

Rainforest Description

Prepositions

Adjectives

Powerful

verbs

Adverbs

Metaphors/
similes

Personifica-
tion

Identify the word classes and figurative language in the description below. Use the key to help you label them.

On the damp, earthy forest floor a cool, fresh stream rushed quickly past the towering emergent trees and over the smooth rocks. Huge boulders lay silently as moss grew over them like a soft green coat. Amongst the thick tangle of branches, long vines hung down loosely making bridges between the trees. Bright red bromeliads perched proudly on top of the thick branches and spread out their smooth waxy leaves. The air was warm and filled with the sounds of a thousand colourful birds and insects hidden out of sight beneath the bright green leaves.