

TEXT FOR THE TEACHER

Every day, people make choices that affect the amount of trash and pollution produced in our world and the waste of water and energy. What can you do to save the planet?

1.

Reduce the amount of packaging.

2.

Reuse when you can.

3.

Recycle cans, bottles, paper, books, and even toys.

4.

Have a shower instead of a bath. You use less water.

5.

Turn off lights you're not using.

6.

Use energy efficient light bulbs

7.

Turn off the water when you brush your teeth.

8.

When you can, walk or ride your bike instead of driving in the car. You'll use less petrol — and get some exercise!

9.

Unplug the chargers for your phone and MP3 player when you're not using them.

10. Put your computer to stand-by mode instead of leaving it on with the screensaver running.

11. Use rechargeable batteries

Can you add other suggestions?