



Bright Things – Great Resources

Roots is the platform that enables educators from around the world to share their best practice. As part of this we include an in-depth review of educational resource. This can be a lesson plan, or a book/video/animation etc. that has been used for the development and running of an educational activity or project in the garden. The resource can be available on-line or included in a printed publication. The review should be no longer than **500 words**.

The following points should be covered:

- What is the title of the resource and how can you access it?
- Briefly describe the resource
- Why is this resource useful? (please comment on the applicability, the materials, the creativity, the content and the practicalities of using it)
- Explain how you have used the resource in your practice. Please provide us any images of the activity you have used the resource in.
- Do you have any evidence of the impact of the activity e.g did you do any evaluation or do you have any anecdotal evidence?
- How can this resource be used by other people? Any tips for using the resource including adapting it, for what kind of contexts is the resource appropriate, during which seasons can you use it (if it is a lesson plan) etc.

Submission

If you would like to submit a review for *Bright Things- Great Resources* you must first submit a **100 word** abstract to Liliana.derewnicka@bgci.org. See the [Roots webpage](#) for deadlines.

Guidelines for the images

We require between 4 and 6 images. These should be of good quality **min 1MB/300dpi**. Please provide a caption and credit for each image.

Close-up images of children and adults are particularly welcome. In the case of children, we need to ensure parental consent for publication. We would therefore be grateful if you would confirm that this has been arranged or complete the accompanying form.

BGCI staff regularly give presentations around the world about the role of education in botanic gardens. We would like to keep your images in our resource library and use them for talks and publication. Please let us know if you are **not** able to allow us permission to do this.

Parental Consent for Photographic/Film use of Children under 16 years of age

Name of adult and relationship to child

Address

I hereby give permission for Botanic Gardens Conservation International (BGCI) to take and use publicity photographs/film of:

Name/s of Child/ren

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Age of child

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Age of child

For (delete as appropriate) publicity/marketing/advertising/poster/BGCI website to promote the work of BGCI. I understand that the child's/children's name/s will not be given to the press or public without my consent. I also understand that I may cancel this permission in writing at any time and that BGCI will take all reasonable steps to ensure that the photograph/film is withdrawn from future use.

I further understand that I shall receive no remuneration for this assistance.

Signature

Date