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The Importance of Trees

- Trees are the biggest plant on the planet.
- They remove harmful pollutants from our atmosphere and release oxygen.
- Each tree removes up to **1.7 kg of pollutants** every year.
- Trees stabilise soil, provide habitats for wildlife and are natural flood defences.
- They are one of the longest living species on Earth.

- Trees add to the cultural identity of an area.
- It is proven that being around trees reduces blood pressure and stress.
- Trees have been used for their calming properties in western medicine.
- Many materials for food and shelter come from trees.

- Trees host complex microhabitats.
- When young, they are home to communities of bird, insect, fungi and lichen.
- When ancient, the trunks provide hollow cover for bats, beetles, tawny owls and woodpeckers.

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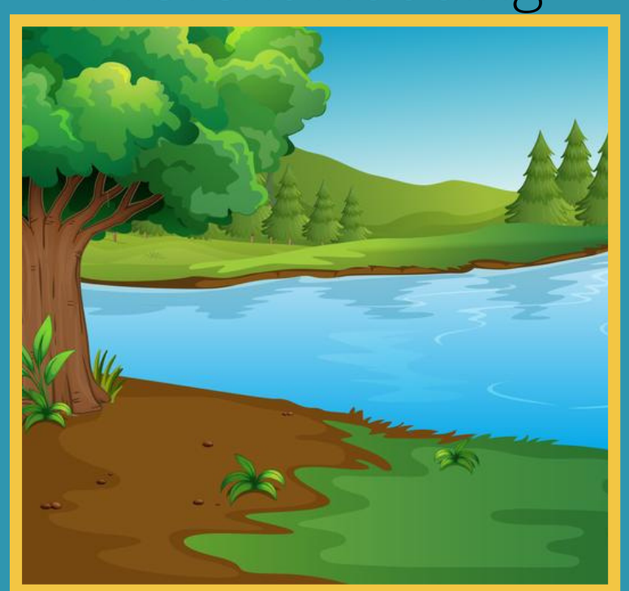
What do trees do for our planet?

Extract Pollutants

Give us Oxygen

Provide Habitat

Prevent Flooding

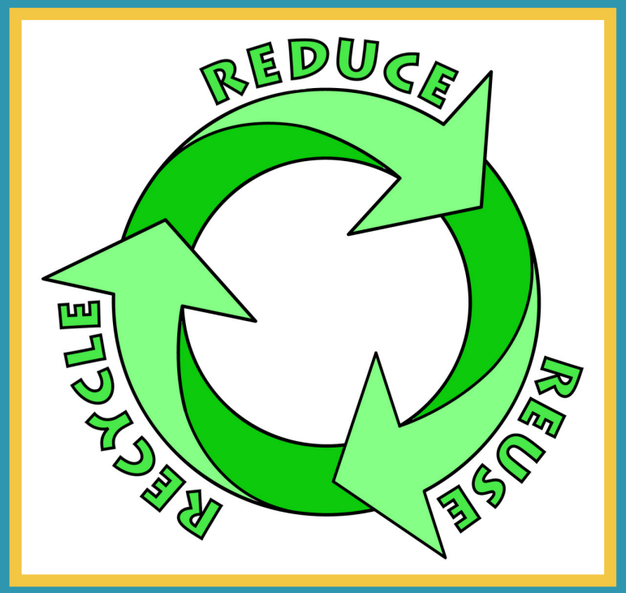


Create Shade

Provide Healing

What can you do to protect our trees?

Reuse Products



Use the Library

Plant More Trees

Protect Existing Trees

Eat Less Meat

Speak Up!

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