# Types of Forests

## Tropical Rainforest

Climate: Hot and humid throughout the year; heavy rainfall.

Vegetation: Dense evergreen trees with multiple layers (canopy, understory).

Wildlife: Monkeys, parrots, jaguars, snakes, and many insects.

## Tropical Deciduous Forest (Monsoon Forest)

Climate: Warm climate with wet and dry seasons.

Vegetation: Trees shed leaves during dry season; teak, sal, bamboo common.

Wildlife: Tigers, elephants, deer, peacocks.

## Temperate Forest

Climate: Moderate temperatures with four distinct seasons.

Vegetation: Deciduous trees like oak, maple, and beech; some conifers.

Wildlife: Bears, wolves, foxes, deer.

## Boreal Forest (Taiga)

Climate: Cold winters and mild summers.

Vegetation: Coniferous trees – pine, spruce, fir.

Wildlife: Lynx, moose, wolves, and bears.

## Mangrove Forest

Climate: Found in coastal regions; saline water-tolerant.

Vegetation: Mangrove trees with special roots for waterlogged soil.

Wildlife: Crabs, fish, birds like kingfishers, and reptiles.

## Montane Forest (Mountain Forest)

Climate: Cooler temperatures, often misty or foggy.

Vegetation: Conifers at higher altitudes, broad-leaved trees lower down.

Wildlife: Snow leopards, mountain goats, and eagles.

## Savanna / Woodland

Climate: Warm with seasonal rainfall.

Vegetation: Grasslands with scattered trees; less dense than forests.

Wildlife: Lions, elephants, zebras, giraffes.