

## **Project Update: January 2014**

In November 2013, the macaw nesting season began and so our education training for the elementary school of our native community. After the earlier talks we re-visited the school and refreshed the children's memories about the conservation. This time we also brought them out to the field and showed them the varieties of parrot species that they can still see every day in the community. We asked the elder's help in the community to find and locate where parrots nest in the area and brought the kids there. In the field we showed how important is to preserve these big trees in their land so these parrots can maintain their nest and keep around us. We also toughed the children how to use cameras, GPS, binoculars, etc., and they enjoyed these trips very much.

We also took pictures of the most common species that we will use for our poster that we will elaborate for the end of this project. We are recording the native Ese'eja names of these species so the kids can learn it in their ancestors' language.



Native boys identifying parrots in the field