

Title of Lesson Plan	Wood A Natural Renewable Resource.
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City and State	Las Cruces, New Mexico 88005
Grade Level(s)	9 thru 12
Keywords (subjects covered)	Wood, renewable, resource
Brief Description	Student will receive an introduction to how our forest provides an important resource that is renewable.
Total Time Required	3 hours
Setting	Carpentry class
Lesson Objectives/Goals	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How the forest renews itself 2. How foresters help this process. 3. How we harvest trees. 4. What an old growth forest is. 5. Why our forest are so valuable. 6. The many uses our forests provide.
Materials Needed	DVDs <i>The Dynamic Forest</i> and <i>The Miracle Resource</i> . OSB board sample, pulp sample, forest map of the United States
Standards Addressed	n/a
Procedure	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Give introduction to the importance of forest. 2. Explain the difference between clear cutting and selective cutting. 3. The debate that continues between clear cutting and selective cutting. 4. Why wood is such an important resource.
Assessment	n/a
Literature Cited/References	n/a
Forestry Tour Attended	Escanaba, MI 2007

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