

RELEAF Essay

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Some reasons that people should plant trees in their yard is because trees increase property values, trees clean the air, trees slow water run off, trees prevent soil erosion, trees help buffer noise pollution, trees cool our homes, streets, and cities, trees can save you money on energy and if there were no trees on Earth we would die.

Trees offer lots of things to the environment. Some reasons why is that trees create an ecosystem to provide habitat and food for birds and other animals. Trees absorb carbon dioxide and potentially harmful gasses such as sulfur dioxide, carbon monoxide from the air and release oxygen. One large tree can supply a day's supply of oxygen for four people.

Some ways that trees help in the summer are deciduous trees (ones that lose their leaves) cool your house in the summer and allow sun to heat your house in the winter (because they lose their leaves) which conserves energy and reduces your energy bills, while helping to fight global warming.

Canopy trees help us by during the day, the canopy is drier and hotter than other parts of the forest, and the plants and the animals that live there are specially adapted for life in the trees.

Trees are often planted to block or impede wind from ground level to the treetops. Evergreen trees combined with a wall, fence, or earth can deflect or lift the wind over the home. Snow fences can also help trap snow.

Some ways to help trees is to recycle, help pick up trash/garbage, don't put trash on the ground, water the trees and plants, make sure the plants and tree get the sun's energy. Those are some ways to help plants and trees from dying.