

What will happen when forests die out?

Group A

Germany

- Less fresh water
- Less oxygen, because plants turn CO₂ into O₂, which we breathe
- Faster erosion of soil, because the roots of trees hold onto the soil, so without roots, we won't have anything, that is holding onto the soil
- Spruce would die out first, because it was already very attacked by the bark beetle, so it wouldn't need much more for that one to die out

Who can you ask?

- Ask rangers about the changes
- Ask the university like the one in Tuebingen

Italy

- Different frequency and intensity for storms, etc.
- It would alter the weather, so there would be less rain and snow, because again, the trees are responsible for a lot of the water, that we can drink
- There would be more CO₂ in the air
- Native animals would die out



Who can we ask?

In Italy, we couldn't think of any place,
where you could ask about the forests



Sweden

- A large part of the population would disappear, because some cities are based on certain companies, that rely on forests
- A big part of Swedens economy would vanish due to lacking money, so they would need new ways to earn money

Who can you ask?

- You can ask the two companies about what you can do
- You can ask the rangers