

Friends of the jungle

Tigers and the jungle need each other to survive. Read about how they rely on each other when you see our tigers.

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Tigers

NAME:




Sumatran Tigers live on the island of Sumatra in Indonesia. Today, you will find out more about these shy big cats.

What is their scientific name?

Panthera ti _____ *rae*

What is the biggest threat to Tigers and their home?


Draw some ways to help the tigers in the box below.

Pugmarks



Draw a tiger pugmark (footprint). A Sumatran tiger's paw will be bigger than your hand! Can you see how big the paws are on our tigers?




Rangers looking after the jungle rely on pugmarks to see if the elusive tigers have been nearby.

Survival in the wild



In the box below, draw the different things tigers need



Forest

Food:
deer, wild
pigs and
fish

Water

Tigers have specialised whiskers to help them hunt.