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Hunting and Poaching

The issue we are highlighting is hunting and poaching. Now hunting in our minds is a 50/50 issue because people hunt for food not only for game. Our focus is elephants. Elephants are hunted mainly for their ivory, or in other words, tusks.



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Ivory

What are people doing to help? Not supporting the killing of the elephants by not buying, nor selling ivory.



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How to help

- 1, Learn about support groups
- 2, Support those support groups
- 3, DO NOT support groups that exploit and abuse elephants (BUT YOU SHOULDN'T BE DOING THIS FOR ANY ANIMAL IN THE FIRST PLACE!)
- 4, Don't buy ivory or other wild life products!



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