

LI: To understand sustainability.

**What are we
learning?**

**To understand
sustainability.**

**Why are we
learning this?**

**To be informed so we
can make a choice to
improve the future for
all living things.**

What does the word environmentally friendly mean?

- Environment - the surroundings or conditions in which a person, animal, or plant lives or operates.
- Environmental - concerned with the protection of the natural world of land, sea, air, plants and animals.
- **not harmful to the environment.**
- Earth friendly



What does the word sustainable mean?

- **Causing little or no damage to the environment.**
- **Using methods that do not harm the environment so that the natural resources are still available in the future.**

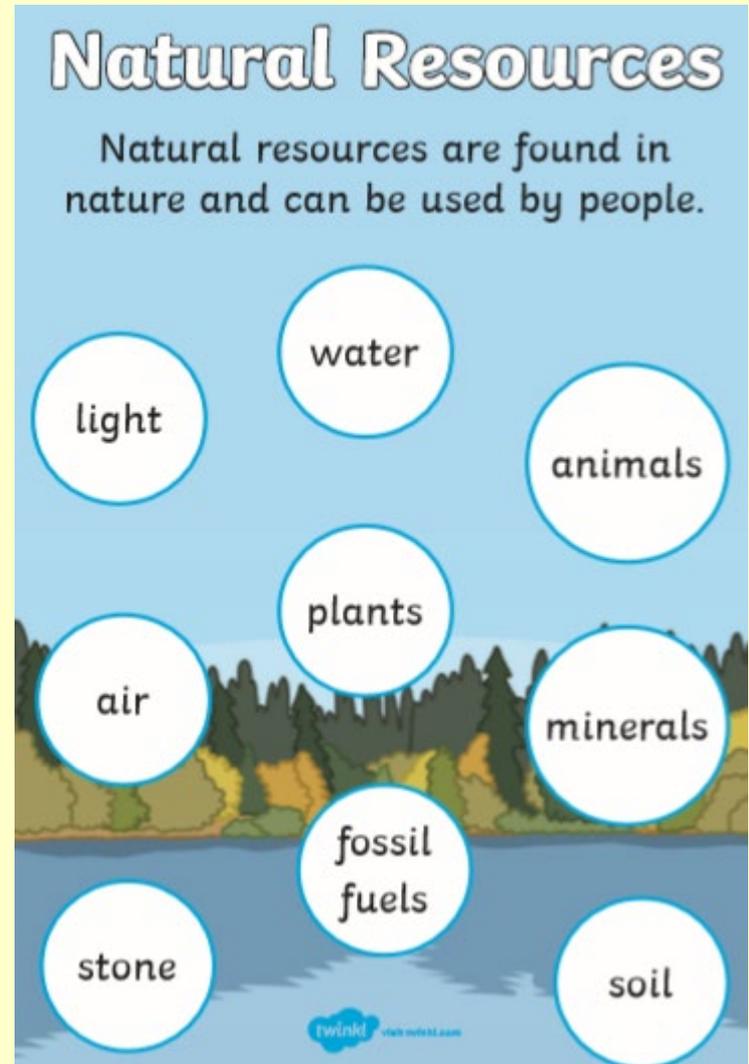


What is a natural resource?

Natural resources are materials or substances that are produced by the environment.

Humans use natural resources to survive.

They can be used to heat our homes, transport us around the world, feed us and clothe us.



Is environmental friendly the same as being sustainable?

- Environmentally friendly or earth friendly is doing anything that is harmful to the environment.
- Sustainable means causing little or no damage to the environment so that natural resources are available in the future.
- Natural resources - are materials from the Earth that are used to support life and meet people's needs.
Examples of natural resources: air, water, soil, plants, animals, stone, metals and fossil fuels (oil, coal and natural gas).

Sustainability

Sustainability is ensuring that the planet and all of its resources can continue to provide a home for the humans, animals and plants that live here.

It is our job to take care of the planet to ensure that future generations of people and animals can live and thrive on Earth.

Thrive – grow or develop well.



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Sustainability

It is our job to make informed choices about the products we use and where they come from.

Being a sustainable society means we need to make smart choices about the products we use, the lifestyles we live and how we can preserve resources for generations to come.



Why Is It Important to Be Sustainable?

Problems arise when we don't look after the resources we have.

We need to make sure –

- that there are enough natural resources for people in the future.
- that the natural resources are used by humans at a rate where they are able to replenish themselves. .

