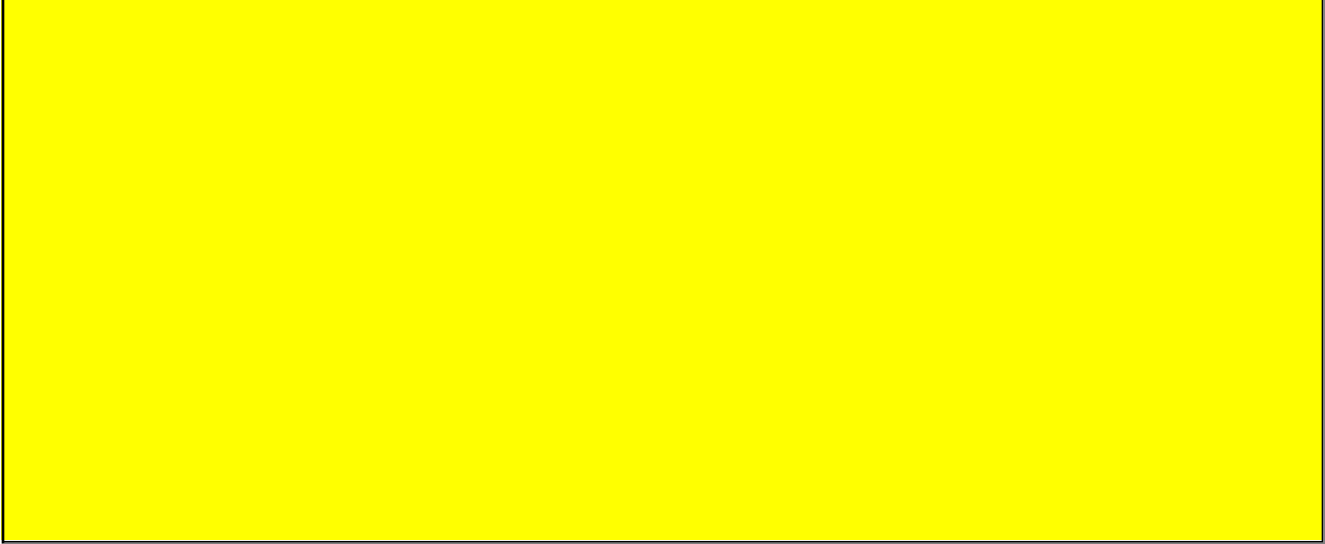


We are going to create a story map of The Great Kapok Tree.  
Listen to this reading and follow along with your model text.



Review the model text and write a list of the animals in the order they appear in.

Review the model text and write a list of the characters in the order they appear in.

boa constrictor,

monkeys,

green frog,

porcupines,

jaguar,

small child,



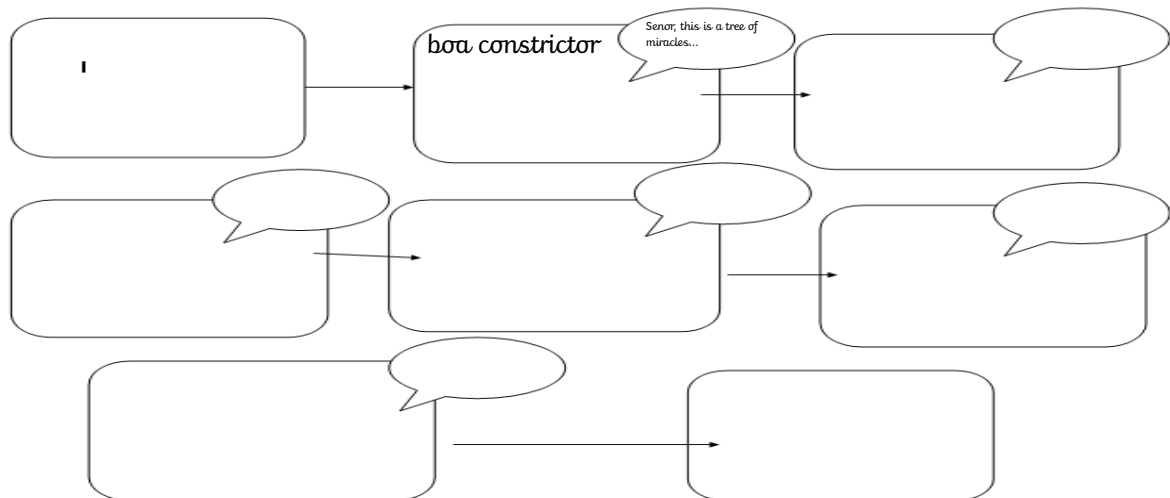
Each character also said something to the man.

What did they say?

Why is it important what they said?

What were they trying to prevent?

Let's quickly remind ourselves of the characters in the story and what order they come in:-



Can you add what each character said into the speech bubble on your story map.

What did each animal do next?

This is a transformation story.

What does that mean?

Why is it a transformation story?

How has the man changed from the beginning of the story to the end?

The woodcutter drops the axe, but why?

What do we think the woodcutter should do next?



Plenary: In your jotter write down what you think the woodcutter should do? What might be the consequences for the wood cutter of doing this?

