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SOCIAL STUDIES.

Tourism in Africa

Tourism is a business of providing services like accommodation, transport, entertainment to tourists.

Tourists; He / she / a person who visits a place of interests for pleasure or study purposes.

N.B; There are two types of tourists; There is domestic and international tourism.

Tourism is regarded as an industry because;

- It earns income to the government.
- It creates employment.

It is regarded as an invisible export because.

- It does not involve physical exchange of goods but income is earned.

Examples of invisible exports.

- Electricity
- Tourism
- Skilled labour

Factors which promote tourism in Africa.

- Political stability
- Good transport
- Good accommodation facilities
- Good publicity
- Good government policies on Tourism

Factors that hinders the development of tourism industry in Africa.

- Political instability
- Lack of publicity
- Poor transport
- Lack of tourist attraction
- Shortage of funds
- Poor management
- Poor Accommodation

Game parks and Game reserves in Africa.

Game parks; It is a large area of land set aside by government to preserve wildlife.

Game reserves; Are areas of land set aside by the government for future development into a game park.

Difference between Game Park and Game reserve.

- In a game reserve, hunting can be done on permission but in game parks, hunting is not allowed.

Game rangers;

They are armed people who are employed in game parks to provide security to the wild animals against poachers.

Game wardens;

- People who take care of wild animals in a game park.

Map of Africa showing major National Game parks in Africa.