

Questions

1. Name the two types of rainforest.

2. In the fact file, the author mentions 'fresh water'. What do you think fresh water is?

3. Near the end of the text, why does the author say rainforests are like the 'Lungs of the Earth'?

4. In 'The Canopy' section, what does the author mean by 'close proximity'?

5. A rainforest is an 'ecosystem'. What is an ecosystem?

6. It is very crowded and leafy in the canopy. How do some animals communicate because of this when they cannot see each other?

7. Why is the forest floor dark?

8. Name one way that the rainforests affect our life on Earth.

9. In the Fact File in Numbers, why has the author emphasised the word 'only'.

10. Read the last line...what is your opinion and why?
