

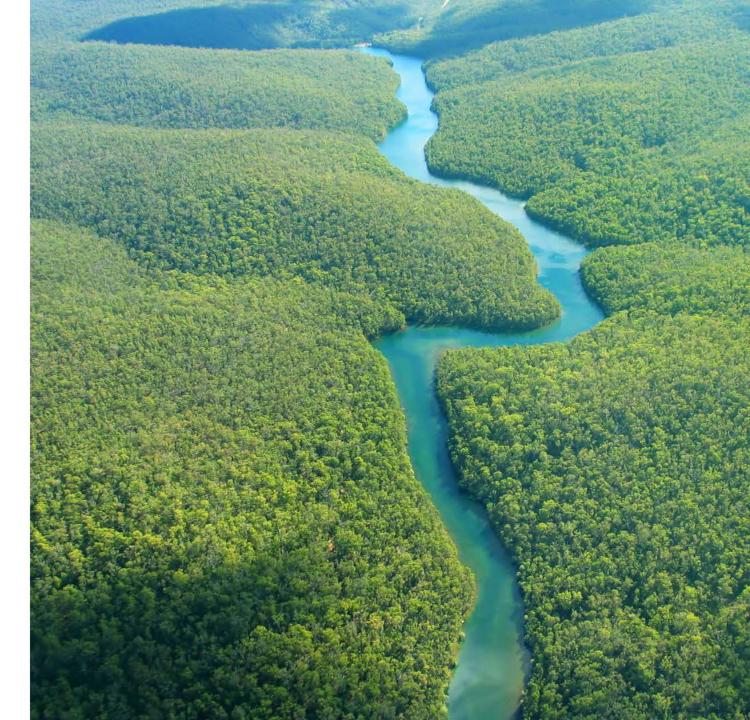
Living in the Amazon Forest The People of Boa Vista do Ramos



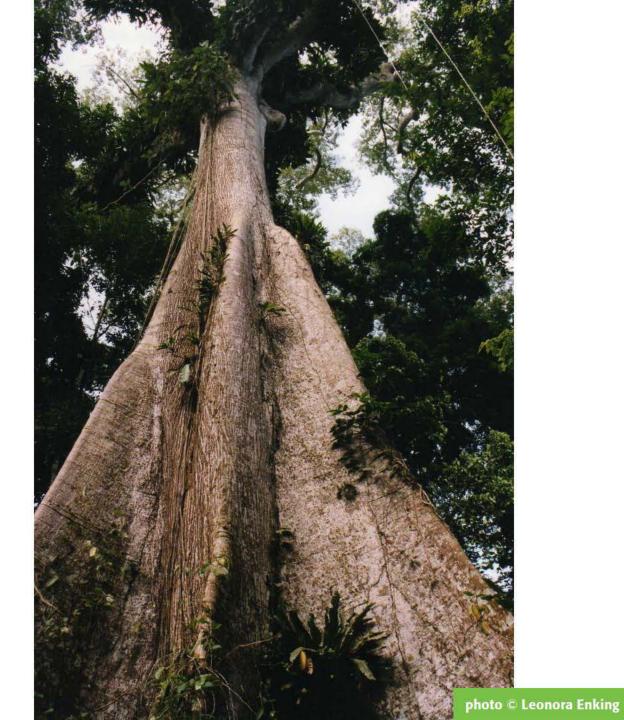
Boa Vista do Ramos is a town in the Amazon rainforest of Brazil. The Amazon is the world's largest tropical forest.



Most of the Amazon Rainforest is found in Brazil.



Some rainforest trees are 200 feet tall!



An Amazon River Dol-phin

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Toucans eat fruit and nuts. photo © Aventuras de Sarapiquí A Capuchin Monkey



Why does the Bald-headed Uakari have a red head?

Tapirs eat grass and leaves.

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Jaguars are predators. They eat other animals. Macaws are noisy birds. photo © Luc Viatour Leafcutter ants use leaves to grow fungus.



A village in Boa Vista do Ramos lies next to the river.

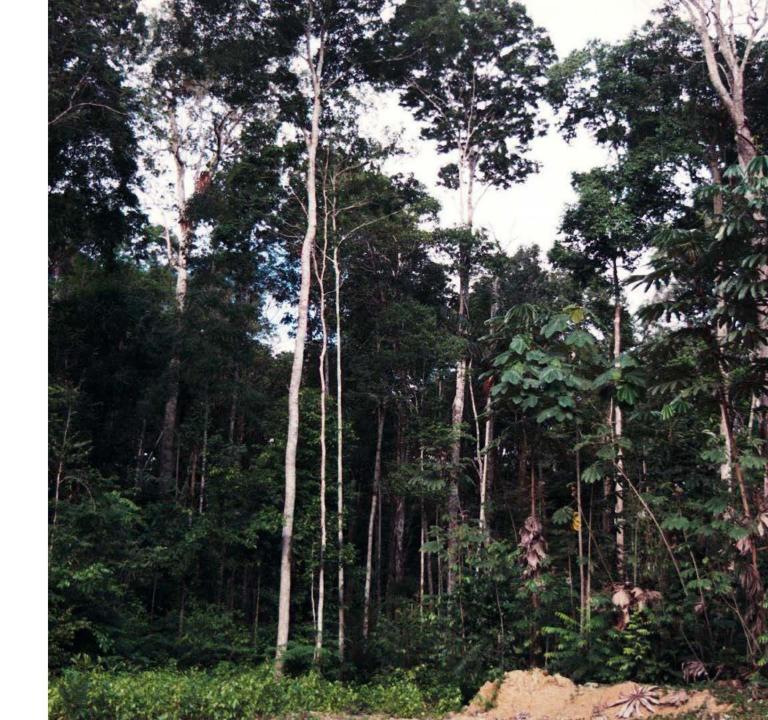


These children live in the rainforest.

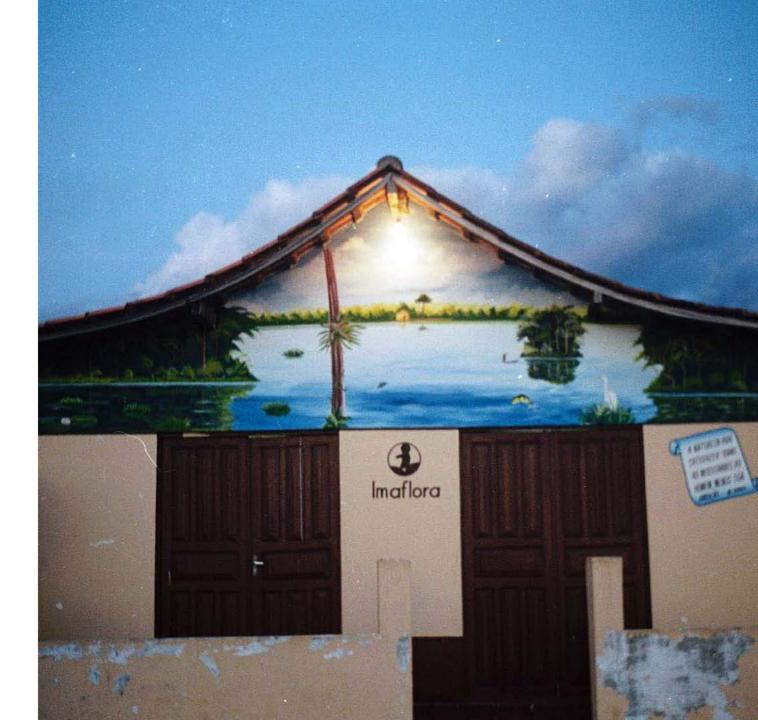
Children are learning to live in harmony with the forest.



People all over the world use products made from trees that grow in forests in Brazil.



Imaflora, a partner of the Rainforest Alliance, teaches people sustainable forestry.



Some families fish to earn money.

The families of Boa Vista depend on the forest and river for everything!



Working with conservationists, the families of Boa Vista are learning to live in the forest without hurting it.

