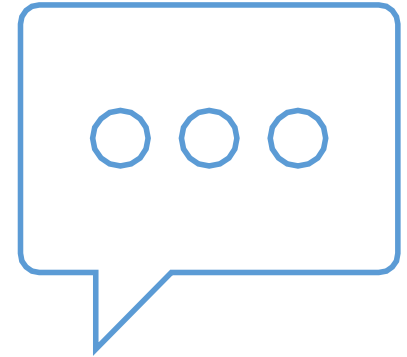


Blue Dot Clean



What's the process?

- After each theme introduction, ambassadors would submit all submissions by email
- Consent forms should be signed by children's parents
- At the end of each month, a number of winners will be announced



How to communicate with us?

- Via WhatsApp group for **updates** and **urgent questions**: **+962 79 5110551**
- Communicate direct questions with Dana Khattar dkhattar@unicef.org
- Send submissions to thebluedot@unicef.org



Criteria to select the winners

Creativity

Imagination

Personalization

Originality

Execution

Presentation

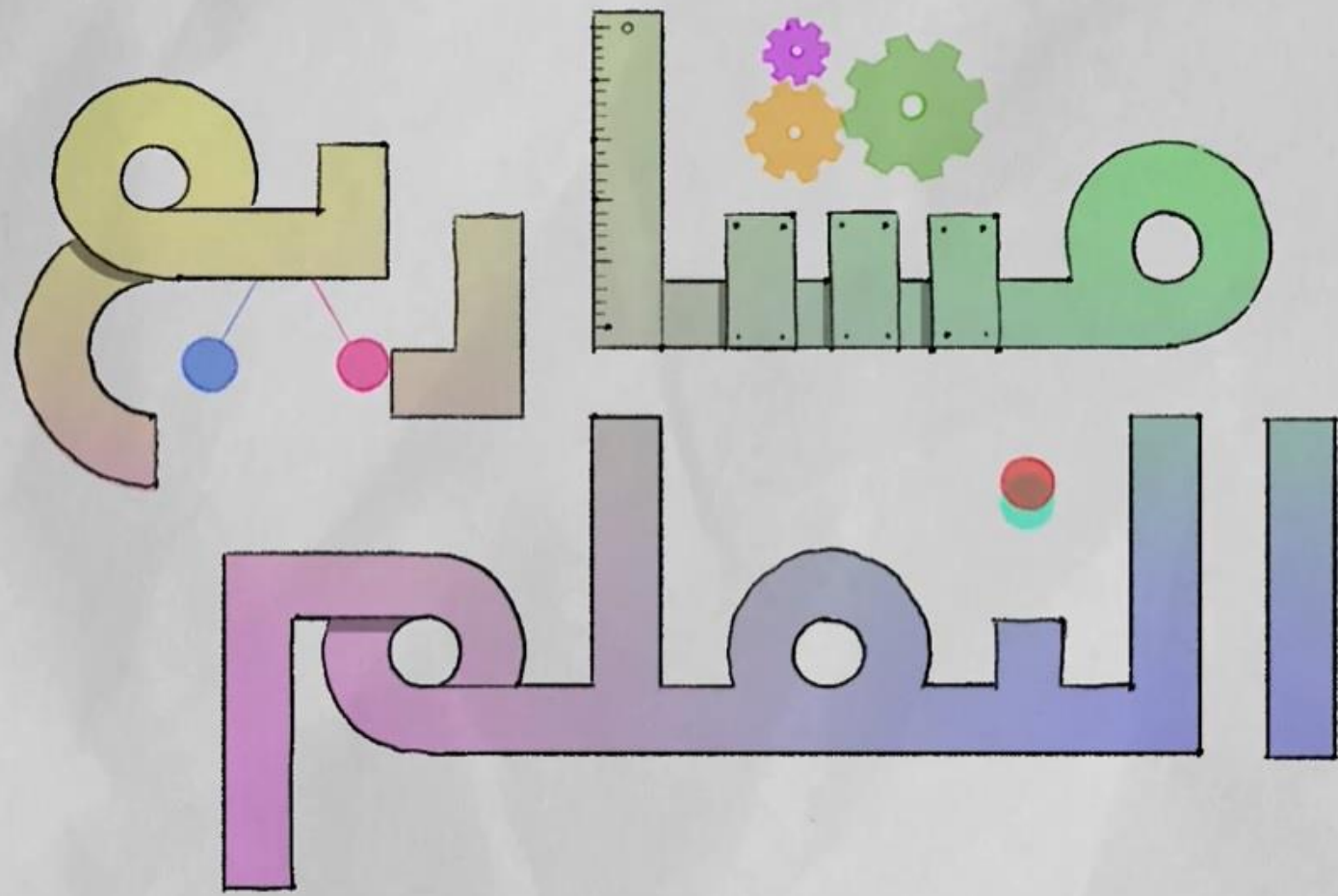
Resources

- [9 ways to reduce plastic waste at home](#)
- [Our planet is drowning in plastic pollution—it's time for change!](#)
- ['Eco-Neighborhoods' clean-up campaign commences in Madaba](#)
- [Plastic waste is the next asbestos – WHO should declare it a public health emergency](#)
- [DON'T WASTE IT!](#)
- [The Impact of pollution](#)
- [The Epic Eco-Inventions](#)
- [Don't Choose Extinction - UNDP | United Nations | Jack Black | Climate Action](#)
- [Ivory Coast schools made from plastic waste - BBC World Service](#)
- [Life Below Water](#)
- [Zero Waste](#)
- [Life on land](#)
- [Affordable, Clean Energy for All](#)
- [Sustainable Cities and Communities: Clean Air](#)

[خمسة طُرُق لتقليل اعتمادنا على البلاستيك](#)
[أثر التلوث على كوكبنا وحياتنا](#)
[خمسة أشياء يمكنك القيام بها لوضع نهاية للتلوث البلاستيكي](#)
[لا تهدر الموارد! إعادة استعمال مواردنا](#)

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In this project, the learner will work on writing an action plan that includes pledges and actions from him and his family with the aim of contributing to reduce pollution in the region and the world.



Through this project, you'll be able to learn about clean water and identify its sources. Also, by monitoring your day-to-day water consumption habits, you'll be able to produce a plan to raise awareness of water consumption, demonstrating behaviors for the correct use of water in homes.



Plants have many environmental benefits, in addition to many other benefits. I will discuss how I can faster in planting plants, and I will learn more about what the rooting hormone is and how to prepare it, and its effect on accelerating plant rooting and thus speeding up the time of planting the plant and speeding up the gains resulting from planting, perhaps the goal is to beautify the environment with ornamental plants, or perhaps for other purposes



In this project, you'll learn the different attempts and experiences around the world to solve the issue. Finally encountering the idea of production of biodegradable plastic to be able to produce as ample of their own and test its degradation rate



1st Theme

Reduce

What is our goal from this theme?

To reduce plastic consumption in households and schools as much as possible .

Why?

The way we currently produce and consume plastic is not sustainable. The massive production and consumption of plastics, especially single use plastic products, have contributed greatly to the plastic pollution crisis. Plastic pollution impacts our ecosystems, endangers animal lives and threatens human health. There is just too much plastic to be managed and recycling itself is not enough. Reducing the use of plastic is important because plastic production requires an enormous amount of energy and resources. This causes carbon emissions and contributes to global warming. Since recycling plastic is not that efficient (only 9% of plastic ever produced has been recycled), it is important to try as much as we can to reduce our usage.



**Think Before
You Buy**





We can effectuate some change with small, simple decisions in our daily life. These decisions do not cost much in terms of money or time. The challenge is questioning our routines and observing a few simple rules of thumb.

Choosing to be plastic-free means you'll often be choosing the least convenient choice. But over time, these decisions will become a habit. You'll learn to become more prepared and planned, and you'll also consume a lot less and save some money.

For example:

- Avoid plastic wrapped veggies and head to your local farmer's market
- Avoid buying plastic water bottles, a lot of manufacturers are producing glass bottles or use a reusable bottle
- Avoid buying fast fashion, since synthetic clothes contribute to the plastic soup by shedding microplastic fibers



Some ways to **REDUCE** plastic

Break up with bottled water.

Say goodbye to single-use plastic bottles. As an alternative, try using stainless bottles, glass bottles or reusable plastic bottles. Easy on the pocket and the environment!



Shop with reusable bags.

Switch to reusables fabric bags to reduce your overall plastic waste.



Skip the straw.

Do without or if you like having something to sip with, use a glass, bamboo, hay, metal or other type of reusable straw. Ask for no straw when ordering drinks. You can also invest in a reusable straw.



Choose seasonal and local.

Avoid prepackaged food by getting food from your local shops and checking out farmers markets around you.

A crumpled red plastic bag is centered on a solid blue background. The bag is shiny and has a complex, folded shape. Overlaid on the bag is the text "CAN YOU THINK OF OTHER WAYS?" in white, bold, sans-serif capital letters.

**CAN YOU THINK
OF OTHER WAYS?**



Visuals



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