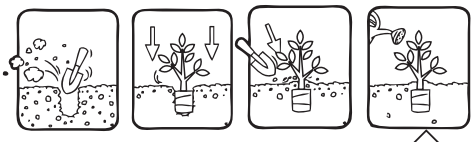
PAPER HAS A GREAT STORY

It's renewable, recyclable and remarkable!

1 Trees are sustainably farmed, like maize or wheat.

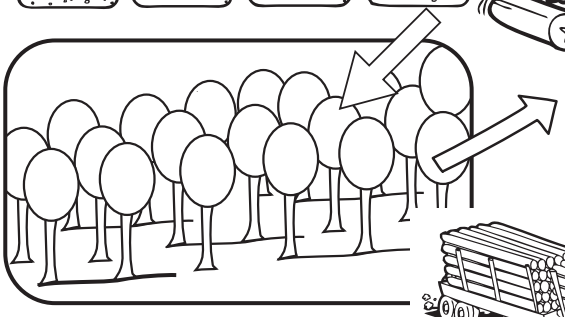


2 Fully grown trees are harvested and cut into logs

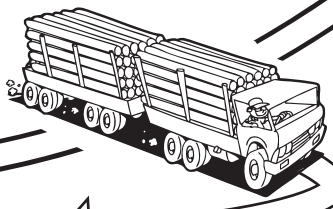
PAPER EVERYDAY, EVERYWHERE

Cereal boxes, milk cartons, labels and loo paper. Oh, and printing and writing paper too!

Saplings are planted



3 New saplings are planted to replace those harvested. This makes trees a sustainable and renewable resource.

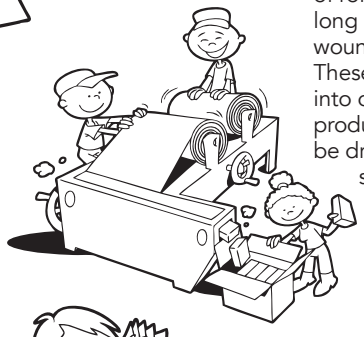


4 Logs transported to the paper mill

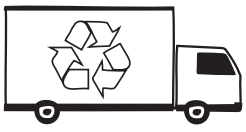
10 Paper recycling mill

5 At the paper mill, logs are chipped and made into a soupy pulp.

6 The pulp is poured onto paper machines and fed through a series of rollers to dry it. The long sheets of paper are wound onto large reels. These are then made into different paper products. Pulp can also be dried and sold as sheets. Special pulp can be used to make things like viscose fabric!



9 By recycling our paper and paper packaging, paper mills can also make products with recycled paper.



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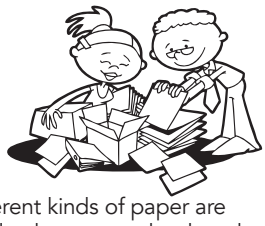

7 Different kinds of paper are used at home, at school, at the shops and in the workplace.

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