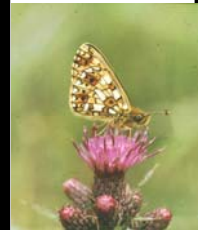


Sustainable Development Education

Dealing with the global by working on the local

Morag Watson – Sustainable Development Education Network



**Climate
change**

**Trade
injustice**

Pollution

**Environmental
damage**

**Political
tension**

Inequality

Conflict

**Biodiversity
loss**

Hatred

Globalisation

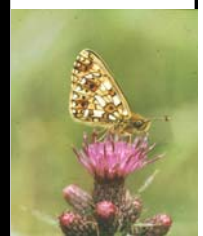
Poverty

Refugees

Extinction

UK's Ecological Footprint is ~2.5 times more than the Earth can sustain

- Netherland's Footprint is ~1.8 times what the Earth can sustain – their Quality of Life is 5 points higher than UK
- Argentina's Footprint is ~1.15 times what the Earth can sustain - their Quality of Life is the same as the UK
- UAE's Footprint is ~4.5 times what the Earth can sustain – their Quality of Life is the same as Uganda and lower than North Korea

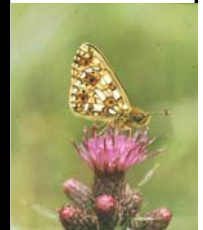


The Findhorn Community's Ecological Footprint is just ~1.25 times more than the Earth can sustain – the lowest ever recorded in the developed world

- Food – local, seasonal and shared
- Homes – well insulated and efficient (mostly)
- Services – making electricity, dealing with sewage
- Sharing – buildings, white goods, tools...
- Jobs – close to where the residents live, no commuting

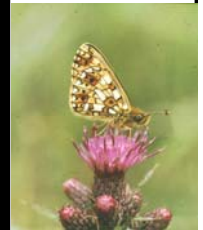
Still to do...

- Homes – retrofit & replacement of inefficient homes
- Travel – cutting out the international flights



Becoming a One Planet Community...

- Discussion, negotiation and shared priorities
- Group decision-making
- Genuine democracy and shared power/responsibility
- Conflict resolution skills



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Welcome to the SDE Network

The SDE Network is the national network for educators working on Sustainable Development Education in Scotland. To find out more about the SDE Network click [here](#).

Free e-Bulletin Service

Every month the SDE Network sends out a free e-Bulletin to keep the SDE community up to date with the latest information and events.

To find out more about this service and to join the SDE Bulletin mailing list please click [here](#).

Who's Who

The SDE Network works in partnership with the Scottish Sustainable Development Forum (SSDF) to provide a searchable on-line database of individuals and organisations working on sustainable development in Scotland.

You can access the 'Who's Who in SD' database by clicking [here](#).

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Resource Centres

There are six Development Education Centres (DECs) in Scotland all offering a variety of support services.



as information on how to obtain them.

Each centre has an extensive library of resources which explore global awareness, citizenship, justice and equality, human rights, the environment, sustainable development, gender awareness, race issues, aid, trade, debt, water, food, farming, peace and cooperation along with materials on many countries in the developing world.

Materials include a wide selection of teaching packs, videos, games, CD-Roms, magazines, posters, books and photographs and are designed to support the Scottish curriculum and on-going adult, youth and community work.

Education workers in each DEC will be happy to provide advice on appropriate resources for particular subject areas and themes as well

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