### Alexander Hosea Curriculum Map - Year 4

### Subject: Geography terms 1 and 2 linked to 'ls it too late?

# Know what creates a rainforest and know why they are located where they are

Know where some of the rainforests are in the world

Know what biomes are and that rainforest is one type

#### What is a biome?

A climate type I.e. Polar, Temperate, Arid, Tropical, Mediterranean, Mountain and its plants and animals make up a biome. The world is divided into lots of different biomes and they are all different depending on their climate.

Explain the 6 main ones:

Aquatic

Desert

Forest

Grassland

Rainforest Tundra

Know where most of the world's rainforests are situated

Know that rainforests are found between the tropics of Cancer and Capricorn.

Know the different between weather and climate

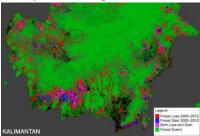
Know about the main features associated with a rainforest

Know some of the impact that human activity is having on the rainforest

Know why it is important to protect the rainforests

Know about the features of the different layers of a rainforest

### Sticky Knowledge:







# Programme of Study statements for the end of KS2:

Understand how some land use patterns have changed over time.

Describe and understand key aspects of physical geography including climate zones, biomes and vegetation belts, rivers, mountains, volcanoes and earthquakes.

### **Future Knowledge:**

Mayan unit Y5

Fair Trade Y6

Biomes and vegetation belts Y6

### **Previous Knowledge:**

Hot and cold places Y2 Seasons and weather Y1 Continents and oceans Y2

### **Key vocabulary:**

Rainforest, biome, canopy, understory, biodiversity, temperate, deforestation, palm oil, endangered, climate, tropics of Cancer and Capricorn

## **Cultural Capital**



Thinking like a Geographer

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maps	Enquiry	Communication
Use maps and atlases to locate rainforests	Raise their own questions with support	Make leaflets to explain their findings Make posters carrying information
Play secret rainforest game. Give groups name of a rainforest to		
locate on the map. They then make 10 clues for others to guess		
the rainforest		
Visits and visitors:	Experiences and events	Key texts
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Community events and links:	Global issues Linked throughout project	Famous people/
Charity event final outcome	Zimos anosgrious project	
Life Skills	Key places	