

# Geography Knowledge Building

Know that people need jobs, but this means that forests are being chopped down in Madagascar

Know that there are the remains of many ancient royal settlements and these were built on hills

Know that Madagascar features both rainforests and deciduous forests

Know and understand the words 'continent', 'deciduous' and 'ocean'

Know that Madagascar rainforests are located in the East and deciduous forests in the West of the country

Know that many of the wildlife species found on Madagascar have adapted to the climate and terrain

Know that half of the forests of Madagascar have been cleared in the past 50 years

Know that, in different parts of the island, the houses are made from different materials

Know that Madagascar features both deserts and mountainous areas

Know and understand the words 'country', 'land', 'sea', 'island' and 'forest'

Know that the Madagascar deserts are located in the South

Know what the climate is like in Madagascar

**Know that places change over time and that there is often a range of evidence to show this**

**Know some human geographical features in the focus area and describe them**

**Know some physical geographical features in the focus area and describe them**

**Know and understand simple vocabulary related to place**

**Name and locate some key places in their own country and countries in the wider world**

**Identify basic similarities and differences between a range of locations and environments**

**Processes and Changes**

**Human Geography**

**Physical Geography**

**Geographical Vocabulary**

**Locations and Environments**

**Similarities and Differences**

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