

LET'S HELP OUR PRECIOUS PLANET

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Our precious planet, Earth, is currently encountering lot of environmental concerns such as air pollution, waste disposal, urban sprawl and marine contamination. These problems affect every human, animal, plant and nation living on Earth. Environmental problems are getting bigger and bigger as the population of the world increases each day. We need clean air, water, plants, and food supplies for our health and wellbeing. The relationship between the environment and humanity is one of interdependence—each affects the other. Therefore, just as our actions and choices affect the environment, the health of the planet influences our own personal health and wellbeing, as well as our communities, families, and economies. Our small actions when combined together can play a big role in protecting this planet, therefore people should be educated about environmental issues. If we look at the environment around us, we can see that there are lots of things we can do to protect our mother earth.

AIMS

This project's main aim is to try and raise environmental awareness among students, it will help the students realize the importance of respecting nature, biodiversity and every single living thing in order to become responsible and conscious citizens.

We would like to achieve the following objectives through this project:

- Imparting basic knowledge about the environment and its allied problems.
- Raising environmental awareness, understanding and spreading knowledge among our pupils.
- Supporting the personal development of students and raising environmental awareness through practical environmental projects.
- Promoting the protection and conservation of the environment and biodiversity.
- Preparing our pupils to take a more active, positive and responsible role in society.
- Providing our students with the opportunity to learn directly about how to work together in order to make local communities better.

WORK PROCESS

Selçuk Anatolian is the coordinating institution, they will make sure all the deadlines are met.

In April 2021, Péter András Grammar School will organize "Make a Difference Day" to increase the awareness of the students on reducing waste, reusing materials and conserving natural resources and energy. The activities planned include completing Google-forms about eco - conscious attitude of the participants and generating "word clouds" using Wordle. In June 2020, IX Liceum will be focused on measuring air quality to determine how polluted the air is, to identify the key pollutants and ways of reducing air pollution. In April 2020, A. Meucci will be focusing on the recycling and a product's life

cycle sections of the project to convert used materials into new products. In June 2021, Agrupamento will organize a "Beach Cleaning day" to raise public awareness about inappropriate waste management practices. In September 2020 IES Illa de Tambo will work on the marine pollution side of the project.

EXPECTED RESULTS

-Students will understand ecological threats facing our planet and will be able to spread this knowledge in local communities as well as plan remedy actions.

-The project will enable students to work together, interact, develop teamwork and achieve the planned results.

-Students will design presentations, information campaigns, graphic materials. They will learn to collect and analyse various data and plan future activities based on the conclusions drawn from the collected material.

-They will practise communicating in English, develop interpersonal skills, learn about customs and traditions of other countries and enhance their teamwork skills in multicultural environments.

-The project will develop their skills as leaders in environment and become the key ambassadors back in their school and train and share with other pupils.

-They will gain a better understanding of other languages, countries and culture and their own.