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| **World Cup 2022 – What is the climate like in Qatar?** |



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| The graph above is called a climate graph. It shows two features of climate – temperature (red line) and precipitation (blue bars). The x-axis shows you the months of the year e.g. 04 = April. There are two y-axes, one showing temperature (use °c) and the other showing precipitation (use mm). So, you should read the red line graph on the left x-axis and precipitation on the right x-axis. Using the graph above, describe the annual climate conditions in Qatar. You should refer to months as well as temperatures and precipitation totals in your description.  |
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| Normally, the Football World Cup happens in the summer months of June / July. However, for the first time ever, they are happening in November & December in Qatar. Why might this be?  |
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| The photo above is taken from the Qatar tourism website. It shows a photo taken in Qatar. Describe the photo in the space below.  |
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| The photo above is taken from the Qatar tourism website. It shows a photo taken in Qatar. Why might this photo not be what you may expect to see in Qatar?  |
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Source: Arizona State University

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| Study the image above and watch the embedded video on geographypods. Qatar is found at a latitude of approximately 25° north. Try to explain in the space below why Qatar has such a dry climate whereas around the Equator, it rains a lot more.  |
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