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## Color the North American Biomes

Color the map according to the clues listed below. Place a check mark in the box once you have completed that step.

1. The dotted lines represent the border between the U.S. and Mexico and Canada. All other lines show biome borders. Color the U.S. borders (dotted line) red.
2. Northern Canada and Alaska are **tundra** - color the tundra light blue
3. Most of Canada is **coniferous forest**, also called a **boreal forest** or a **taiga**. Color the coniferous forest dark green.
4. The west coast of the U.S. (California) is temperate **deciduous forest**. The east coast, all the way to the center of the country is also temperate deciduous forest. Color both areas light green.
5. The Midwest (middle of the country) is temperate **grassland**, also known as the prairie. Color the grassland yellow.
6. The eastern edge of Mexico and Central America, Hawaii, and the Caribbean Islands are all **tropical rain forests**. Color those areas purple.
7. There is a northwest coniferous forest located in the far corner of the U.S (northwest). Color the northwest **coniferous forest** brown.
8. The great lakes and the lakes in Canada are freshwater. Find each **freshwater** lake and color it pink.
9. The bodies of water surrounding the continent are **ocean**. Color the coastal areas dark blue.
10. The western region of the U.S. as well as Northern Mexico is **desert**. Color the desert orange.
11. The western edge of Mexico is temperate **deciduous forest**. Color it the same color as you did the other temperate forests.
12. Color code the squares at the bottom to match your biome colors.
13. Label the countries: U.S.A., Canada, Mexico

