**Palm Oil Workshop Activity Sheet**

*Complete the worksheet activities as you watch through the video. I’ll tell you when you need to pause for an activity!*

**Shopping Basket** (3:35)

1. Circle the items which you think DO contain palm oil
2. Draw lines or numbers to match up the facts below with the correct shopping basket item



Palm oil is used in this because it has virtually no taste

Palm oil is semi-solid at room temperature

Palm oil is a healthier alternative to trans fats

Palm oil is a cheap raw ingredient

Palm oil might be listed in the ingredients of unexpected items as **glycerin**

Some items use other oils like **rapeseed oil** if they want a fried flavour

**Consequences of forest loss** (14:32)

Write down three ideas:

1. **……………………………………………………………………………**
2. **……………………………………………………………………………**
3. **……………………………………………………………………………**

**Should we ban palm oil?** (19:14)

**YES!**

**NO!**

**Palm Oil Industry Events** (skip to 28:43)

Choose your two characters:

1. **……………………………………………………………………………**
2. **……………………………………………………………………………**

Rate the events (TERRIBLE/BAD/FINE/GOOD/WONDERFUL) for each of your characters. How would this event affect them?

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| **Event** | **RATING 1** | **RATING 2** |
| Biofuel use in Europe declines by 50% |  |  |
| The Sumatran Orangutan goes extinct |  |  |
| South American countries begin producing palm oil on a large scale |  |  |
| The GDP per capita of Indonesia doubles |  |  |
| Shoppers in Europe boycott palm oil |  |  |
| Wildfires destroy a third of the Indonesian palm oil crop |  |  |
| An economic crash causes the price of palm oil to double |  |  |
| The E.U. increases use of biofuel by 40% |  |  |
| Donations to orangutan conservation charities increase by 60% |  |  |
| Scientists engineer a new strain of palm which produces twice as much oil |  |  |
| A new disease completely wipes out the palm plant overnight |  |  |
| Any further deforestation in Indonesia is immediately outlawed |  |  |
| All the remaining orangutans are captured and moved to zoos |  |  |
| Thousands of farmers are kicked off their land to make way for a nature reserve |  |  |

**Extension** (20:40)

Choose one of your events to FLIP by adding an extra chapter of the story:

**Rating:**

**New rating:**

**BUT…**

**Event:**