

## Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will learn why animals need trees and how trees help animals survive.

## Materials and Prep

Materials needed: Paper, crayons/markers, scissors, glue, pictures of animals, and pictures of trees.

Make sure to have a clear space for drawing and cutting.

## Activities

- Draw and color your favorite animal on a piece of paper.
- Cut out pictures of trees and glue them around your animal to create a habitat.
- Pretend to be the animal and explain why the tree is important for your survival.

## Talking Points

- "Animals need trees because trees provide food and shelter for them."
- "Trees give animals a safe place to live and protect them from predators."
- "Some animals use trees to build their homes, like birds who make nests in branches."
- "Trees also give animals oxygen to breathe, which is essential for their survival."
- "When animals and trees work together, they create a balanced ecosystem where everyone can thrive."