# The secret of trees

Oliver was the last kid you would call ordinary. He was 10 years old and loved science.

### 1. 20 YEARS LATER

Oliver worked in a charity even though was great in science. He observed trees all the time and used his enormous balcony to plant trees and plants and his garden was a jungle. It even had a lake. Oliver was the founder of jungles. They reserved an island dedicated to trees. Oliver hated the fact that trees were cut and always supported planting trees.

#### 2. 10 YEARS LATER

Jungles wasn't just a charity anymore but also a very popular lab. Workers always streamed in and out. Jungles had found fascinating things about trees such as the biggest fungi root in the world took the area of 4 square miles, approximately the area of Kew gardens. Another mind-blowing fact is that the size of a football pitch (filled with trees ) is being cut down every second. Oliver had found out himself that trees suck more CO2 Oliver begged the country to reduce the amount of wood they use and that they plant trees and plants.

## 3. A NEW OBE

The Sun newspaper had written her majesty hoped to invite Oliver over. As Oliver drove over to Buckingham palace, he neatly combed his hair. He stepped into the royal palace and bowed. He felt one cold glimmering sword touch him an elderly voice saying, "well done". He walked out of the palace and swelled with pride.

# HARD WORK PAYS OFF. HELP THE PLANET GET GREEN

#### **GLOSSARY**

Square miles- A square that covers the area of a mile.

CO2-carbon die oxide.

Carbon die oxide- A harmful greenhouse gas.

Greenhouse gas- a gas like methane that harms the environment.

Carbon- a mineral

### FACTFILE

Redwood trees are 104 meters tall.

The oldest tree is 5000 years old.

The process in which leaves make food is called photosynthesis.

Wood is made from carbon.

Coal is fossilized wood.