



THE FUTURE WE WANT

What small changes could you make to reduce the impact you are having on the environment?

1. REDUCE YOUR CARBON FOOTPRINT

- ✓ Reduce the amount of electricity and water you use at home, and think about how your family sets your thermostat at home; each degree you turn it up in summer and down in winter can save you 10% in energy.
- ✓ Reduce, reuse, recycle, rethink and renew.
- ✓ Eat fresh, local, organic, seasonal produce where you can.

2. GREEN UP YOUR LIFESTYLE

- ✓ Walk, cycle or use public transport.
- ✓ Install insulation, draft-excluders and double glazing in your house.
- ✓ Buy energy-efficient appliances light bulbs.
- ✓ Switch to greener energy sources where possible; look for electricity and gas suppliers who use renewable sources.

3. TAKE POSITIVE ACTION

- ✓ Plant a tree in your school, garden or local community.
- ✓ Grow your own fruit and vegetables at school or at home.
- ✓ Buy recycled, FSC or Fair Trade products wherever possible.



4. GO BEYOND YOUR OWN CARBON FOOTPRINT

- ✓ Talk to your friends and family about climate change and share your concerns.
- ✓ Raise the issue with your local MP or elected representative and ask them to take action against climate change.
- ✓ Take part in Earth Hour and help raise awareness of climate change.