

Infuse environmental themes in your lessons and celebrate Green Days with these resources.



## July | Plastic-Free July (Global Movement)

It takes about 450 years just for one plastic bottle to break down in the ground! It's no wonder that plastic waste is one of the biggest threats to our natural ecosystems.

**Would you participate in a plastic-free July like many around the world? Here are some ideas!**

**Video** Life in plastic, is it fantastic? Find out with this video.  
<https://academy.wfindia.org/2022/04/02/plastic-planet-untangled/>

**Challenge** Take the Plastic-free July challenge to join a community of over 100 million participants  
<https://www.plasticfreejuly.org/take-the-challenge/>

**Book** Read this story about the journey a plastic bottle takes and how you can take a small step that can make a world of difference.  
<https://www.behance.net/gallery/97795795/Ammus-Bottle-Boat>

**Video** Give your plastic waste a new avatar with these fun DIY ideas.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Sr6DgQ18drA>



## 16 July | World Snake Day

Did you know that there are over 3,000 species of snakes on the planet? This includes venomous, non-venomous, sea-snakes, and even flying ones!

**Let's slither in and explore more about snakes through these resource bundles!**

**Article** Of over 300 species in India, there are only about 60 venomous ones. Read about them.

<https://wildlifesos.org/venomous-snakes-of-india/>

**Comic** Check out this fun comic to see how snakes are important to maintaining the balance in the ecosystem.

<https://academy.wwfindia.org/2021/12/01/a-backyard-surprise/>

**Video** The largest snake in the world can weigh up to 227 kilograms! Do you know what they are called? Watch this video to find out.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qgA63Ixc\\_Y](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qgA63Ixc_Y)

**Photo Gallery** You can find them in rainforests, mountains, oceans, and beyond. Browse through 22 spectacular images of these beauties.

<https://www.nationalgeographic.com/photography/article/snakes-world-snake-day-environment-animals-joel-sartore-photos>



## 26 July | International Day for the Conservation of the Mangrove Ecosystems

Do you know what mangroves are? They are coastal trees and shrubs, crucial for protecting coastlines and mitigating climate change.

**Learn about mangrove ecosystems with these fun resources.**

**Video** Learn about some amazing ways in which mangrove ecosystems protect our planet through this video.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l5fIMfP-5Wk>

**Activity** Use your creativity and give colours to this mangrove drawing. Feel free to draw one mangrove animal or bird in the free space.

<https://easydrawingguides.com/coloring-pages/mangrove-tree/>

**Story** Read this story about two young boys who find a way to save mangroves from destruction.

[Jo and Ju save the mangroves](#)

**Comic** Did you know that the largest mangrove forest in the world lies partly in India? Can you guess where it is before you open this comic?

<https://academy.wffindia.org/2022/01/20/boat-birding-in-tigerland/>



## 29 July | International Tiger Day

Did you know that like the human fingerprint, each tiger's stripe pattern is one of a kind? Individual tigers are identified by their unique stripes.

**Learn more about tigers with these resource bundles.**

**Video** Go on an adventure with this tiger cub and his mom!  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ljoY36g8NQo>

**Infographic** Check out this infographic to discover interesting facts about tigers!  
[https://www.wwf.org.uk/sites/default/files/2016-12/Tiger\\_Fact\\_Sheet.pdf](https://www.wwf.org.uk/sites/default/files/2016-12/Tiger_Fact_Sheet.pdf)

**Course** Get an up-close look and learn some interesting facts about the big cats of India through this online course.  
<https://academy.wwfindia.org/courses/the-big-cats-of-india/>

**Comic** We know Sunderbans is the land of tigers, but what other species can one spot there? Read through this comic to know.  
<https://academy.wwfindia.org/2022/01/20/boat-birding-in-tigerland/>