

# ACTION OF THE DAY SPREAD THE WORD!





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# **HOW THIS HELPS**

Letting other people know what we have learnt is the first step in encouraging them to get involved as well! The more people who are trying to help wildlife the better! So don't keep it to yourself!



#### Where to start

Think about what you have learnt this week and what practical actions you have taken in your school or community. Who do you want to share it with? Other classes in your school? Your family? Your local community?

### **Top Tips**

Don't be afraid to deliver your message in different ways to different people. Maybe you could do a presentation to a younger class at school or at assembly to reach the rest of your school. Using pictures and a short bit of text would be better for the parish newsletter!

### OTHER ACTIVITIES TO TRY



### **Going digital**

A great way to get your points across is by making a short video or even a podcast. You could do an



Get creative with how you spread the word! If you are taking part in our "Draw Along Videos" today, you could use those as a springboard. Learn some facts about the animal you are drawing and turn it into a mini project!

interview explaining what you have learnt or showing off a new feature in your grounds.

### Adding signage

Putting up some basic information about the features in your grounds is a great idea. It could be the names of trees or signs explaining that you are letting the grass grow for pollinators. You can find templates in English or Irish <u>here</u> (at the end of the page).



## JUNIOR VIDEO



You will find our "Draw Along" videos on the event page. You can also checkout our video case study below to get some inspiration on how to present your work!

• <u>St Mary's Biodiversity Case Study</u>

# **SENIOR VIDEO**

You will find our "Draw Along" videos on our event page. You can also checkout our secondary school case study below to get information on how to present your work.

• <u>St Colmcilles Biodiversity Case Study!</u>

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