

Reap the benefits



“ Tree planting is fun, and a fantastic way for us to do something lasting in our local area. ”

Janet Olsen
Wilberfoss Guides



“ To know that these trees will eventually make a horrid area look green and pleasant and give homes to birds and other wildlife is very satisfying. ”

Civic Pride
Rossendale



“ A woodland was a project I've wanted to carry out for some years and it was such a perfect opportunity to start our jubilee celebrations. ”

Chris Popham
Working with Ipplepen Parish Council

“ Planting trees was the catalyst for so much more activity within our park. ”

Jan Barker
Friends of Cuthill Park

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Free trees

for your community,
youth group or school



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Why plant trees?



Bring your community or school together to plant free trees from the Woodland Trust and enhance where you live. Trees create homes for wildlife, provide shelter and shade, produce beautiful autumn colour and produce a wild harvest for all to enjoy.

The UK is one of the least wooded countries in Europe with only 4% native woodland cover. Your community will benefit from more trees and you will be helping make our country rich in native woods and trees.

Step 1

Find a shared space that would benefit from trees



Step 2

Ask the permission of the landowner



Step 3

Apply for a free pack of trees (we'll let you know if you've been successful)



Step 4

Get together, have fun and enjoy planting!



What's in the packs?

Small packs come in a choice of two themes, either to plant as a hedge or a copse. Medium and large packs offer a variety of benefits from encouraging wildlife to year-round colour. All saplings are native, UK grown and supplied 20-40cm high - perfect size for establishing quickly.



Small (30 saplings)

Perfect for creating a small copse or a short hedgerow and is ideal as a starter pack or a small project.

Schools are guaranteed a small hedge or copse pack.



Small copse

Silver birch; rowan; wild cherry.



Short hedge

Hawthorn; hazel; holly; dog rose; dogwood.



Medium (105 saplings)

Ideal for planting either in small groups of trees or as a hedge (approx 30m).



Wildlife

Blackthorn; common oak; hazel; hawthorn; rowan; silver birch.



Year-round colour

Dogwood; hawthorn; hazel; silver birch; rowan; wild cherry.



Working wood

Silver birch; rowan; wild cherry; common oak; grey willow; field maple.



Large (420 saplings)

Create a long hedge (approx 120m) or if planted as a block of trees, there is sufficient for approximately one acre of land.



Wild harvest

Hazel; blackthorn; crab apple; elder; dog rose.



Wetland

Downy birch; goat willow; osier; hawthorn; hazel; rowan.



Wild wood

Downy birch; rowan; hazel; hawthorn; crab apple; holly.

Tree protection is recommended and available to buy from woodlandtrustshop.com

Please note, some species or pack themes may change subject to availability - check the website.

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