



## Press release

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# The forest, our future, our oxygen !

Hall 4 – Aisle B – Stand 134

**Biodiversity reservoirs, carbon sinks, source of health and green economy levers: forests are essential to the humankind and our planet. In the context of accelerating climate change and biodiversity loss, their vitality is a major challenge that affects us all.**

### A stand dedicated to the forest

Through a scenography mixing forest and wood material, the NFB stand invites you to discover and understand the role of forests and foresters to meet the climate change and the preservation of biodiversity challenges.

### The forest: an amazing playground

The foresters will dive with the visitors in the heart of the forest and to build together the forest of tomorrow:

- bark recognition quiz : to which French forests tree belongs this bark?
- construction of a "CO<sub>2</sub> box": make your wooden box and find out the grams of CO<sub>2</sub> it can contain,
- wish tree: share your ideas, your wishes and your hopes/expectations for the forest of tomorrow
- presentation videos on the forest related jobs and an interactive map to discover the forest of tomorrow...



**come find us and explore with the ONF and the foresters, the multiple functions of our forests. See you from February 22!**

#### About the ONF

A major player in the forest-wood sector, the ONF is present in mainland France and overseas. The daily activities of foresters revolve around three inseparable objectives: wood production, environmental protection and welcoming the public. The Office also carries out public service missions in the field of natural risk management, and offers services to communities and businesses.



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