



Worksheet 1

Lost in the Rainforest

Using Commas

'Swarms of mosquitoes plagued the children as they scrambled over tree roots, seedlings, bushes and rotting leaves.'

You can see from this example from the story that when you are writing a list of things in a sentence, each item needs to be separated by a comma except for the last two items which are separated by the word 'and'.

Write your own sentences using these lists making sure that the words follow each other and are separated by commas and then the word 'and'. The first one has been done for you.

- 1.** river, animals, plants, trees

The children saw a river, animals, plants and trees in the rainforest.

- 2.** snakes, ants, monkeys, toucans
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- 3.** nuts, fruit, berries, meat
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- 4.** blue, green, red, yellow, pink
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- 5.** chocolate, lollies, cake, ice-cream, chips
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