

# KS1 Rainforests



## Session Description

This session looks closely at conditions in a rainforest compared to the UK. The conditions are recreated in the classroom to make for a more sensory learning approach. It also focuses on some of the animals that live in rainforests, including live animals. Pupils are able to choose the animals they would like to find out more about and complete fun activities for them.

## Linked Resources

[Discovery Boxes](#)  
[KS1 Rainforest Pack](#)  
[KS1 Habitats Game](#)  
[KS1 Wet Weather Pack](#)  
[KS1 Look, Learn and Do at Marwell Zoo](#)

## Learning Objective

To find out what a rainforest is like and about some of the animals that live there.

## National Curriculum Links

### SCIENCE

#### Year 1 Animals, including humans

- identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals

#### Year 2 Living things and their habitats

- identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited and describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other
- identify and name a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro-habitats

### GEOGRAPHY

- understand geographical similarities and differences through studying the human and physical geography of a small area of the UK, and of a small area in a contrasting non-European country.



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