



# Year 5 – Term 1b – Rainforests



What the children should already know:

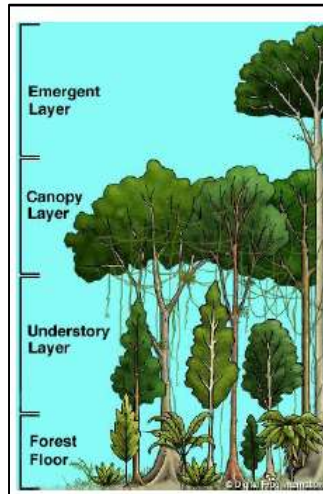
- The seven continents of the world
- The five oceans of the world
- How to use an atlas effectively
- Explain the water cycle
- Know some of the longest world rivers
- Know aspects of biomes
- Know the climate of a rainforest and

What the children should know at the end of this unit:

- How to explain what a biome is and give examples and locations of different types
- The names of animals from various biomes and explain how they are suited to it
- How to explain why rainforests are found near the equator
- How to talk about the life of a rainforest dweller
- How to explain how the different layers of a rainforest will inhabit different animals and why this is the case
- What deforestation is, why it is happening and give a

**Key vocabulary:**

- Biome
- Palm oil
- Climate
- Deforestation
- Vegetation
- Habitat



Where can rainforests be located?



