

Biodiversity is Life. Biodiversity is our Life.

Hello! I'm Tuan. Did you know that biodiversity is life? My teacher said that biodiversity comes from the words "biological" and "diversity." My classmates and I learned that biodiversity is the variety of life around us - from the smallest ant to the largest whale, from the shallowest swamp to the deepest ocean.

We get our food from biodiversity

This banana was harvested by my father.

Biodiversity cures us

I had a cough but I feel better now. My mother gave me a cough syrup made from the Lagundi leaf, a known cough remedy.

Biodiversity gives us shelter

My small house is made of bamboo and palm grasses.



Our clothes come from plants

My T-shirt and my shorts are made of cotton from the cotton plant. My straw hat and my slippers are made from a plant called abaca.

My family earns from biodiversity

My father is a farmer. Like billions of people all over the world, he earns money from plants, fish and animals.

Biodiversity soothes

Biodiversity is a source of inspiration and joy. My pets Doggy and Birdy are my best friends.

Biodiversity gives us fresh water

Water is part of a huge global cycle involving clouds, rainfall, glaciers, rivers and oceans

My teacher said that this year is the International Year of Biodiversity. This is a good time to show that we thank nature for providing us with everything. I will thank nature by taking care of my pets, not wasting food and water, helping my father plant trees. How about you? What will you do?