## Sustainability, Biodiversity, Tipping point... explaining long words for children



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#### **Sustainability**



#### The hen that lays golden eggs - folk tale

"Development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs"

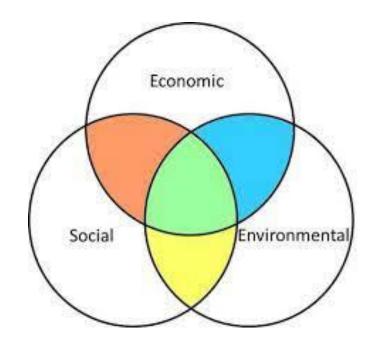
#### **Sustainability**

# *"…balancing between economy and ecology"*



## **Sustainability**





#### Why do we need to protect abundance of species? Why to protect biodiversity?













Scale 1:2,300

Scale 1:540





#### **Abundance of species**



#### More species, richer wildlife = greater resilience



"Richer and more diverse forests sequester more carbon dioxide"

Sir David Attenborough

#### **Our planet – as a common spaceship**



# **Tipping point**





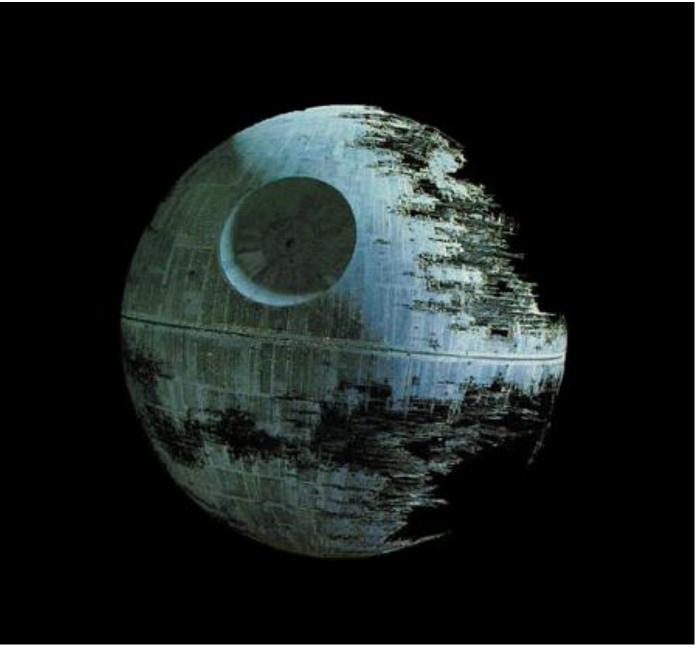
# **Tipping point**



Which clinch will trigger the tipping point?



# **Tipping point**



# **Tipping point: indicator**

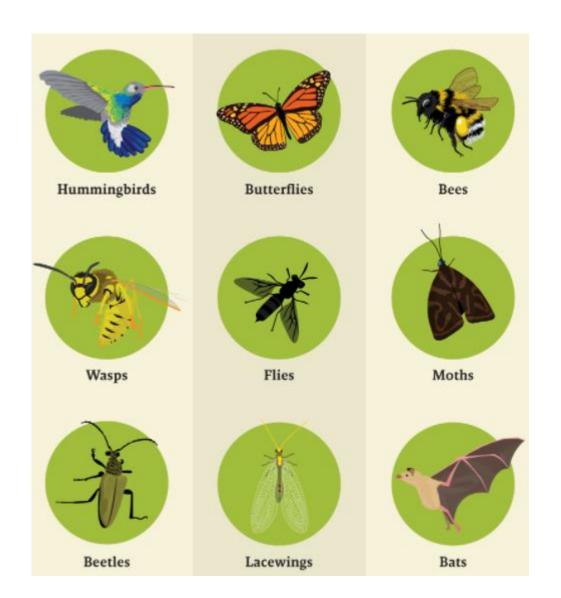




#### Tipping point: indicator Large carnivores



#### Tipping point: indicator Pollinators



#### Tipping point: indicator Worm





"To restore the functioning of our planet biodiversity needs to be restored. That is the only way"

Sir David Attenborough



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