

Print. Exercise your mind and learn about the products – some common and some lesser known – that come from farmed trees. Then recycle!



Across

1 The perfect cool treat for a hot summers day, just make sure you keep it in the freezer until you are ready to eat it. (3,5)

4 Fence and telephone _____. This forestry product looks like it has come straight from the tree!

7 By hand or in a machine, you will need this to get your clothes clean. (7,6)

9 A green energy alternative to coal and oil.10 A non-nutritive alternative to putting sugar in your coffee.

11 A daily supplement to ensure you get all your ______ and minerals.

14 A bathroom essential we simply could not live without. **(6,5)**

17 A green alternative to your drinks bottle, only these are biodegradable.

20 Smart phones, computers and TV's all have an _,_,_, ____. (1,1,1,5)

24 Thick black and sticky substance used to cover ropes and twine, and roads!

25 Paper ______ is renewable and recyclable.

26 One of the three major tree species commercially planted in South Africa. This evergreen tree, with its distinctive needles is often associated with Christmas.

28 The practice of growing and farming trees.

29 A way to bring soothing aromas into your home or during a massage. (9,4)

Down

2 Thicker than paper, no school project or birthday would be the same without this.

3 When you don't have wood to braai with you can use these black bricks.

4 Layers of wooden veneer, glued together to produce this super-strong

material that is found in homes, aircrafts and on boats.

5 The name given to tree trunks that are suitable for cutting up into lumber. (3,4)
6 Wipe a surface with this to prevent the spread of germs.

8 A delicious addition to any cake, the ______vanillin is the key ingredient used in most vanilla essence.

12 It comes in a tub, tube, jar or bottle, you rub it into our skin to keep it soft, strong and supple.

13 Forests absorb this gas from the air and store it in their wood, as a result they are helping us combat climate change. (6,7) **15** The proper name for a blue gum, one of the three major tree species commercially

farmed in South Africa. The oil from this tree is often used to help a blocked nose.

16 Bright red or pastel pink, the perfect way to frame a smile.

18 On a canvas or a wall, this is the perfect way to add a splash of colour.

19 Used to prolong the shelf-life of food.

21 We wear these everyday, and at night too, to cover our skin.

22 We breathe in the ______ that trees and plants release.

23 Essential items in any baby bag before successful potty training.

27 Another commercially planted tree species in South Africa. Its bark is used in the production of tannin.

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