

An aerial photograph of Cape Town, South Africa. The image shows the city's skyline, including the harbor and surrounding mountains. Table Mountain is prominent in the background, and Lion's Head is visible on the right. The city is nestled between the mountains and the sea.

# South Africa

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A close-up photograph of a smiling woman with dark skin and short hair. She is wearing a vibrant, multi-colored beaded necklace with red, blue, yellow, and white beads. The background is blurred, suggesting an outdoor setting. The image serves as a background for the text overlay.

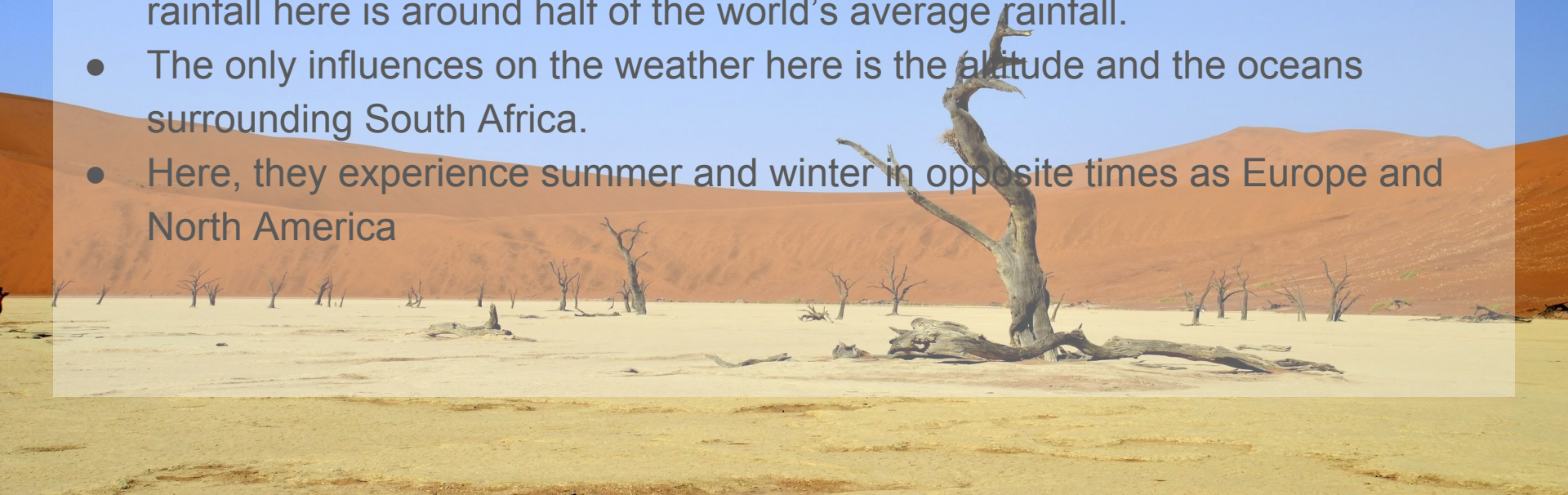
# The People

- Because of the good soil, it has attracted many diverse groups of people to the region
- The two biggest groups descended from original Bantu pioneers, which are Xhosa and Zulu
- These two main groups of people make up about 40 percent of the South African population
- The majority of this land has been controlled by these groups, but before them, the San people were the majority, which they now reside in the Kalahari desert regions



# Temperature

- South Africa has a temperature of 82.4 degrees fahrenheit to a low of 46.4 degrees fahrenheit.
- With it being relatively dry here, it does not rain here very often. The average rainfall here is around half of the world's average rainfall.
- The only influences on the weather here is the altitude and the oceans surrounding South Africa.
- Here, they experience summer and winter in opposite times as Europe and North America





# Vegetation

The Country of South Africa has over 9,000 plant species, and 68 separate vegetation types.

- Many of the plants that are in abundance here can survive in extremely wet and cold weather and/or very dry and unbearable heat.
- The giant Protea is South Africa's national flower, but isn't as popular as the Fynbos plants which are seen in the background.
- In the United States succulents are often used as a decoration, they do not grow naturally here in illinois but they grow in large amounts in the south tip of South Africa.



# Animals

- One main predator that is in South Africa is the Lion. They live in a pride which is a group of lions that live together.
- Another animal would be an Impala which like a mid-sized and they are antelope in South Africa.
- The white rhino is another fascinating animal that lives in Africa. It's not white, it is actually a greyish color. It is twice the size of the black rhino. One can weigh from 4,000 to 6,000lbs. The white rhino is mainly located in central South Africa.

# Maps



## Provinces of South Africa



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