## March 21st 2019 - International Day of Forests

## EDUCATING FAO

Plantations are not forests





Forests cannot be reduced to forestry





Planting tree monocultures does not secure the future



Plantations do not protect or rehabilitate water and soils



Forests are not just a collection of trees that store carbon





Biomass plantations do not benefit people and forests







Industrial tree plantations increase harassment and sexual violence against women



Sustainable Forest Management (SFM) does not stop forest loss







The plantation industry is not a good advisor for taking care of forests



Forest-dependent communities know how to take care of forests



What else do you think FAO should learn about forests?