

Green-Schools Action Plan

Action / Target	Person/Group responsible	Timeframe	Progress Made
Letters of application for new members	Ms. Doyle/ Ms. Hanrahan	September 2023	Completed
Global Citizenship committee and sub committee for previous themes chosen	Ms Doyle/ Ms. Hanrahan	September 2023	Completed
National Walk to School Day	Whole school	4th October	Completed
Daily checks of bins, taps, electricity, taps	Sub committee	September 2023-	Ongoing
Walk on Wednesdays	Whole school	September 2023 - February 2024	Completed
Update noticeboard to reflect new theme and different nationalities in the school	Green School Committee	October 2023	ongoing
New posters for bins	Green School Committee	October 2023	Completed
Environmental Review: Litter audit & Awareness survey	Green School Committee	October 2023	Completed
Presentation at assembly of review findings, facts re. global citizenship litter and waste and a reminder re class checks at lunch times	Whole school	October 2023	Completed

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Clean Air week to include 'Park n Stride'. Classwork and video on facts about air.	whole school	Nov 23	completed
List compiled of all the languages present in our school	committee	Nov 23	completed
List compiled to track fundraising activities in the school	committee	Nov 23	completed
Brainstorm on ways to increase recycling in the school	committee	Nov 23	completed
Boxes from Weee Ireland distributed to all classes to encourage battery recycling	Green School Committee	Nov 2023 onwards	ongoing
Global Goals Advent Calendar activities	Class teachers	Dec 2023	completed
Global goals - 1 goal per week. Pupils from the committee teach each goal using online videos, worksheets, discussion.	Green School Committee	January 2024 onwards	ongoing
Further reduce litter by collecting and disposing safely of batteries	Green School committee	January 2024 onwards	ongoing
Further reduce food waste with a campaign against wasting school lunches - assembly presentation, posters, messages to parents and teachers, newsletter message	Whole school	January 2024 onwards	ongoing

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Update noticeboard - display survey results, map of the world with languages spoken in our school, Global Goals poster	Green school committee	September 2023 onwards	ongoing
Mini lesson the new deposit return scheme	Green schools committee	February 9th 2024	completed
Bins rota updated to include collecting rubbish, recycling bins daily .. and putting out bins for collection and compost weekly	6th class committee members	February 2024 onwards	ongoing
Green Code posters made for each classroom	green school committee	March '24	completed
green Code competition	Whole school	Feb 2024	Completed
No Car Thursday to replace Walk on Wednesday	Whole School	February 2024 onwards	ongoing
Teaching 'Hello' in one language per week at start of green school mini lessons on Fridays	Committee members	February 2024 onwards	ongoing
Informing - Fairtrade symbols - explanation, significance etc Encourage these products bought at home	whole school	Feb 24	completed
Spring Clean - school and village	whole school	April 24	
World Wildlife Day- visit to local river Dig up and prepare vegetable patches	Committee	4th March 2024	completed

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Vegetables planted	Whole school including caretaker, Brendan	25th April 2024	completed
Global goals 1-6 have been taught by the committee to the whole school this year during assembly time and/or class time	committee	2023/2024	completed
New member letters written and new committee chosen to replace previous 6th class members	Ms. D. Doyle, Ms. Hanrahan, Ms. Mc Donald	Sept '24	completed
Battery collection	Committee	Oct '24 & Jan '25	completed
Clean Air Week - walking to school, no litter week,	Whole school	25th - 29th Nov	completed
Action Day - walking to school, big clean up, Survey, litter audit, new posters made, assembly announcements	Whole school	29th January 2025	completed
Fair trade tea/coffee only in the staff room	Staff	ongoing	completed
Clothes collection for recycling	PA	11th November 2024	completed annually
Assembly brainstorm re. ideas for leftover food	Committee	29th Jan 2025	completed
Big Travel Challenge	Whole school	4th - 14th Feb 2025	completed
Redo environmental awareness review and redo litter and waste review and share results at assembly	Committee	February '25	completed
Planting/ Bug Hotel	Committee	19th - 21st March 2025	to do

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Electrical Items (radiator/ laminator etc to Enniscorthy Household Recycling)	Hughie the caretaker	March 2025	to do
Repairing and reusing laptops	Mr Nolan	March 2025	to do
Talk re. Solar panels	Ms. Mc Donald	March/April 2025	to do
Green School News - shared on Aladdin, newsletters, website (newsletters & dedicated page), noticeboard, assembly announcements	Green School Committee	ongoing	ongoing