# **EaD Comprehensive Lesson Plans**

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Strand:	Environment	Sub-Strand:	Our Natural and Human Resources	

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BASIC 9

WEEKLY LESSON PLAN – WEEK 3

Content Standard:	B9.1.4.1. Investig	gate the natural and	human resources a	around us		
Indicator (s)	B9.1.4.1.1. Examine the importance of natural resources to the development of Ghana  Performance Indicator: Learn importance of natural resources				•	
Week Ending	27-09-2024	27-09-2024				
Class	B.S.9	Class Size:		Duration:		
Subject	Social Studies		I	I		
Reference	Social Studies Co	urriculum, Teachers	Resource Pack, L	earners Resource F	Pack, Textbook.	
Teaching / Learning Resources	Map of Ghana, Video.	Competencies: • Critica			munication cal thinking tivity and Innovation	
DAY/DATE	PHASE 1 : STARTER	PHASE 2: MAIN		PHASE 3: REFLECTION		
WEDNESDAY	Learners brainstorm to explain "natural resources".	resources.  2. Show learners pictures and video displaying examples of natural resources.  3. Discuss with the Learners about the types of			Learners brainstorm to identify examples of natural resources available in Ghana and those not available in Ghana.	







# FRIDAY

Engage
Learners in a matching game to match natural resources to their names.

- 1. Discuss with the Learners about the importance of natural resources.
- 2. Assist Learners to explain 3 efficient ways of exploiting natural resources.
- 3. Learners in small groups to discuss and report to the class on the importance of natural resources for the development of the country.
- Learners brainstorm to describe the difficulties in exploiting natural resources effectively, including low level of technology, limited technical expertise and limited capital resources.

# Importance of Natural Resources for Ghana Development

Natural resources help develop the country, they attract foreigners and some people go there to have fun and others go to learn.

These are:

#### **Education**

Some people visit these places to learn. These places attract people all over the world. Educative trips are organised for students to visit such places to aid their learning.

#### Raw materials

They serve as raw materials for factories and other individuals. For example, crops such as cocoa are

Assist Learners to explain why we need to avoid illegal exploiting of natural resources.

#### **Exercise**

Explain 5 importance of natural resources.

raw materials which are processed into chocolate etc. Gold, diamonds etc., are also raw materials used for making jewelry etc.

# **Employment**

Exploitation of natural resources such as gold, diamond etc serve as employment. Increased natural resources, increases production and increased production also increases employment. Natural resources have influence on employment.

### Infrastructural revenue

Countries such as Ghana depend on its natural resources. The various communities in Ghana have different natural resources they depend on in order to develop their communities.

For example, the people of Ada depend on salt mining, the people of Obuasi also depend on gold etc.

# Internal revenue

Mining of natural resources such as gold, diamond, salt etc., bring money when they are exported or processed into finished products and are sold. The people who do these businesses also pay taxes and levies to the government. These are used to develop the country.

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