

WELL DONE!

Open Discussion:

Why is the world's largest lake called a sea?

