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# The Kids Campaign to Cool Our Earth!



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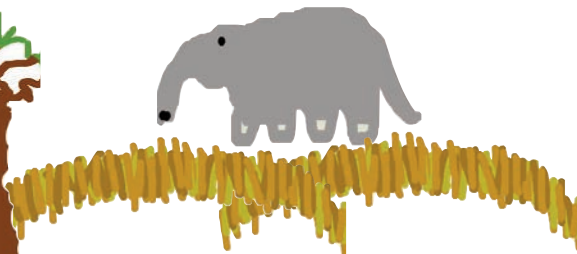
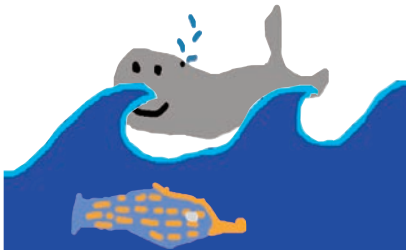
## Vanishing Species



Throughout the world many species of plants and animals are struggling to survive. Meadows and forests on Earth are changing. Monarch butterflies, frogs, turtles, dolphins, whales, bats, penguins, giant mountain lobelia plants and so many other species are disappearing. Countless other animals, insects and plants are struggling to survive because the climate is becoming too warm. There are other reasons species are disappearing. They need help in many ways. Let's get started by slowing climate change.

Earth is heating up and causing climate to change. This heat comes when burning fuel for cars, trucks, factories, homes and more. It puts too much carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) into air. Carbon dioxide creates a greenhouse-like ceiling around Earth that has become too thick and holds in heat from the sun. Too much carbon dioxide is one of the main causes of global warming.

As Earth warms, its oceans and even beaches warm up. Nesting sea turtles, for example, have trouble adapting to the sand's heat. Melting ice from global warming in the arctic is causing oceans to rise. Polar bears hunt for food by getting into the water from floating ice. Much of this ice is melting so polar bears have problems getting to their food. The Burrowing Owl habitat is shrinking due to the warming Earth.



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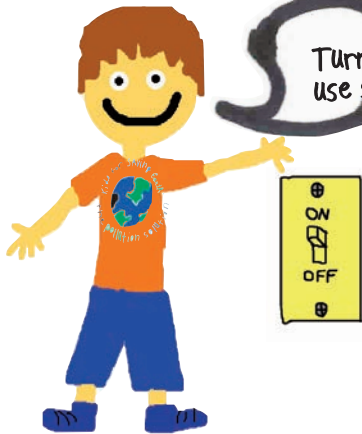
We love  
volunteering.



## V is for Volunteers!

To help stop global warming we need many volunteers to spread the message and to do the right thing in their homes, schools and places of work.

It takes everyone to make this planet healthy! You can do it. First thing you must do is to educate yourself. You need to understand why Earth is warming. Read and re-read KSE's [Kids Campaign to Cool the Earth](#). You will be able to teach your friends and family about this issue. When you are educating someone and doing it for free, you are volunteering.



Turn off your light so you won't  
use so much electrical energy.



Things you can do to help stop  
plants and animals from vanishing.

1. Make signs about global warming and how you can help cool Earth. Create a parade in your neighborhood or around your school. Carry your signs. Marchers can wear [costumes](#) made out of recyclable materials like cans and paper. Recycling helps save energy. Take photos and email to [KSE](#).

2. Draw a picture of a plant or animal species that is being hurt by global warming. Below your drawing write why climate change is causing problems for this species.

[Email it](#) or mail it to KSE for us to place on our web site: KSE's [Precious Species](#) and [Creature Feature](#) pages.

Also put the picture up in your classroom

3. Help your parents change filters on your furnace and your AC. This will save energy and your parents some money.

4. With money you have saved, buy LED lights for your home. LED light bulbs use much less energy than other light bulbs.

Volunteer to  
protect me from  
global warming.



Biking saves  
energy!





### **Vanishing Animals**

<http://www.endangered.org/new-report-highlights-ten-american-species-our-children-may-never-see/>

### **Threats of Global Warming**

<https://www.worldwildlife.org/threats/effects-of-climate-change>

### **Threats and Solutions**

<https://www.nature.org/ourinitiatives/urgentissues/global-warming-climate-change/threats-solutions/index.htm>

### **Owls Changing Colors**

<https://www.theatlantic.com/national/archive/2011/02/a-new-sign-of-global-warming-owl-colors/342154/>

### **The Burrowing Owl**

<http://climate.audubon.org/birds/buowl/burrowing-owl>

### **Contact info Government Agencies and leaders for letter-writing.**

<https://www.usa.gov/agencies>

### **Need to Know on Climate Change**

[https://www.edf.org/climate/why-you-need-care-about-climate-change-now?utm\\_source=google&utm\\_campaign=ggad\\_climate\\_pd\\_dmt&utm\\_medium=cpc&utm\\_id=1485529111&gclid=CMH2i73v29QCFVi4wAodd-QKqg](https://www.edf.org/climate/why-you-need-care-about-climate-change-now?utm_source=google&utm_campaign=ggad_climate_pd_dmt&utm_medium=cpc&utm_id=1485529111&gclid=CMH2i73v29QCFVi4wAodd-QKqg)