Discussion Questions

Can planting trees counter our CO_2 Output?

Discuss these questions with a friend, or record your own thoughts in your science journal.

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1. In the atmosphere, where does the greatest amount of carbon (as found in carbon dioxide) come from?

2. Is the global carbon cycle currently balanced? In other words, does the amount of carbon (contained in carbon dioxide) released into the atmosphere each year equal the amount of carbon taken up from the atmosphere each year?

   What could be done to make it more balanced?