



## Teachers Resources - Access to Nature – Wetlands – Answers and suggestions

### Age 10-11 group – Activity 1 – Why Wetlands Matter

Ask the children to chose one of the following topics and write a newspaper article about how life would be if we did not have it.

- Medicine
- Flood relief
- Building materials
- Navigation

#### They could think about:

- Who would be affected?
- What would be affected?
- What could we use instead?
- How it would affect our daily life's?

### Age 10-11 group – Activity 2 – Wetlands history

The wetlands, specifically the canals were used for navigation before the roads were built.

Use the fact sheet and any other media available to write a short story about how items were transported on the waterways.

#### They could think about:

- People working on the waterways?
- What was transported on the waterways?
- How long it took?