

# Science of Our Planet

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*\*Due to the subject matter of these lessons, specifically, climate, there are resources that may discuss climate change and global warming. Use your discretion.*

### Week 1 – Natural Resources

#### Objective:

- Learn about our natural resources

#### Supplies Needed:

- Natural Resources Poster
- Natural Resources ID Posters
- Natural Resources Sorting Activity
- Identifying Natural Resources Worksheet

#### Day 1:

- Define “natural” and “resources” then combine the two and talk about what natural resources are in our world.
- Use the Natural Resources Poster to help identify different natural resources.

#### Day 2:

- Define “non-renewable” and “man-made.”
- Use the Natural Resources Poster to talk about non-renewable resources.
- Discuss how we can take care of our natural resources.

#### Day 3:

- Use the Natural Resources ID Posters to help breakdown the different types of natural resources.

#### Day 4:

- Review natural and non-renewable resources.
- Use the Natural Resources Sorting Activity to practice identifying the types of natural resources.

#### Day 5:

- Review natural and non-renewable resources.
- Use the Identifying Natural Resources Worksheet to color and identify the two types of resources.

**Books:**

- *Natural or Man-Made?* by Kelli Hicks
- *Touch the Earth* by Julian Lennon
- *I am Earth* by James McDonald
- *Our Natural Resources* by Jennifer Prior

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