



WORKING  
TOGETHER TO  
INSPIRE AND  
EMPOWER  
PEOPLE



# WHAT SHALL WE DO?

Follow these five steps to decide how you can really make a big impact in your school.

## Find out what's happening

- The first thing to do is to find out what's already happening in your school and decide what else needs to be done.
- We've provided suggestions for some of the issues you could investigate on the 'What issues could we look out sheet' – download from **[schoolzone.wwf.org.uk](http://schoolzone.wwf.org.uk)**.
- For each of the different issues you can find more information and download a survey from the **What shall we do** section of **[schoolzone.wwf.org.uk](http://schoolzone.wwf.org.uk)**.
- Find out where your team could make the most difference by using one or more of the surveys. It's also important to talk to people in the school, finding out where they think changes can be made and what these changes could be.
- You could tell the school what you've discovered, in an assembly.

## Make a plan

- Assess the results of your surveys and your conversations with other members of the school and decide which area you think you could improve the most.
- As a group come up with as many ideas as possible for what you could focus on.
- When you have lots of good ideas, choose which ones you want to carry out. You could vote to see which are the most popular.
- Now make a clear plan. Use the 'POPSTAR' method to help you. You'll find more details about this in the **Making a plan** section of **[schoolzone.org.uk](http://schoolzone.org.uk)** or your team kit.

- Be ambitious, but think about what you can achieve in the time you have!
- You'll find more information in the **Making a plan** section of [schoolzone.wwf.org.uk](http://schoolzone.wwf.org.uk).

### Put the plan into action

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- Get started!
- Keep records of your projects. Take photos and videos of events, and interview the people who are affected. There's a template to help you record the work which you can download on the planning templates that you can download from the **Making a plan** section of [schoolzone.wwf.org.uk](http://schoolzone.wwf.org.uk).
- Plan some team meetings to talk about how it's going, what you can do better and what to do next.
- You'll find more information in the **Celebrate** section of [schoolzone.wwf.org.uk](http://schoolzone.wwf.org.uk).

### Tell people about it

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- Think about how you can get other people involved in your projects.
- Let the rest of the class or school know what's happening. You could give an assembly or make some posters about what you're doing. We've provided some tips in the **Spread the word** section in your team kit or on [schoolzone.wwf.org.uk](http://schoolzone.wwf.org.uk).
- Think about how you could let parents or other people in the community know about your project. You could talk to the local paper and offer them a tour of what you're doing. You'll find more information in the **Spread the word** section of [schoolzone.wwf.org.uk](http://schoolzone.wwf.org.uk).

### Evaluate and improve

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- Look at what your team has achieved.
- What could you have done better?
- How can you make sure what you've achieved continues?
- What advice would you give to next year's Green Team?
- You'll find more information in the **Celebrate** section of [schoolzone.wwf.org.uk](http://schoolzone.wwf.org.uk).

