

Sustainability – what does it mean and how can we act to make our planet more sustainable?

TASKs:

1. Fill in the gaps. You can find the missing information on the posters on the wall. But watch out! There is always one person who writes and all the others take turns running for the words. There are three rules that need to be followed:

- **Leave your worksheet at your table.** This way you will have to memorize the words you are looking for and you will learn them easily.
- You are only allowed to look up **one gap** per run.
- You are not allowed to speak any language except for **English**

The group who is ready first AND has the correct answer has won.

2. After that make 3 questions about the worksheet. You will ask them the other groups.

Sustainability= _____, stability/lifecycle of the planet, people and profit.

WHY? Every sustainable resource usage has to:


1. Help the present generation’s needs
2. _____ future generation’s needs

HOW? Means of sustainable development: _____, use as long as possible, reuse/recreate (use again for other purposes), respect and promote _____ and _____.

WHEN? The term was created by _____ during the Conference on Environment and Development in Brazil in _____, also known as the Earth Summit.

WHAT? The resources do not only include ecology and environment, but also (people). culture and economic resources (money)

3 Pillars of sustainable development:

<p>PEOPLE: social/cultural pillar</p> <p>- Meeting the people’s needs</p> <p>satisfaction of _____</p> <hr/> <p>equity & social justice</p> <p>provision for social</p> <p>self-determination and</p> <hr/>	<p>PLANET: ecological pillar</p> <p>Protect (conserve, recreate, clean) the environment including water, air, land</p> <p>_____</p> <p>(greenhouse gases, dangerous chemicals, _____...)</p> <p>WHAT CAN WE ALL DO?</p> <p>Reduce our _____</p> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;">  </div>	<p>_____ : economical pillar</p> <p>Fair distribution of resources and wealth= equity</p> <p>Efficient usage of resources: combine sustainable practices, technology and money-making tools</p> <p>Goals: _____ by reducing poverty and creating jobs</p> <p>HOW? Regulate _____, use innovative technologies and non-waste-production</p> <p>WHAT CAN WE DO? Buy products from local shops</p>
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Sustainability= balance of resources, stability/lifecycle of the planet, people and profit.

WHY? Every sustainable resource usage has to:


1. Help the present generation's needs
2. Not compromise future generation's needs

HOW? Means of sustainable development: distribute fairly, use as long as possible, reuse/recreate (use again for other purposes), respect and promote human rights and diversity

WHEN? The term was created by the United Nations during the Conference on Environment and Development in Brazil in 1992, also known as the Earth Summit.

WHAT? The resources do not only include ecology and environment, but also human resources (people), culture and economic resources (money)

3 Pillars of sustainable development:

<p>PEOPLE: social/cultural pillar</p> <p>- Meeting the people's needs</p> <p>satisfaction of basic human needs</p> <p>equity & social justice</p> <p>provision for social</p> <p>self-determination and</p> <p>cultural diversity</p>	<p>PLANET: ecological pillar</p> <p>Protect (conserve, recreate, clean) the environment including water, air, land</p> <p>Reduce stressors (greenhouse gases, dangerous chemicals, carbon dioxide...)</p> <p>WHAT CAN WE ALL DO?</p> <p>Reduce our carbon footprint</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p>PROFIT: economical pillar</p> <p>Fair distribution of resources and wealth= equity</p> <p>Efficient usage of resources: combine sustainable practices, technology and money-making tools</p> <p>Goals: social prosperity by reducing poverty and creating jobs</p> <p>HOW? Regulate fair job distribution, use innovative technologies and non-waste-production</p> <p>WHAT CAN WE DO? Buy products from local shops</p>
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