

# Deforestation

- Deforestation is the permanent destruction of natural forests and woodlands. This term does not include the destruction of industrial forests such as plantations of gums or pines.
- Deforestation has resulted in the smaller number of natural forests to four-fifths of their previous land area. Natural forests now cover 21% of the earth's land surface.



# Reasons for deforestation

**MONEY**

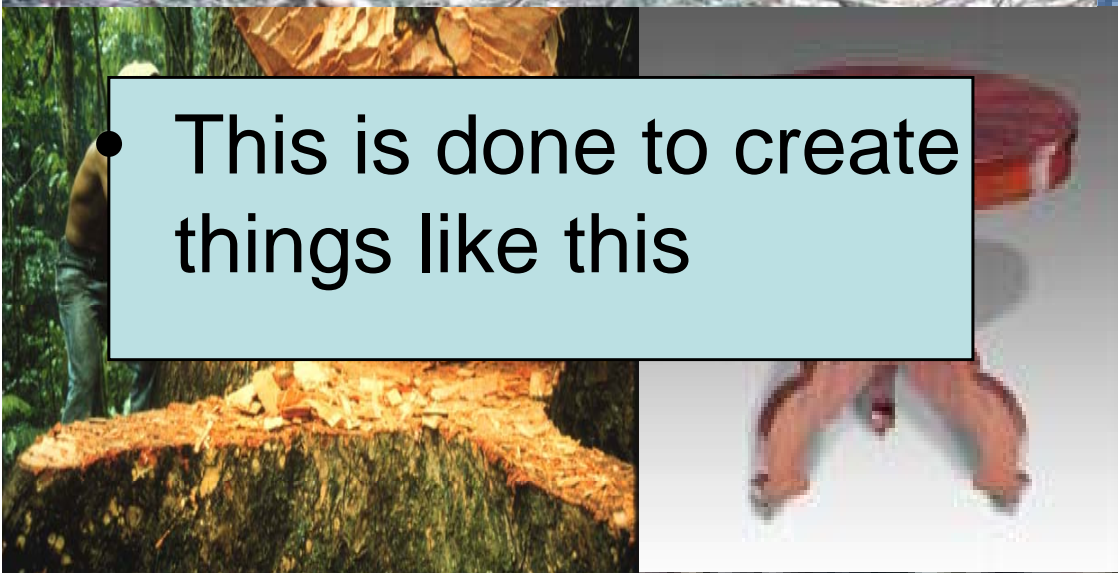
- Logging



- Slash- and- burn farming



- This is done to create things like this



- This is done to make room for this



# Sustainability

The background of the slide features a close-up photograph of bamboo. Several thick, green stalks are visible on the left side, with a cluster of long, slender, pointed leaves extending from one of them. The lighting is bright, creating a vibrant green color palette.

- This is an action which meets the needs of the present without changing anything for future generations.
- Due to the huge numbers of humans today this is hard to achieve
- Sustainable development and Eco-tourism hold the same ideas

# Sustainable and non-sustainable activities



# Using the rainforest the right way

- Rubber tapping



- Using the fruit



- Cutting some trees down and planting new ones



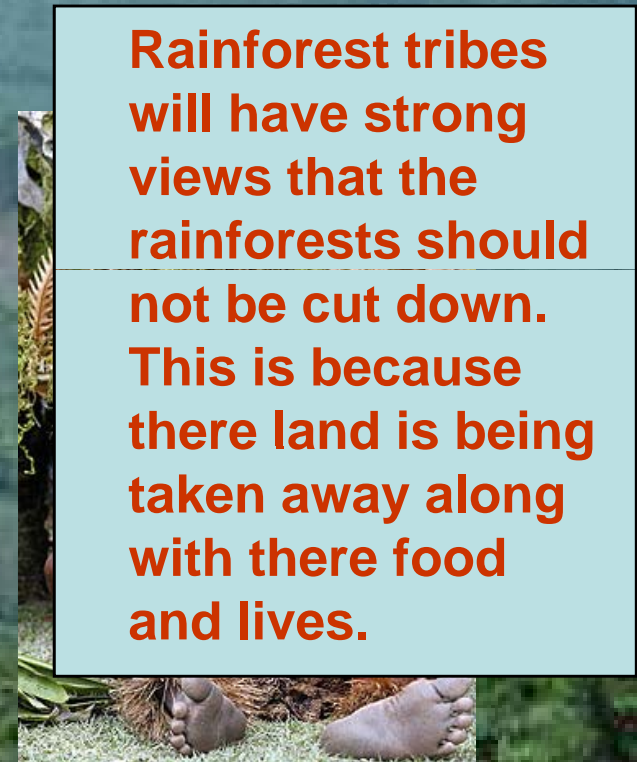
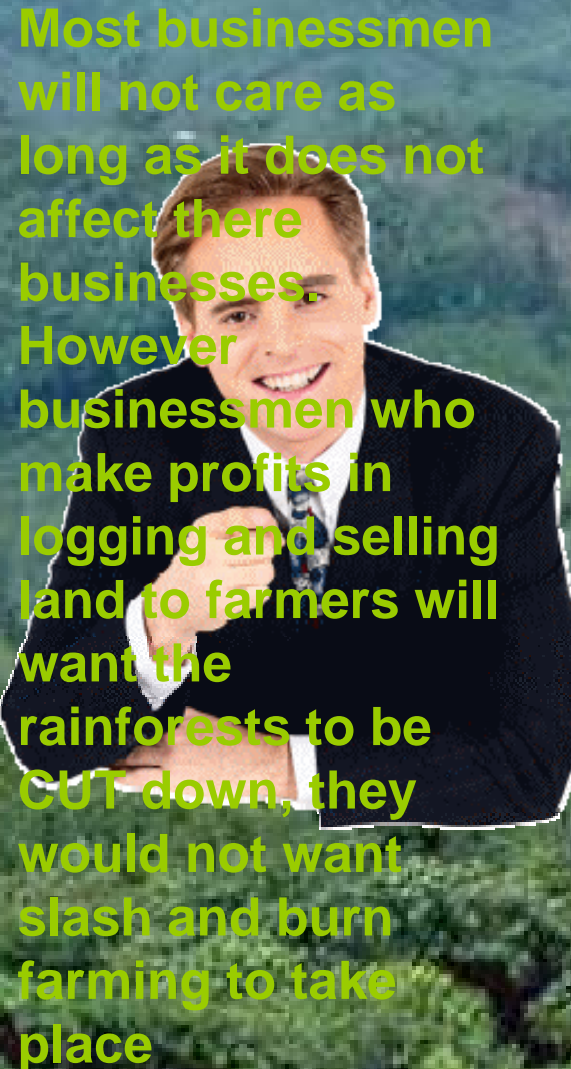
Eco-tourism  
with small  
trails in the  
rainforest



# Businesses/ practices in the rainforest



# Views on deforestation



# The future

- I think that the rainforests should be managed in the future by treating it like the tribes do:
- Living off the fruit and some meat
- Making sustainable developments to live in which can be made out of palm leaves
- Money can be made by using the rainforests resources sustainably
- charity money will help them do this.