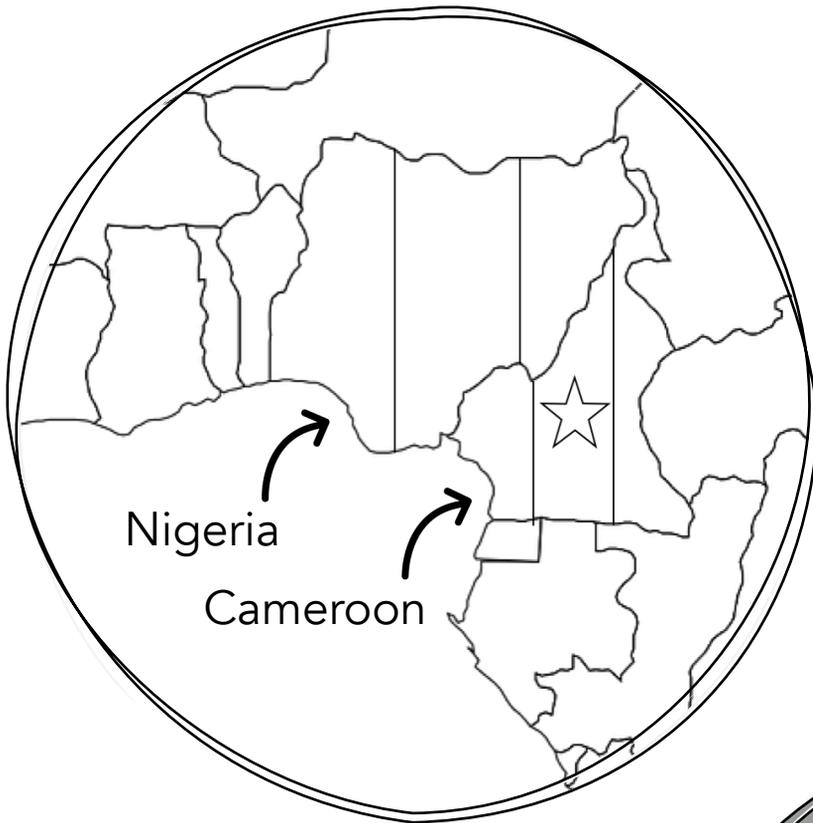


# Where to find Cross River gorillas

First of all, you'll need to travel to Nigeria and Cameroon. Cross River gorillas live along the border between these two countries.



**CHALLENGE:** Shade in the countries using the colours of their flag.

Cameroon  
Stripes: Green, Red, Yellow  
Star: Yellow

Nigeria  
Stripes: Green, White, Green

The mountainous rainforest where they are found is called the **Lebialem Highlands**. This is a global biodiversity hotspot.

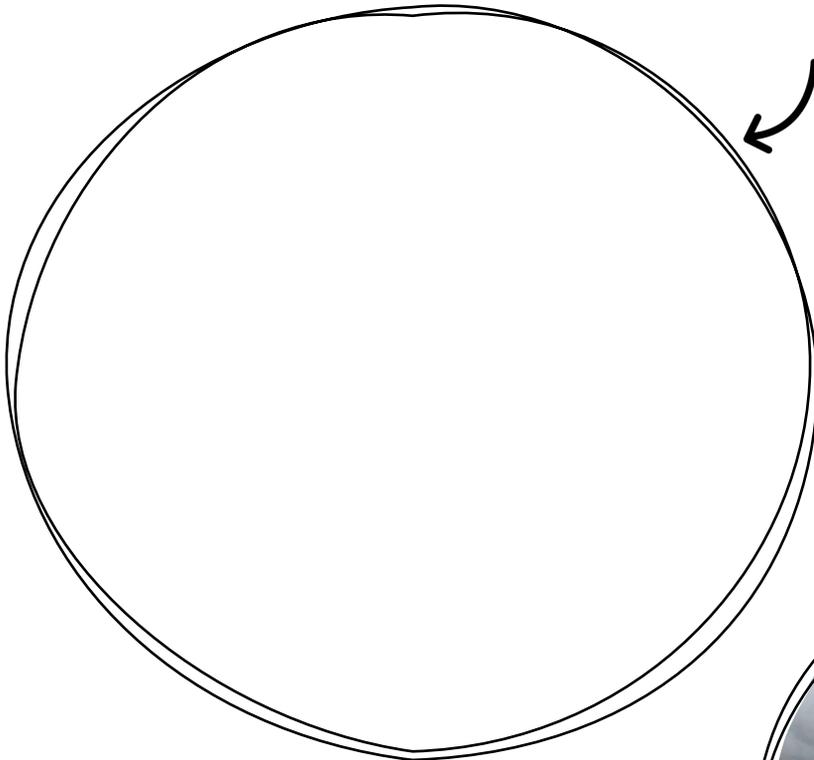


Area of Lebialem Highlands: 12 000 km<sup>2</sup>  
Area used by gorillas: 700 km<sup>2</sup>

In the 700 km<sup>2</sup> used by the gorillas, you'll be lucky to see any.

They spend most of their time in rugged, inaccessible parts of the mountains that are difficult to get to on human foot.

These parts are known as cloud forests. Scientists call this the Submontane.



**CHALLENGE:** Draw what you imagine cloud forest to look like.

Try drawing a mountain slope with lots of trees at the bottom and fewer at the top. Nearer the top of the mountain, don't forget to draw clouds.



### What is a global biodiversity hotspot?

An area that has a large variety of plants and animals which needs to be protected from harm.

Here is another photo example of cloud forest to help with your drawing.