How Trees Help

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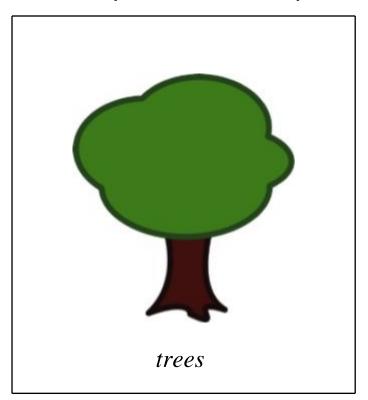
Did you know that trees are helpers? Trees are plants that clean our air.

There is a gas in the air that can be dangerous to people. Tree leaves take in that gas. The leaves use that gas to make food for the tree. Then the leaves give off a clean gas. The clean gas goes into the air for us to breathe.

Trees also give us shade on hot days. Trees give us food to eat. Trees give some animals homes. Thank you, trees!

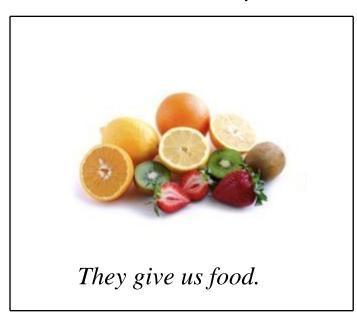
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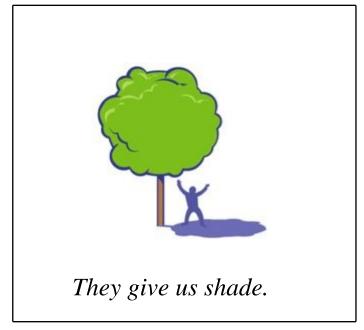
1. What plant does this passage say is a helper?





2. How do trees help us on hot days?





3. What do some trees give us to eat?



water



food

4. What part of the tree takes in gas from the air?



leaves



trunk

7. Draw a person being helped by a tree.

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These pictures show something being cleaned:





1. Please say the word clean out loud.

2. Please write the word clean.

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3. Look at the pictures below. Which picture shows something being **cleaned**?





4. Draw a picture of something being cleaned.

5. Create a sentence that uses the word clean. Say the										
sentence out loud with a partner or write it down.										