

The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals

Who are the United Nations?

The **United Nations (UN)** is an organization between countries which was set up on 24 October 1945 to help to get countries to work together. When it was founded, the UN had 51 members; there are now 193. Most nations are members of the UN and send people from their countries to the headquarters to hold meetings and make decisions about global issues. Here is a photograph of the United Nations headquarters building which is in New York City.



The goals of the United Nations are:

- to keep world peace
- to help countries get along
- to improve living conditions for people all over the world
- and to make the world a better place.

The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals

The **Sustainable Development Goals** are sometimes known as the **SDGs** and are a set of targets for the development of the whole world. They were set up in 2015 and it is hoped that all the targets can be reached by 2030. There are 17 goals altogether. Here they are:

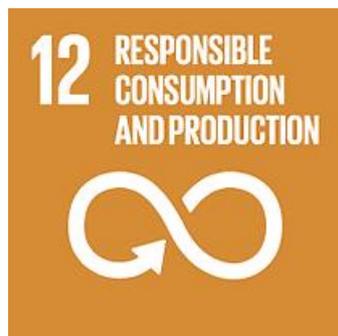


[Click here to watch a video that tells a little more about what each of the goals are all about](#)

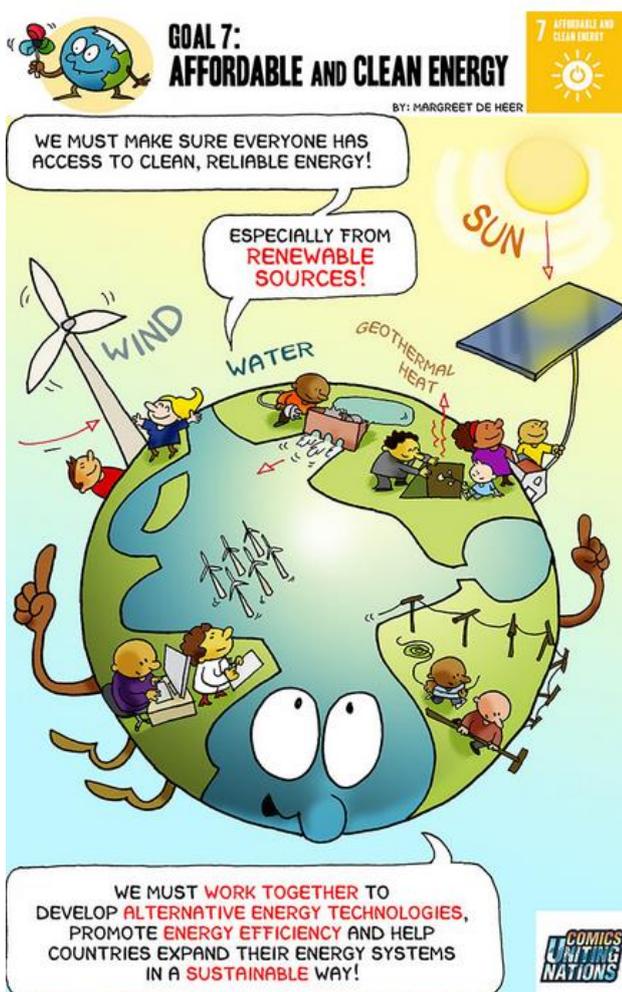
The Sustainable Development Goals And Our Green Schools Theme

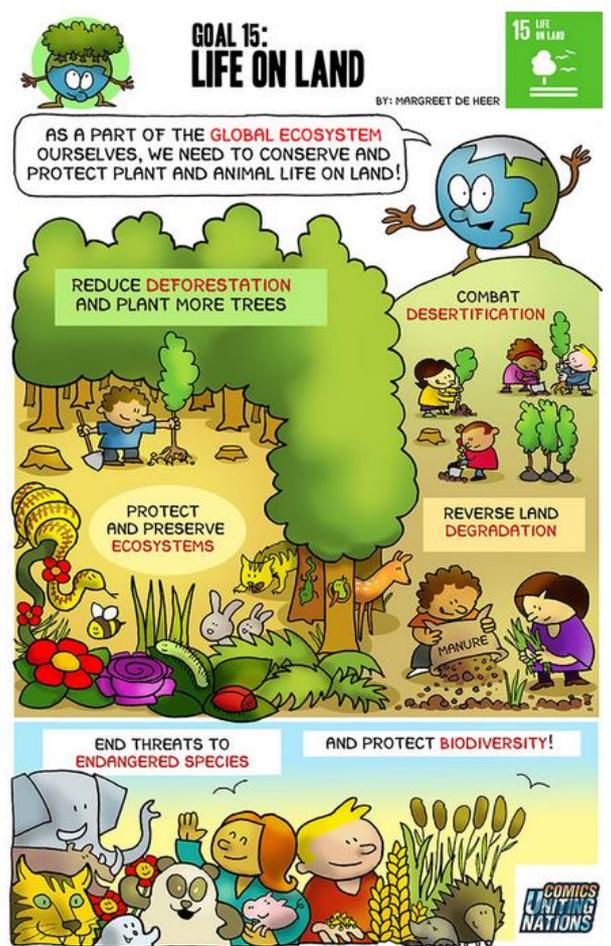
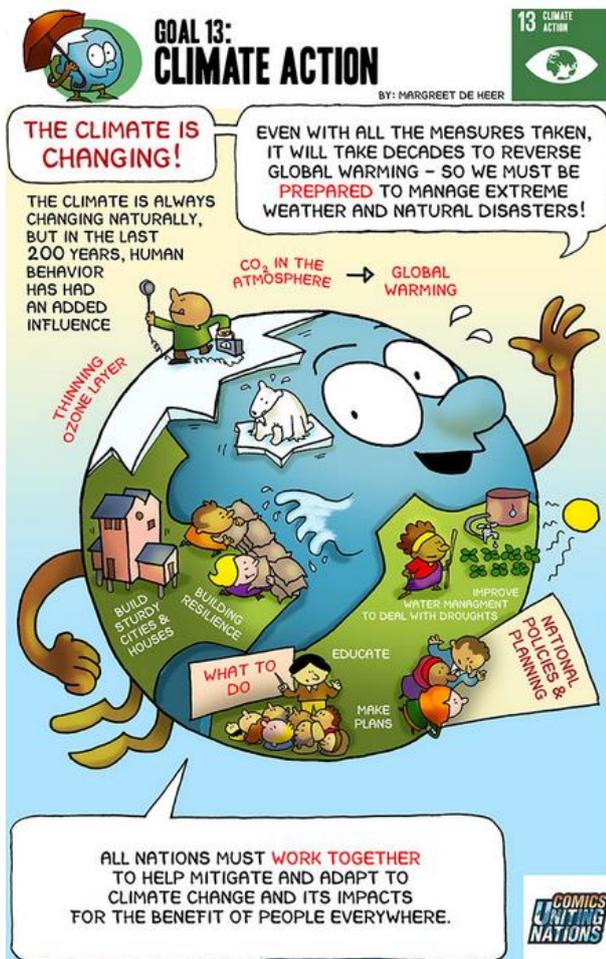
Our Green Schools theme this year is Global Citizenship Energy and a lot of the things we have been learning about and the activities we have been doing are connected to the Sustainable Development Goals. There are four in particular that are very closely linked to our Green Schools theme. Can you spot them?

They are:



Here's a little more information on each of these different goals for you to look through:





So, as we are working through and learning about our Green Schools theme we are also helping the world achieve some of the Sustainable Development Goals which will help improve life and health of the earth for everyone.

On the next page you'll find the Sustainable Development Goals Activity 1 where there is an outline you can use to make a Sustainable Development Goals poster. Choose from goal 7, 12, 13 or 15 and try to make your own poster like this:

Activity 2 is on the page after this with a wordsearch for you to try out based on words connected to the SDGs

Fill in the number of the one of the 4 goals you would like to work on

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UN Sustainable Development Goal:

Ways I Can Help To Try To Achieve This Goal By 2030:

1	2
3	4

Here draw a picture of the symbol for this goal

Draw pictures of some things you could do to help achieve this goal

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UN Sustainable
Development
Goal:



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The Global Goals were agreed by the United Nations in September 2015. They aim to end poverty, protect the planet and ensure prosperity for all by 2030.

How many words linked to The Global Goals can you find below?

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GLOBAL GOALS
SDGS
HEALTH
WELLBEING
EDUCATION
GENDER
EQUALITY
WATER
SANITATION
RENEWABLE
ENERGY
JOBS
INNOVATION
INFRASTRUCTURE
SUSTAINABLE
CONSUMPTION
PRODUCTION
CLIMATE
PEACE
JUSTICE
ENVIRONMENT
PARTNERSHIPS

