

A Bushel of projects to use with Tu BiShevat quotes to be used with the Giant Trees poster*

Pick a leaf off the tree and choose an activity:

- 1. When you read your quote, what images come to mind? Use charcoal and pastels to illustrate your passage. Hang your artwork on the classroom wall with your leaf next to it.
- 2. Debaters wanted! Team up with a friend and make a list all of the ways your quotes may be used to defend why people today should take better care of the earth. Present your arguments to the class.
- 3. Is your quote from the Torah? Locate the passage in the Torah and record the verses that come before and after. How does reading your quote in context change your understanding?
- 4. What question does your quote answer? Write a really detailed question and attach it to your leaf.
- 5. Memorize your quote and recite it to the class.
- Design a postage a stamp that reflects the meaning of the verse you chose. Post your stamp on a classroom wall. (Create the basic template with the Marshall Center's large postage stamp die-cut.)
- 7. Re-write your quote into a modern day rap. Perform it for the class.
- 8. What is the main idea of your quote? Re-write it in your own words.