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# REFLECTION

on Action!

I explored WWF's forest hub page and learned about the crucial role forests play in sustaining biodiversity, supporting local communities, and mitigating climate change. Forests are home to most of the world's terrestrial species and provide essential resources like food, wood, and clean air for billions of people.

Did you know more than 3 billion people live within 1 km of a forest? That's nearly 75% of all non-urban populations globally! Forests also act as carbon sinks, storing over 660 gigatons of carbon, which is about 18 times the amount humans emit annually.

Yet, threats like illegal logging, agriculture expansion, and infrastructure development are destroying forests at alarming rates. For example, the Amazon lost ~17% of its forest cover in the last 50 years.

To contribute, I chose to sign **WWF's forest protection petitions/pledges**. These actions are simple but powerful ways to push for sustainable practices and policies that preserve forests for future generations.









forest-friendly policies, reduce deforestation, and engage in responsible forest management.



I signed the following WWF petitions:

- 1. Pledge for Our Planet (Forest Protection & FSC Products): <a href="https://protect.worldwildlife.">https://protect.worldwildlife.</a> org/page/53515/petition/1
- 2. Protect Tigers by Switching to Forest-Friendly Products: <a href="https://protect.worldwildlife.">https://protect.worldwildlife.</a> <a href="https://page/53558/petition/1">org/page/53558/petition/1</a>
- 3. Nature Needs Us Now: <a href="https://protect.worldwildlife.">https://protect.worldwildlife.</a> <a href="https://page/87559/petition/1">org/page/87559/petition/1</a>

I chose these because they directly influence companies and governments to adopt

# WHY I CHOSE THIS ACTION:

- It's directly impactful; my signature supports real-world policy change.
- It connects me to a global effort, the 30×30 campaign is protecting 30% of lands and oceans by 2030.
- It creates awareness, by signing, I also commit to choosing sustainable products and encouraging others to do the same.





## CONNECTION

## TO FOREST PROTECTION



VISUAL CALL TO **ACTION:** 

Forests are not just trees; they are life support systems. By signing these petitions, I contribute to:

- Respecting and caring for natural spaces in my city and beyond.
- Choosing FSC-certified products to support responsible forest management.
- Avoiding single-use plastics and products that harm wildlife.
- Sharing my love for nature to inspire others.
- These small actions help protect biodiversity, store carbon, and ensure future generations inherit a healthy planet.

### Protect Forests, **Protect Life**

#### **Key Stats:**

- 3 billion people live within I

km of a forest.
• Forests store 660+ gigatons

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## #I PLEDGE

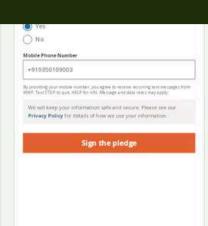
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**DAY 11: FORESTS** 

#### I commit to ...

- Reducing my carbon footprint by monitoring the electricity I use and switching to clean energy options where available.
- Improving my daily commute to work or school by walking riding my bake, carpooling or using public transportation. This reduces our fossil fuel use per person and helps us all become more energy efficient.
- Reducing the food waste in my home from its current levels and only purchasing what I need—knowing that I'll also save money.
- Buying products that help protect forests like those with the Forest Stewardship Council (FSC) label, or seafood that comes from sustainable fishing practices like that with the Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) label. And, when possible, looking for products that use sustainable palm oil and have the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSP) label.
- Signing petitions, sending messages to my elected officials, calling my representatives, and being a voice for the planet to help create and support policies that recognize and respect the importance of nature.

I will make a difference for nature and people. WWF can count on me to help protect our planet.



## Thanks! Will you take the next step?



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Thank you for taking the pledge to protect our planet.

Please take the next step—make your most generous donation to help protect wildlife, habitats, and communities worldwide.

Not ready to donate? Share this important petition with your family and friends.

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The Forest Stewardship Council label means the product is from a responsibly managed forest—one where trees are harvested legally, highly hazardous pesticides are not used, the rights of Indigenous people are protected, and more. And it can be found almost everywhere, as every part of a tree is used to make products—like rubber for shoes and bark for corks. Simple everyday decisions can make a major impact on saving forests—and tigers.

Pledge to buy forest-friendly products when available and commit to preserving nature's beauty for future generations.

To a tiger, the forest is life. It provides trees for shade, rivers for drinking water, and ideal hunting grounds for ambushing prey. One of the best ways to protect forests so that tigers and other wildlife thrive is to buy products that have the Forest Stewardship Council®

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