

# Will you help to protect the world's forests?



Why do we need forests?



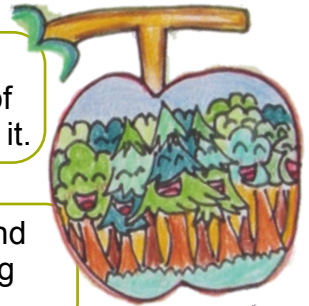
Trees provide oxygen - without trees we could not breathe! This is why forests are often called the 'lungs of the planet'.



Forests are home to hundreds of thousands of different plants and animals.



Forests help reduce global warming by taking in carbon dioxide (which is one of the main greenhouse gases) and storing it.



Forests are wonderful places to visit and you can do lots of things such building dens, exploring and cycling.



Some forest plants can be used for life-saving medicines.

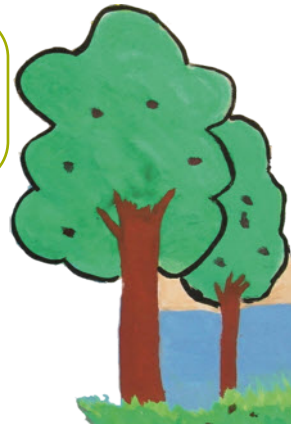


Should we stop chopping down trees?

Forests can provide wood forever as long as we plant more trees to replace those that are cut down.



We can help to stop deforestation by shopping responsibly.



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How do I know that my paper/wood product is not the result of deforestation?



The FSC® logo is your guarantee that you are not damaging the world's forests.



FSC stands for Forest Stewardship Council®.

FSC forests are managed with care for the environment, the wildlife and the people who live and work in them.

When trees are cut down in FSC forests they are replaced by people or nature.

FSC wood is tracked from the forest to the shop. FSC products are marked with the FSC tick-tree logo.

Any forest product can be FSC certified.

What does FSC mean?



What products can be FSC certified?



Can you unscramble the words below to discover some of the products on which you can find the FSC tick-tree logo?

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2. true if run
3. iterate plop
4. dracs
5. lacarcoh
6. amaze sign
7. its uses
8. a prep

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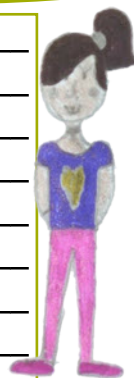
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**Clues:** (1) For a good read (2) Maybe to sit on? (3) Bathroom essential (4) To play or to send (5) For a barbeque (6) From the newsgents (7) For sniffles and sneezes (8) You are looking at it (if it has been printed)!

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