Resource List

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Below you'll find a collection of resources about biodiversity conservation, many of which offer specific guidance for enhancing biodiversity in agriculture/horticulture.

How To Rewild

https://howtorewild.co.uk

A hub for rewilding, regenerative agriculture & ecology information, with free guides from biodiversity experts. Information on funding opportunities, project ideas and more. On their sister site, Buy Native, you can search for native plants and plant nurseries.



The Nature Friendly Farming Network

https://www.nffn.org.uk/

A farmer-led membership organisation that supports farmers who are transitioning towards more nature-friendly practices. Membership is free and gives access to resources, training, policy updates, discounts and events. There are many resources which can be accessed without membership.



RSPB: Nature-Friendly Farming report

https://www.rspb.org.uk/helping-nature/what-we-do/influence-government-and-business/farming/nature-friendly-farming-the-rspb-launches-its-vision-for-a-brighter-future

The report contains information about the benefits of enhancing biodiversity along with case studies from farmers around the UK.



The Wildlife Trusts

https://www.wildlifetrusts.org/help-manage-land

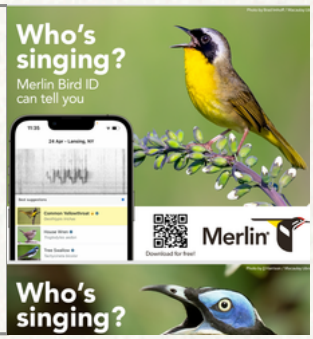
The Wildlife Trusts support landowners and farmers to adopt practices which enhance biodiversity through practical advice, training and consultancy services. E.g. Kent Wildlife Trust facilitates farmer-led forums for sharing ideas, best practice, new techniques, funding opportunities and more.



Merlin Bird ID

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/merlin/id

Merlin is an app designed by the Cornell Lab of Ornithology, a non-profit organisation aimed at understanding and protecting nature. Their free app listens to the birds around you and helps you identify them. Available across the world, it's a quick and easy way to monitor bird life.



iNaturalist

https://www.inaturalist.org/

iNaturalist is a free app which helps you to identify wildlife around you. You simply upload a picture of a plant or animal and the app will suggest a species name. iNaturalist's global network of naturalists help to confirm or refine the observation. Your data inputted then adds to global biodiversity databases, used by scientists and conservationists.



European Commission

https://agriculture.ec.europa.eu/vision-overview/research-innovation/biodiversity-friendly-agriculture_en

This page contains information on funding opportunities, projects and research on biodiversity-friendly agriculture in Europe.



United Nations Environment Programme

https://www.unep.org/en/news-and-stories/story/five-ways-innovators-are-making-farming-easier-planet

This United Nations article highlights five nature-friendly farming practices from around the world, along with links for further reading and information about global agreements on biodiversity conservation.

