

Finn's Rainforest Adventure

Learning objective: To identify and sort animals that live in different layers of the rainforest habitat.

Finn the dolphin has flown from the ocean to visit the rainforest! Help Finn sort his animal friends into the correct layers of the rainforest. Draw a line from each animal to the layer where it likes to spend its time: the High Canopy (the top, where it is sunny) or the Forest Floor (the bottom, where it is shady).

Word bank: Canopy · Forest Floor · Sunlight · Shadows

1. A bright green parrot loves to fly high in the treetops. Which layer does the parrot live in? (2 marks)

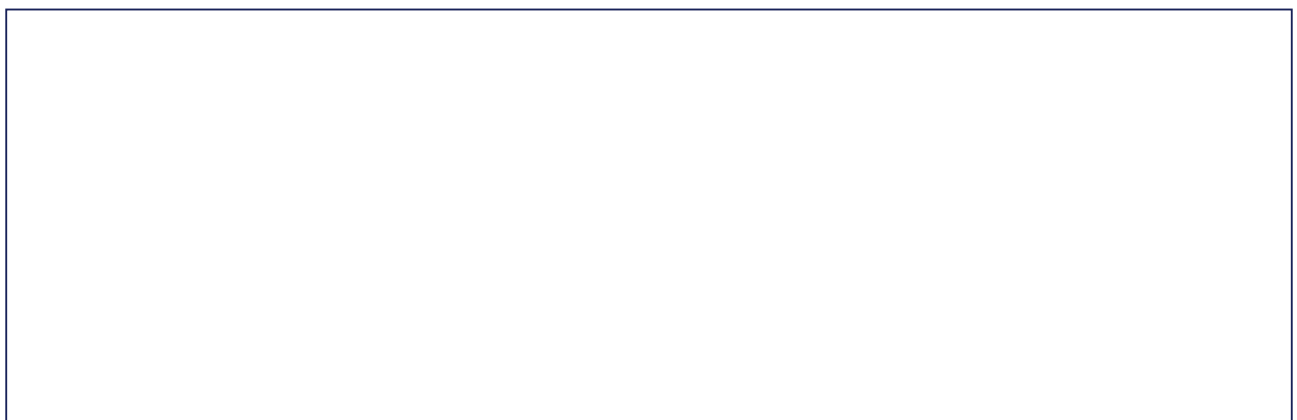
2. A tiny beetle crawls under big leaves on the dark ground. Which layer does the beetle live in? (2 marks)

3. Why is it darker on the Forest Floor than in the High Canopy? (2 marks)

4. If a monkey wants to sit in the sun, which layer should it choose? (1 mark)

5. Can you name one thing that plants need to grow in the rainforest? (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a tall rainforest tree. At the very top, draw a bright yellow sun. At the bottom, draw some colourful flowers hiding in the shade.



Extension challenge: Go on a 'mini-expedition' in your garden or a local park. Can you find two things that live in the sunlight and two things that live in the shadows?