

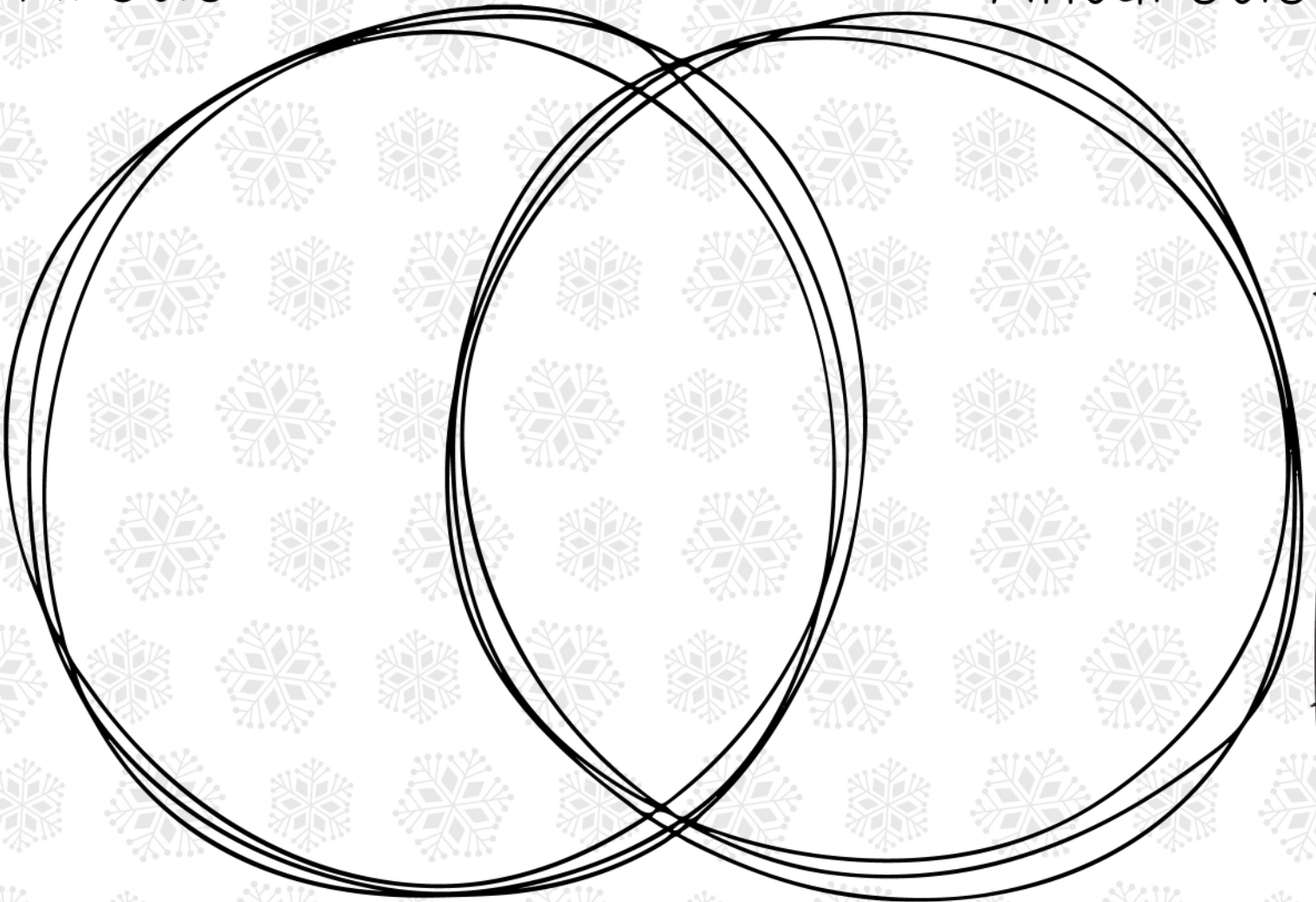
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Arctic and Antarctic

Research the Arctic and Antarctic. Compare the similarities and differences of these places by cutting and pasting the fact on the Venn diagram.

Arctic

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The region around the North Pole.

It's very cold.

The pole is in the middle of an ocean.

Polar bears and other thick-coated animals live here.

There are icebergs in the ocean waters.

The region around the South Pole.

"Land of the midnight sun."

The pole is in the middle of mountainous land.

Whales, seals, and walrus swim in the ocean waters.

Scientists visit and explore, but no people live there.

During winter, it's always dark.

During summer, the sun can be seen all day and all night.

The Inuit people live here.

Penguins live here.

Only a few simple plants, such as mosses, can grow here.

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