



Rainforest animals



Sloths



10 interesting facts

Without sloths there would be no avocados .

Sloths are three times stronger than us.

They poo a third of their body weight in one go .

Sloths are blind. ...

They are faster in water than on land. ...

It takes sloths 30 days to digest a leaf. ...

They can starve to death on a full stomach. ...

Sloths can fall 100 feet without injury.



Diet

Sloths munch on leaves, twigs and bugs. Because the animals don't have incisors, they trim down leaves by smacking their firm lips together. A low metabolic rate means sloths can survive on relatively little food; it takes days for them to process what other animals can digest in a matter of hours.

Rainforest birds



The Amazon Rainforest is where some 3,800 species are found, 1,300 of which are birds species. When one thinks of the typical rainforest bird, it is usually the iconic Toucan, with its colorful bill and unique look. However, Macaws, Parrots, Hummingbirds, Harpy Eagles and many other popular birds live there as well.

Birds of the tropical rain forest are known for their bright color, such as parrots, macaws and toucans. They eat a variety of foods, including seeds, plants and even small animals.



