



Forests- a global perspective

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Global Education

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au>

The Global Education Website is initiated and funded by AusAID to support its Global Education Program.

The objective of the Global Education Website is to increase the amount and quality of teaching of global education in Australian primary and secondary schools.



Teacher resources supporting the integration of a global perspective across the curriculum

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| Global Issues | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australia's aid program Biodiversity Children's rights Desertification Education Environment Food security | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Forests Gender equality Globalisation Governance Health HIV/AIDS Human rights | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Microfinance Millennium Development Goals Natural disasters Natural fibres Peace building Polar regions Poverty reduction | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Refugees Rice Rural development Sanitation Urbanisation Volunteering Water |
| Country Profiles | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Africa/Middle East | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Asia | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pacific | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> APEC Countries |
| Teaching Tools | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Case studies Global projects online | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learning quests Quizzes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teaching activities Teaching strategies | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Templates |
| Support & Networks | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion group Events Calendar | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> News feeds Newsletter | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NGOs PD Providers | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Publications |
| Curriculum Links | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State and Territory | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schools | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Resources |
| Global Projects Online | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be aware of biodiversity (LP-LS) Discover natural fibres (LP-LS) FIFA World Cup 2010 (LP-U/Sec) Forests:a global perspective (LP-LS) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Give peace a chance (MP-LS) Languages matter (LP-U/Sec) Millennium Development Goals (MP-UP) People of the Pacific (MP-U/Sec) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Planet earth (MP-LS) Potatoes (LP-U/Sec) Sanitation and disease (LS-U/Sec) Sanitation and disease (UP) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science as a human endeavour (LP-MP) |

Global issues

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/6>

Teaching activities

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/116>

Case studies

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/967>

2011 The International Year of Forests

<http://www.un.org/en/events/iyof2011/>

Global education website content

Case study: **Seeing the forest and the trees**

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/1643>

Teaching activity: **Decision making in forest user groups (Lower Secondary)**

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/1603>

Teaching activity: **Seeing the forest and the trees (Upper Primary)**

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/1672>

Teaching activity: **Sustainable forestry (Upper Secondary)**

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/1692>

Teaching activity: **Women as forest users (Upper Secondary)**

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/1694>

New content coming early in 2011 in celebration of 2011 the International Year of Forests

Background information

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/4286>

Teaching activities

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/4287>

Case studies

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/4288>

Links and resources

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/4289>

Glossary

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/4290>

Global project

Forests: a global perspective

This project aims to engage students in a celebration of forests and increase their understanding of the global issue of sustainable use of forests for **2011 the International Year of Forests**. It includes activities and resources for students from lower primary to lower secondary.

<http://www.ozprojects.edu.au/course/view.php?id=172>

Useful links

Global education professional development providers

<http://www.globaleducation.edna.edu.au/globaled/go/pid/156>

Food and Agricultural Organisation of the United Nations (forestry photos)

<http://www.fao.org/mediabase/forestry/>

Forests theme page (resources and events)

http://www.edna.edu.au/edna/go/schooled/school_theme_pages/forests

Arkive: Images of Life on Earth

<http://www.arkive.org/>

Forest Manager Game

<http://www.nafi.com.au/TimberTrek/resources/fmggame.swf>

Ecoforest

http://www.publish.csiro.au/onborrowedtime/ecoforest/eco_forest.swf

Greenpeace: Kids for forests

<http://archive.greenpeace.org/kidsforforests/index.html>

Content Generator (download quiz makers)

<http://www.contentgenerator.net/>

Australian Museum

<http://australianmuseum.net.au/image/Forest-Habitats/>