

Listening: jungle adventure

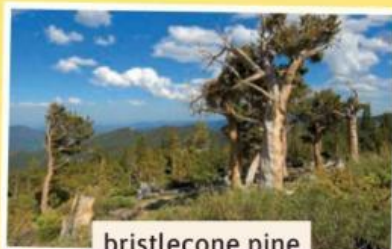
- 1  05 Listen to the conversation. Circle the correct words.

DID YOU KNOW ... ?

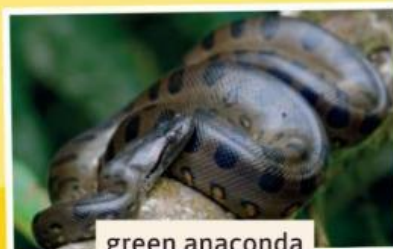
- 1 The Amazon rainforest gets between 150 / 1,500 and 3,000 millimetres of rain every year.
- 2 A bristlecone pine in California is more than 500 / 4,800 years old!
- 3 A green anaconda can weigh more than 200 / 300 kilograms.
- 4 There are about 400,000 / 40,000 types of beetle in the world.
- 5 Spider monkeys live in the Amazon rainforest and have got long tails – these can be up to 90 / 190 centimetres long!
- 6 There are about 12,000 / 10,000 types of ant on our planet.



rain in the Amazon



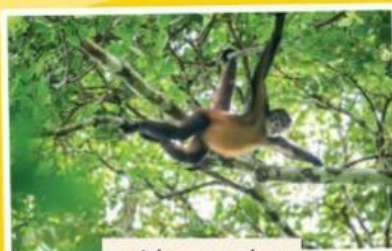
bristlecone pine



green anaconda



beetle



spider monkey



ants

- 2  06 What does Alex have to do before his trip? Listen and tick ☒ or cross ☐.



I have to ...

pack my things

have a shower and get dressed

make breakfast

take my boots

pack the car

wash and dry the dishes

tidy my room



Speaking

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- 1 Work with a friend. Imagine you are going to the Amazon rainforest. Tick ☒ what you have to take with you. Then say why.

boots
a football
food and water
shirts with long sleeves
a hat

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mosquito repellent
computer games
sun cream
a backpack
a kite

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We have to take boots with us.

Why?

Because there are dangerous snakes around!

- 2 With your friend, think of four more things to add to the list in Activity 1.

Let's take a camera with us.

Good idea! We can take some nice photos.

- 3 With your friend, choose five things you would like to do on your trip to the Amazon. Use the ideas below and your ideas.

I'd like to swim in the river. What about you?

I don't want to do that. We have to be careful. There are anacondas in the river!

look for tarantulas

see jaguars

see toucans

see anacondas

go on a boat on the river

meet people who live in the rainforest

swim in the river

take hundreds of photos

