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An overview of Just Forests development education (DE) and education for sustainable (ESD) development resources for 2012...and more to come!

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Wood of life Exhibition for the classroom




The Wood of Life is a hands-on exhibition, which helps the viewers to get a better appreciation of the importance of wood and forests to society...


Supporting resources includes:

- Introduction brochure
- Activity sheet
- Follow-on classroom project sheet



22 graphically illustrated panels that introduces the viewer to the importance of wood and forests in our lives...and can be viewed via iPad, whiteboard or just on your computer screen





Remember to be kind to all the trees in your forest.

War on Wood Waste

My name is ~~Category~~ Wood, I was born in Honduras. I lived in the forest for 200 years with my jungle friends. Then I was cut down and shipped to Ireland and made into a beautiful table.

My owner loved me and cared for me. When she died I was sold. My new owner used me to mix cement on my fine grain. Then he dumped me.

Casper Elder found me in the dump and cleaned me up - look how beautiful I still am!

Wood of Life



The 8 R's

Repair - doors and windows often only need repairs or modifying rather than costly replacements

Restore - have your furniture restored

Refurbish - renovate and redecorate your existing building instead of demolishing it

Reclaim - if you must demolish a building reclaim useable timbers and wood products

Recycle - pass on your old furniture to a local charity for distribution to those in need

Refuse - do not accept wood and wood products resulting from weak forest certification standards

Reuse - use used envelopes again and again. Write on both sides of paper when possible

Replant - support local, national and international tree planting projects.

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