



Cadmore End
Church of England | Combined School

As part of Forest School we have enrolled on the Woodland Trusts Green Tree Schools Award.

The Green Tree Schools Award is free, fun and has fantastic activities to help school celebrate woods and trees.

'We reward schools for completing environmental projects and encouraging outdoor learning. Our award is a fantastic way to enhance your school's green credentials while inspiring youngsters about woods and trees. It's also completely free'.

Over 8,000 schools are already taking part in the Green Tree Schools Award.

We have already had an assembly delivered by a woodland trust learning officer

The Man Who Planted Trees is a book written by Jean Giono. It tells the story of a man who planted thousands of acorns in the hills of southern France, transforming the area and the lives of the people who lived there. It shows how one person's actions can make a huge difference, both to the environment and to other people.

This assembly uses striking imagery to tell the story. It also includes information about woods and trees, and how they enrich our lives

Schools gain points for completing activities and progress through bronze, silver and gold levels to the prestigious platinum award.

You get a certificate when you complete each level and receive a fantastic wooden plaque to display in school when you reach gold. (This is upgraded when you achieve the final platinum award.)

The Green Tree Schools Award can also contribute to other award schemes such as Eco Schools.

Our first challenge will be to recycle Christmas cards in school, then taking them to recycling bins in Marks and Spencer stores throughout January.

Recycling cards raises funds for tree planting, so you will be helping support tree planting to create new woodland across the UK.

Thank you

Mrs Hazell