


Rainforest animal fact files

What wonderful work you have completed this week! There's some fabulous fact files, you should all be really proud of your work! Congratulations to Jensen, Morgan, Libby, Jolene, Verity and Georgio. We couldn't choose between you so you are all winners! We also really liked Lucy, Marcus and Erica's work so you are our highly commended for this challenge! Certificates and prizes will be sent out soon.

Brown-Throated Three-Toed SLOTH



Latin Name:
Bradypus Variegatus

Habitat:
Sloths live in the canopy of the rain forest!


Appearance:
Sloths are the size of a cat. They have small eyes and long legs. A sloth has coarse light brown fur that often appears green due to the blue-green algae that grow there.

Distribution:
Sloths are found in Mexico and central America South America

Diet:
Sloths are herbivores. They eat leaves, twigs and fruit.

Wow Fact!
Sloths can rotate their heads nearly 90 degrees!

Tigers!



Diet!
Tigers eat a variety of prey ranging from small mammals to elephant calves. However, an integral component of their diet are large bodied prey (45 lbs.) or larger such as: leopards, deer, spotted deer, pigs, cows, horses, buffaloes and goats.

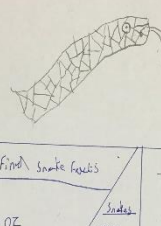
Habitat!
Bengal Tiger live in tropical rainforests, grasslands and mangroves in Southern and southern eastern Asia.

Size!
Male would be around 3.4m and female 2-2.8

Latin name!
Panthera tigris

Unknown Facts!
Tigers are the largest cats in the world. They are also the only cats that have stripes. A pink and blue tiger is called a 'Bali Tiger' and only about 100 are left in the world.

Snake's



Picture: Good websites to find Snake facts:
1. snakes101.co.uk
2. nationalgeographic.com


Cobra

Snake's are:
- Reptiles
- Carnivores
- Cold blooded
- They have flexible jaws
- They are covered in scales
- There are 2000 species of snakes
- They grow with their size


Snake's have:
- Scales
- Their teeth

The most deadliest snake is...
The Saw-scaled viper

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Picture	Animal Name Golden Poison Frog	Latin Name Phylllobates terribilis	Found in these Countries Colombia
	Diet It's mainly but also eats beetles.	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size An adult frog can reach up to 55 mm. Females typically being larger than males.
Other Facts It's considered one of the most toxic animals on earth. One frog has enough venom to kill 10 grown men.			

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Picture 	Animal Name Jaguar	Latin Name Panthera onca	Found in these Countries Mexico, Central America, South America
	Diet Small mammals and reptiles	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Understory <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size Length average 1.8m-2.4m
Other Facts It is hunted by humans for its skin and is the only where it is hunted.			

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Picture 	Animal Name Tree Snake	Latin Name Serpentes	Found in these Countries Mexico, Central America, South America
	Diet Small mammals and birds.	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Understory <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size Length average 1.8m-2.4m
Other Facts 50-80 young. It's the most dangerous snake and causes more human deaths than any other American reptile.			

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Picture 	Animal Name Sloth	Latin Name leaf eater	Found in these Countries Ecuador Brazil Peru Bolivia
Diet Bugs Leaves twigs	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size 42-80cms	
Other Facts They sleep for 15 hours a day. They are strong swimmers.			

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Picture 	Animal Name Jaguar	Latin Name Panthera onca	Found in these Countries Brazil, Argentina Mexico, Costa Rica and Central States
Diet Deer, snakes, turtles, iguanas, large birds, fish, agoutis, peccaries, tapirs, howlers	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size Full grown male can grow up to 85cm nose to tail, can weigh over 300 pounds	
Other Facts males in their jaw are so powerful they can bite through a skull. They have an eye gland and in water too.			

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Other Facts Live near water and are good swimmers. They are the largest cat in the Americas. They have a stunning coat dotted with dark rosettes and spots.			

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It is carnivorous with its diet consisting of plants and small insects. Full physical maturity the monkey will grow up to 10 inches and weigh one pound with a long tail and tail. The bearded monkey has dark claws on its fingers and toes except for the big monkey which has a nail. It grows small feet.

Bearded Monkeys

Where do bearded monkeys live
They live in Southwestern Amazon, Brazil in Bearded Monkeys Forest and Bolivia.



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Picture 	Animal Name Toucan	Latin Name Toucan	Found in these Countries Central America
Diet Vegetarian	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size Length 1-2m Weight 1-2kg Adult	
Other Facts They live on the forest floor and on trees. They have a long beak and are very loud. They are very good at climbing trees.			

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OCELOT

DIET

- They are small deer, pos, birds, mice, monkeys, bats, and some reptiles.

Appearance

- They have a golden spotted coat which makes them camouflage.
- They grow up to 4 1/2 feet long and can live for 12 years.
- They are the third largest cat in South America after a jaguar + puma.
- They are hunted by humans for their fur.

Habitat

- create home on the forest floor, they rest in trees and climb down backwards.
- They live in Central and South America.
- They come out during the day and night.


They are sometimes called little tiger.

the forest floor

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SNAKE


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	Animal Name Snake (Fer de Lance)	Latin Name Serpentes	Found in these Countries Brazil, Central America and Mexico.
	Diet Small mammals and birds.	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Understory <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size 1.8 m - 2.4 m
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BUTTERFLIES


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	Animal Name Butterfly	Latin Name Rhopalocera	Found in these Countries South America, Colombia, Ecuador, Brazil, Peru.
	Diet Fruit, Lemon, mangoes, oranges.	Habitat <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size 1/8 inch to a large almost 12 inches.
Other Facts Butterflies can see red, green and yellow. Butterfly wings are translucent. Butterflies taste with their feet. Butterflies have a brain in their abdomen.			

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Moose - Antelope


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	Animal Name Great antelope	Latin Name Megalotia robusta	Found in these Countries South and Central America.
	Diet High cat and antelope.	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size Up to two meters.
Other Facts It is one of South America's largest mammals. A good hunter can eat up to 25,000 ants in a single day.			

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TOUCAN


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	Animal Name Toucan	Latin Name Raphias tico.	Found in these Countries Toucan toucans are found solely in South America.
	Diet Like heron, toucans are omnivores. They eat fruit, insects, small mammals, and reptiles.	Habitat <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size Typically 90cm to 1.5m long, 1.5 to 2.5kg.
Other Facts Like a heron, they will build their nests in holes of hollow or rotten trees.			

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LEOPARD

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	Animal Name Leopard	Latin Name Panthera pardus	Found in these Countries India, China, Nepal, Bhutan, Thailand, Laos, Cambodia, Vietnam, Malaysia, Indonesia, Philippines, and others.
	Diet Leopards are carnivores. They eat small mammals, birds, and reptiles.	Habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size Leopards are 1.5 to 2.5m long, 10 to 25kg.
Other Facts Leopards are known for their ability to climb trees. They are also known for their roars.			

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TAYANTHIA

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	Animal Name Tayanthia	Latin Name Therapsosidae	Found in these Countries USA, Asia, Australia, South America.
	Diet Insects	Habitat <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Emergent <input type="checkbox"/> Canopy <input type="checkbox"/> Understory <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Floor	Size 4.75 inches long, 1-3g weight.
Other Facts Female Tayanthias can live for over 20 years.			