






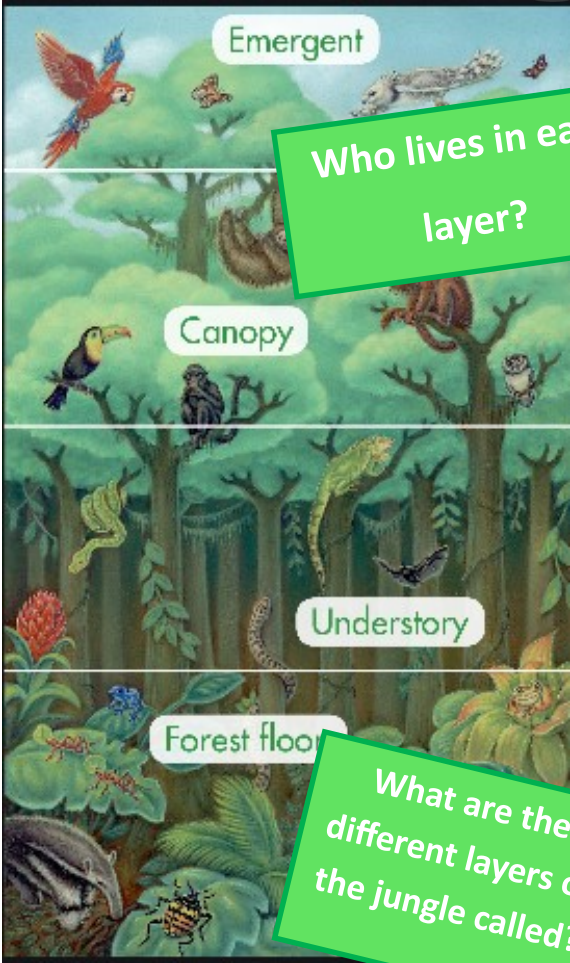


| Glossary        |  |
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| Term            | Definition   |
| Habitat         | The place where a plant or animal naturally lives.   |
| Domestic Animal | A trained, tame animal that humans look after.   |
| Wild Animal     | An animal that lives in its natural habitat.   |
| Camouflage      | The colour or shape of an animal to help it blend with its surroundings.   |
| Claw            | A curved sharp nail on an animals toe.   |
| Climate         | The weather in a place.  |
| Whiskers        | Long hairs that grow on the face of some animals. They are used to detect movement around them.  |
| Herbivore       | Eats plants, grass and seeds.  |
| Carnivore       | Eats meat.   |
| Omnivore        | Eats plants and some meat.   |
| Extinction      | The species no longer exists.  |
| Species         | A type of animal or plant.   |
| Deforestation   | The act of clearing a large area of trees.   |
| Nocturnal       | An animal that sleeps iin the day and is awake at night.   |
| Emergent layer  | Giant trees that enjoy most of the sun although can fall victim to high winds and cold.  |
| Canopy          | Dense layer of trres that overlap each other. This is where most animals live.   |
| Understory      | Relatively dark space beneath the canopy.  |
| Undergrowth     | Also known as the first floor.   |
| Continent       | A large space of land, made up of lots of different countries. There are seven continents: North America, South America, Asia, Europe, Oceania, Antarctica and Africa. |

# The Jungle

## Powerful Knowledge

| Jungle Animals       |   |  |
|----------------------|---|--|
| Tiger                |    | One of the most famous big cats and at risk of extinction, being hunted for their parts. They are carnivores, they usually have blue eyes and their stripes are all unique, just like our fingerprints.  |
| Toucan               |    | They lay their eggs in the holes of trees and both the mother and father look after them. Their sharp bill is not used for fighting but for picking fruit. These animals are herbivores.   |
| Poison Dart Frog     |    | Uses its colour to warn predators of the poison that lies within its skin. They come in many colours and live on the forest floor. They are named poison dart frog, as the hunters would use their poison on the end of the hunting dart to kill the prey.   |
| Gorilla              |   | The largest living primate on earth! Closest living relatives the humans as they have the most developed brain. Just like humans they have two sets of teeth, once their baby set falls out similar to us they have a set of 32 teeth. When the makes gets older (12+) he gets a grey patch of hair on his back. Therefore, males are known as Silverbacks. They also live on the forest floor and are herbivores. |
| Blue Morho Butterfly |  | Lives in the rainforest canopy and their brightly coloured wings reflect light warning of predators and attracting mates.  |
| Jaguar               |  | Their spotted coats helps them to hide amongst the grasses and bushes. The rarest form is all black and is known as a black panther. They are carnivores and eat over 85 different species such as; squirrels, birds, fish, turtles, deer and armadillos.  |
| Scarlet Macaw        |  | Beautiful in colour and live on the Emergent layer. One of few species that mate for life and will be found flying in pairs.   |



Who lives in each layer?

What are the different layers of the jungle called?

**Did you know?**

- Jungles are slightly sunnier than rainforests and therefore grow more plants. They are usually on the edge of rainforests.
- The forest floor is like a at of insects that eat anything that dies or falls. There are so many ants, about 800 mto every square metre.
- Although the Lion is referred to as the ‘king of the jungle’, they don’t live anywhere near.
- Jungles are usually hot and wet.

Can you name 5 sea creatures?

Are all Jungle animals carnivores?



# Jungles around the world



Where is the largest jungle in the world?

What's the difference between the jungle and a rainforest?

## Deforestation



Why is the jungle at risk?

What is the impact of deforestation?

| Causes of Deforestation   | Impact of Deforestation  |
|---|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To clear a space for farming.</li> <li>Chopping down trees for wood.</li> <li>To build roads.</li> <li>Mine for metals, gold and diamonds.</li> <li>Dig for oil.</li> <li>Flood areas to create dams to generate electricity.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An area the size of 20 football pitches are destroyed every 60 seconds.</li> <li>28,000 species are expected to become extinct over the next 25 years.</li> <li>Animals lose their homes and sources of food.</li> <li>People's homes are destroyed.</li> <li>Levels of Oxygen is decreasing and Carbon Dioxide is increasing.</li> </ul> |

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## The Arts

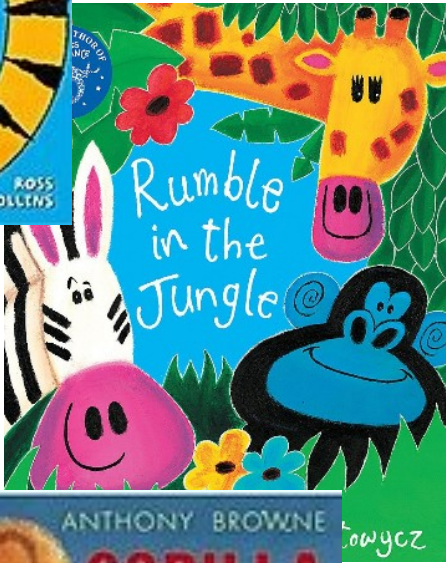
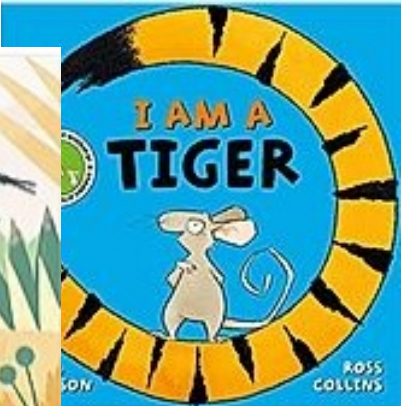
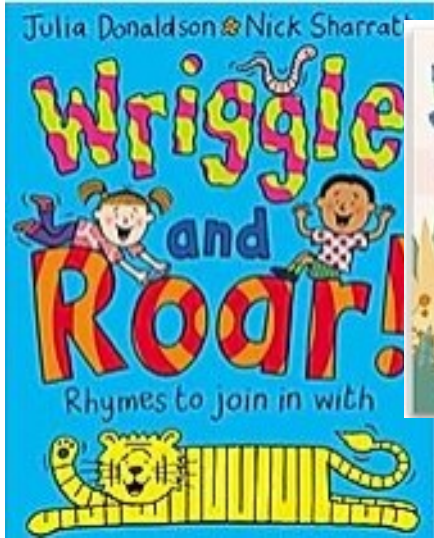
Tinga Tinga Art

Goldsworthy—shells

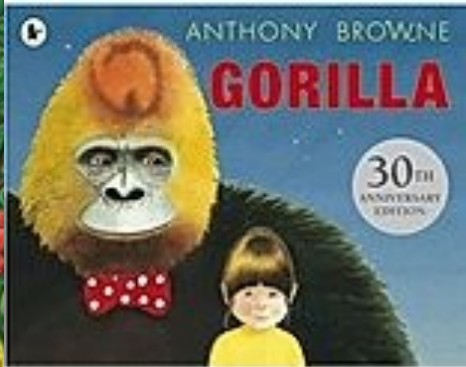
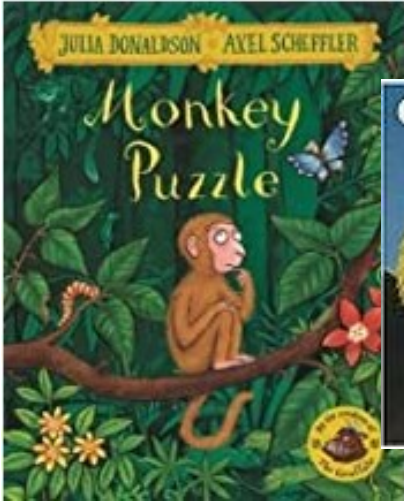
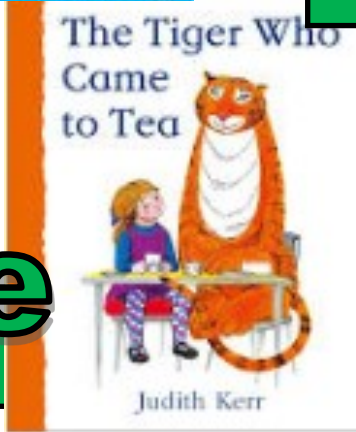
'The Dream' by Henri Rousseau

Carnival of the animals  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?>

Can you name an artist that uses the jungle as inspiration?



## Key Texts





## Prior learning

- Wild/domestic animals
- Continents



## Current learning

- Where is the largest jungle in the world?
- Which continent is the largest jungle on?
- What are the different layers of the jungle/ Rainforest?
- Who lives in each layer and why?
- Are all Jungle animals carnivores?
- Why is the jungle at risk?
- What is the impact of deforestation?
- Can you name an artist that uses the jungle as inspiration?

## Future learning

- Habitats
- Classification
- Rainforests
- Conservation



### Curricular links:

**Geography** – Deforestation, continents, maps.

**Science** – Habitats, plants and animals, classification.

**Art** - See suggested Artists.

**PSHCE**—Looking after our planet.



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