

## Suggested newsletter text - Plastics

This week's challenge:

13th May

## 'It's only one straw, said 8 billion people'

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It's <u>THE BIG PLASTIC COUNT</u> this week – the UK's biggest investigation into household plastic waste. Participating in nationwide campaigns provides us, as Young Climate Warriors, with an opportunity to project our voices even further. This campaign hopes to put pressure on the government, supermarkets and businesses to reduce single-use plastic and transition to re-usable packaging. Plastic production, recycling and waste processing, alongside the impact of microplastics on our ocean's ability to absorb carbon, are all exacerbating climate change.



Take a moment, look up from your screen – how many things can you see that are made of plastic? Do you think plastic is fantastic?

Plastic is causing many problems for our world - harming our wildlife, polluting our natural world and making climate change worse.

Join <u>'The Big Plastic Count'</u> 16-22nd May. Help put pressure on government, supermarkets and other businesses to REDUCE PLASTIC.



When you've completed this challenge ... Remember to hit the red button!

