

GREAT BIG GREEN WEEK 8 - 16 JUNE 2024

Join the **#GreatBigGreenWeek**, the UK's biggest-ever celebration of community action to tackle climate change and protect nature.

The 2024 theme is LET'S SWAP TOGETHER FOR GOOD. The idea is for people and communities to make swaps every day to help create a better tomorrow.

Why not run an activity with your unit?

- Swap ideas on how you can take action to help nature and what you'd like others such as the government to do. You could write pledges for nature on [leaves](#) to make a 'tree of pledges', see this [article](#) for ideas to get you started. Choose one pledge from the tree to try out during the week and share what you did at your next unit meeting.
- Swap an indoor unit meeting for an outdoor nature themed meeting using the RSPB Girlguiding North West England Challenge Packs which you can download [here](#)
- Swap an unloved space for a wildlife habitat by planting things that benefit nature and bring beauty to the community. If you don't have access to much outdoor space, try [planting sunflowers](#) in pots or [growing food for moths](#)
- Swap crafts for [craftivism](#), make a green heart to wear or display to show you care about climate action. Find inspiration [here](#). For younger children, [download a poster](#) from some of the UK's best-loved children's book illustrators, colour it in and display it in your window to show that you care about climate action.

Take it further...

- For older Guides and Rangers, screen one of the short 'Saving Our Wild Isles' films and use this to spark a discussion on how to revive nature where you live. Find all the information and resources to enable you to do this [here](#)
- Join in with [a community event](#) near you
- Organise an event for families or the wider community with resources from the [Great Big Green Week](#) website
- Leaders: let us know that you're taking part in the Great Big Green Week on your social media channels, we'd love to see photos of what you are doing. Use **#SwapTogether** or **#GreatBigGreenWeek** and tag [@TheCCoalition](#) on X and [@theclimatecoalition](#) on Facebook and Instagram to share photographs of your letters, colourings, or any other activities.



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