

Pikas and Their Environment: What best predicts where pikas live?

Introduction: Watch the following video <https://youtu.be/f6c2cZf0ULI> Stop at 3:19.

Background Research: Use <http://science-live.org/pikas/about.html>

1. What are pikas and what are their characteristics?
2. How many species of pikas are there in North America?
3. Where are pikas found in North America?
4. What types of environments do pikas live in?
5. **Question:** What limits where pikas live?

Tests: Watch the following video <https://youtu.be/f6c2cZf0ULI> Start at 3:20.

6. What are the independent and dependent variables?
7. What are the controls to ensure the test is valid?