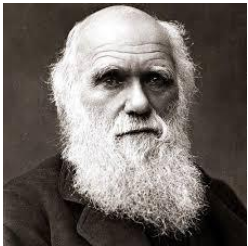


Focus: Science Lifecycles and famous scientists

For Homework, we would like you to research a well-known naturalist.

A naturalist is a scientist or enthusiast who studies the natural world, particularly plants and animals in their natural environment.

naturalists include: Charles Darwin, Dr Jane Goodall, Sir David Attenborough, Wangari Maathai and Steve Irwin.



Charles Darwin



Dr Jane Goodall



Sir David Attenborough



Wangari Maathai



Sir Steve Irwin

You can pick one of these, or you can research a different one.

You will need to create a fact file about their life's achievements and work. The fact file will need to include information about:

- Their early life (including where they grew up)
- How they became interested in the natural world.
- The work they do/did as a naturalist.
- Their greatest achievements.
- Any other interesting information.

The fact file should be clearly presented with headings and pictures on A4 paper or card. Let your teacher know in plenty of time if you need paper or card.

You can use the computer to create your fact file, however, the information must be typed in your own words and not copied and pasted from the Internet. **Please print it out and bring it into school.**

These websites might be helpful.

Charles Darwin

<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/Charles-Darwin/353038>
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/articles/z7rvxyc>
<https://www.nhm.ac.uk/discover/charles-darwin-most-famous-biologist.html>

Dr Jane Goodall

<https://janegoodall.org.uk/#>
<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/Jane-Goodall/353195>
<https://education.nationalgeographic.org/resource/jane-goodall/>
<https://nhm.org/stories/evolution-dr-jane-goodall>

Sir David Attenborough

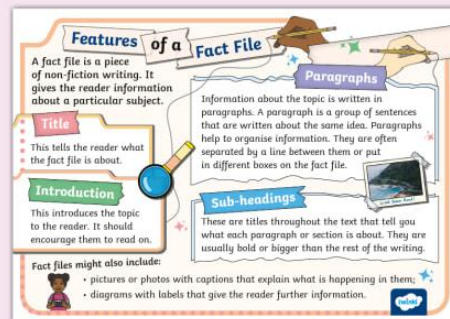
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/articles/z4k2kmm>
<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/David-Attenborough/633494>
<https://www.natgeokids.com/uk/discover/science/nature/david-attenborough-facts/>

Wangari Maathai

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/articles/z4fncxs>
<https://www.greenbeltmovement.org/wangari-maathai>
<https://kids.britannica.com/kids/article/Wangari-Maathai/602115>

Steve Irwin

<https://australiazoo.com.au/about-us/the-irwins/steve/>
<https://kids.britannica.com/students/article/Steve-Irwin/438134>
https://kids.kiddle.co/Steve_Irwin



DAVID ATTENBOROUGH

All About me

- He was born on 8 May 1922 in London.
- He has two children, two girls and one boy. They are called Helen, Julian, Jonathan and Susan Attenborough.
- In 1965 he received a knighthood.
- He has made over 100 documentary films.
- Sir David has more than ten plants and animals named after him.
- He's thought to be one of the most well-loved people in the world.

Animals

Sir David Attenborough said the donkey's best friend is a black piglet. He named her Ali with the only reason he takes her film.

Did You Know??

He is estimated to have a net worth of £35 million dollars.

Filmography

His television work has made him a household name. In 1955 he made the first of his television documentaries, *The Private Life of a Lioness*. In 1977 he made his first film on the life of a butterfly, *The Butterfly*. He has made over 100 documentaries and spent over 50 years in the field. He has started over 100 schools of the BBC on his wildlife documentaries. He has also produced documentaries on the life of the planet and the world. In 2010 he filmed the 3D documentary *Planet Earth*.

David Attenborough

