

Rainforest Animal Adaptations Workbook

A printable AnimalSake activity pack

Name: _____



Read



Match



Design



Quiz

Built to Survive in the Rainforest

Rainforest animals use special adaptations to find food, hide, climb, and stay safe.

Emergent layer

Tall treetops reach the sun.



Canopy

Many animals feed and travel here.



Understory

Dim light helps camouflage work.



Forest floor

Fallen leaves hide insects and hunters.



Quick Words



Adaptation:
a feature that helps survival



Camouflage:
colors or shapes that hide an animal



Prehensile:
able to grip, like a tail

Match the Rainforest Adaptation



Draw a line from each animal to its survival trick.

Animal



jaguar



spider monkey



toucan



sloth



poison frog



stick insect

Adaptation



powerful bite



gripping tail



large fruit bill



slow camouflage



warning colors



twig-like body

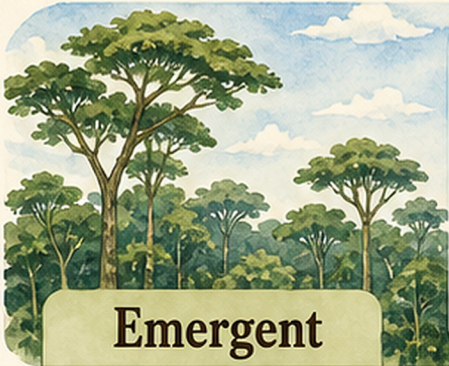


Remember

Adaptations help animals survive in their habitat.

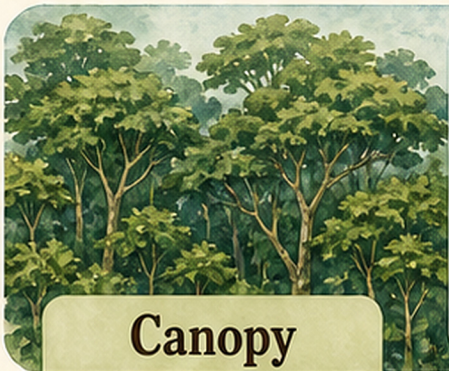
Sort by Rainforest Layer

Write each animal where it would fit best.



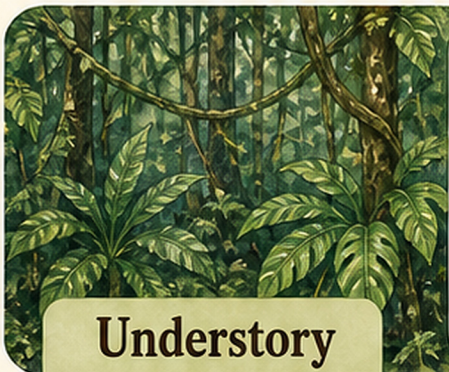
Emergent

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Canopy

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Understory

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Forest floor

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Animal cards



toucan



spider monkey



sloth



jaguar



poison frog



stick insect

My favorite layer: _____

Design a Rainforest Adaptation

Invent an animal feature that helps survival.

Draw your animal

Idea cards

hide from predators



reach fruit



move through trees



My adaptation is: _____

It helps because: _____

My animal lives in the: _____



Rainforest Quick Quiz



Circle the best answer.

1.

1. What is an adaptation?

- A a survival feature B a kind of rock C a cloud

2.

2. What does camouflage help animals do?

- A hide B sing C melt ice

3.

3. Which animal has a gripping tail?

- A spider monkey B polar bear C sea star

4.

4. Why might a poison frog be brightly colored?

- A warning B sleep C swimming

5.

5. Where do many rainforest animals travel?

- A trees B snow C desert sand

Bonus Draw

Draw one
rainforest
survival trick.



Answer Check

1 A

2 A

3 A

4 A

5 A