

AFRICA

▪ Poaching

- **Video** – The History of the Ivory Trade (2:25)
 - Trace the deadly history of the illegal ivory trade.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/history-ivory-trade/>
- **Video** – The Economics of the Illicit Ivory Trade (9:01)
 - Explore the issues of supply and demand that fuel the illegal trade in ivory, and go undercover to learn about the rising prices of black-market ivory.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/economics-illicit-ivory-trade/>
- **Video** – Partners in Elephant Conservation (1:54)
 - Community involvement plays a key role in elephant conservation.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/partners-elephant-conservation/>

• Egypt

- **Video** and **Map** – Anatomy of the Nile (2:31)
 - Discover the source of the Nile with real-life visuals and animated maps.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/anatomy-nile/>

• The Sahel

- **Map** – Great Green Wall
 - Map of northern Africa.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/photo/2greatgreenwall/>
- **Video** – Why is Africa Building a Great Green Wall? (3:14)
 - Eleven countries are planting a wall of trees from east to west across Africa, just under the southern edge of the Sahara desert. The goal is to fight the effects of climate change by reversing desertification.
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4xls7K_xFBQ
- **Video** – The Forest Garden Solution (18:59)
 - Planting trees provides families with more than just food. It provides income, empowerment, unity, leadership, education and even saves lives. When we are able to teach people to value themselves and their environment, they see amazing improvements in their standard of living. Trees for the Future is achieving this through an agroforestry method called the Forest Garden Approach.
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OKvMIDrGE7Y>

• Liberia

- **Video** – Inside an Ebola Clinic in West Africa (4:00)
 - Go inside a Doctors Without Borders Ebola clinic in Monrovia, Liberia. Physician Daniel Chertow takes us through the clinic and shares his

thoughts on what it's like to be volunteering in the midst of an epidemic like no other.

- <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/inside-ebola-clinic-west-africa/>

- **Côte d'Ivoire**

- **Video** – SDGs in Action: Côte d'Ivoire Birth Registration
 - Birth registration for school enrollment in Côte d'Ivoire
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5BGocWNUNw8>

- **Ghana**

- **Video** – Farmerline COVID-19 Response (1:54)
 - As countries across the world instigate lockdowns, close borders and advocate social distancing, we here at Farmerline have also been adapting to the current circumstances to continue to serve farmers.
 - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ig_uMH8JVic

- **Nigeria**

- **Map** – Conflict in Nigeria
 - Map of Nigeria, highlighting regions of violent conflict.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/photo/nigeriaconflict/>

- **Democratic Republic of Congo**

- **Activity** – Analyzing the Distribution of Vegetation Zones and Mountain Gorillas in Virunga National Park (≈100)
 - Students use a map to analyze and contrast variations in abiotic factors at three locations within Virunga National Park and explain how these factors influence the distribution of vegetation zones. Then students deduce the location that provides habitat for critically endangered mountain gorillas and think about why gorillas are not present in similar vegetation zones across the park.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/activity/analyzing-distribution-vegetation-zones-and-mountain-gorillas-virunga-national-park/>

- **Kenya**

- **Video** – Massai Mara Drought (1:51)
 - Learn more about the impacts of drought on the wildlife of the Massai Mara.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/massai-mara-drought/>
- **Video** – Man Among Cheetahs (4:45)
 - Join cinematographer Bob Poole as he follows a cheetah and her two cubs in the Mara Naboisho Conservancy in Kenya.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/man-among-cheetahs/>

- **Kenya & Tanzania**
 - **Video** – Wildebeest Migration (2:39)
 - Wildebeest migrate on a loop path through Tanzania and Kenya following the seasonal rains even when that involves passing through dangerous territory.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/wildebeest-migration/>
- **Tanzania**
 - **Video** – Evolution of Diet: The Hadza of Tanzania (1:23)
 - A video exploring the sights and sounds of meal time with a family in Tanzania. The Hadza of Tanzania are the world’s last full-time hunter-gatherers. They live on what they find: game, honey, and plants, including tubers, berries, and baobab fruit.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/the-hadza-of-tanzania/>
 - **Video** – Tanzania’s Ivory Stockpile (2:59)
 - Go behind the scenes to view Tanzania’s controversial ivory stockpile.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/tanzanias-ivory-stockpile/>
- **Lake Victoria**
 - **Video** – Impact of an Invasive Species (6:04)
 - Nile perch were introduced to Lake Victoria in the 1950s to boost the fishing industry. Though the introduction of Nile perch resulted in an economic boom, it almost caused cichlids, a native fish, to go extinct.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/impact-invasive-species/>
- **Namibia**
 - **Video** – A Desert Created by Water (5:01)
 - Large animals like elephants, lions, and giraffes live in Namibia's deserts. How do these animals survive there? The secret is the desert's geography.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/desert-created-water/>
 - **Video** – Water in the Namibian Desert (3:16)
 - Where does water in the Namibian desert come from? Namibia's geography and the water cycle play key roles in how water reaches this dry place.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/wild-namibia-clip-2/>
 - **Video** – Jewel of Namibia (25:03)
 - Join husband-and-wife team Frans Lanting and Christine Eckstrom on a wild desert journey through Namibia—a land of exotic creatures and haunting landscapes.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/media/jewel-namibia/>
- **Zambia**
 - **Video** – Bangweulu Wetlands (3:34)

- Seventeen rivers feed Zambia's Bangweulu wetlands, creating a marsh larger than the U.S. state of Connecticut. The top predator here is the shoebill, a giant bird.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/river-monsters-clip-1/>
- **Botswana**
 - **Video** – Sand to Source (1:40)
 - The Okavango Wilderness Project is working to safeguard a watershed crucial to one of the planet's last wetland wildernesses.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/sand-to-source/>
 - **Map** – Okavango Delta Watershed
 - Use these ideas to explore the watershed of the Okavango Delta with students.
 - https://www.nationalgeographic.org/idea/okavango-delta-watershed/?utm_source=BiblioRCM_Row
- **Mozambique**
 - **Video** – Environmental Turnaround (3:57)
 - In 1960, the African country Mozambique created Gorongosa National Park to preserve the region's spectacular beauty and wildlife. Lions, zebras, elephants, cheetahs, and hippos called this place home. Then, in 1977, this African paradise became a battleground in a raging civil war that lasted 16 years and wiped out most of its inhabitants. Since war's end, conservationists like park warden Mateus Mutemba, a National Geographic Emerging Explorer, have worked tirelessly to protect Gorongosa and replenish its animal populations.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/environmental-turnaround/>
 - **Video** – The Story of Gorongosa (4:11)
 - Paola Bouley is a conservation ecologist devoted to saving the top predators in Gorongosa National Park in Mozambique. Paola shares the innovative strategies that are helping to turn around a decimated lion population. Through the efforts of many, Gorongosa has become a model for what can happen when people put their hearts and minds together to restore balance to a severely damaged ecosystem.
 - <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/video/story-gorongosa/>