

WORKSHEET 2 - PROTECT THE FORESTS



The animals in Open Season are lucky enough to live in a beautiful forest in the USA. Changes in climate, pollution and deforestation all pose threats to natural woodlands around the world. Using the internet, find out about local forests near your school or home. Create a brochure, one-minute campaigning video or multimedia presentation on why it is important to preserve our forests.

Notes:

A series of horizontal dotted lines for writing notes, spanning the width of the page.



Learning outcomes:

- Learn to select salient items for a specific purpose.
- Make judgements about value and credibility of evidence.
- Develop media production skills.
- Learn about issues of appropriateness in persuasive presentations.

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WORKSHEET 2 - HOMEWORK



Home Sound Scenes

You will need: a piece of paper, a pencil or pen, a watch or clock with a second-hand.

Next time you are at home, sit at a table and write down all of the sounds you can hear for ONE MINUTE. The sounds that you have listed could be described as a 'montage' of the sounds that you hear on a daily basis at home. Filmmakers and Foley artists (sound effect creators) do the same thing when they are setting the scene for a story.

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Draw a picture, or a series of storyboarded images to go with the sounds that you've listed.

Write the opening of a film script that includes all of the sounds that you listed.

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Learning outcomes:

- Understand the importance of sounds in everyday life and in films and learn to listen to them!
- Develop the idea of 'montage' of both sound and image, as a way of expressing local or personal identity.