GET TO KNOW THE TEN NEW CHILDREN-LED PROJECTS

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30 years of play

For all children, everywhere

To celebrate our 30th anniversary, we are supporting ten mini-projects about climate action, developed and implemented by children and young people. Three of the projects are in Europe, three in Central America, two in Africa, and two in Asia.

ASIA

Kazakhstan

THE FUTURE OF THE PLANET IS IN OUR HANDS

The recently created youth-led group 'GOGREEN' will address climate change issues at a local level. They will hold events to draw the attention of local authorities and disseminate information about the sources of greenhouse gases and measures to reduce gas emissions.

Pakistan

AIR POLLUTION

This project is focused on raising awareness and promoting understanding about air pollution among students in schools. Through activities like garbage management, art competitions and plantation they aim to empower students to become advocates for positive change in their communities.

AFRICA

Ethiopia

CHILD-LED ACTION

Through the Child-led Clubs, this project will organise an advocacy event to raise awareness and change the community's attitudes towards using plastic bottles, banners and materials that produce waste. It will also include creating a climate response plan and collaborating with local authorities.

Uganda

FRUIT PLANTING

With this project, children aim to improve the environment for their families, friends, and themselves. Through fruit planting, they will promote nutrition and conserve the environment in the Rukungiri District.

EUROPE

Italy

CREATIVE LABS

The project is oriented at the creation of a series of creative labs on the environment for children and renovation of a community building to create an Intergenerational Learning Centre to host more labs and activities.

Latvia

THE CLEAN PLANET WILL HAVE A FUTURE

Fast fashion is an environmental issue worldwide. This project is built to fight against it by recycling and upcycling of clothing. Planned activities such as sewing workshops, will not only help conserve natural resources but also attract the attention of people of different ages who will learn about this practice.

Slovenia

KEEP WATER CLEAN

This project took inspiration from a third-grader who brought to school a water filter created by him and his father. This sparked attention and curiosity among the students. With this project, they will learn about natural science literacy, and conduct experiments on the purity of their water and pollution.

CENTRAL AMERICA

Nicaragua

RESCUE OF OUR TRADITIONAL AND MEDICINAL PLANTS

Using native plants is a way to care for the Earth and the environment. The main activity of this project is to create a botanical garden in a primary school. This garden, will facilitate practical learning of the knowledge that children acquire in class.

Nicaragua

SUSTAINABLE STORYTELLING

This project intends to motivate children to practice sustainable habits at home and in the community, recognise the environmental issues in the area, and become aware that every decision impacts the environment. This will be achieved by illustrating an environmental story that allows to identify the local issues and propose various solutions within reach.

Nicaragua

EXPAND OUR GARDEN TO ENSURE HEALTHY FOOD

Improve the nutrition of about 600 children from preschool to elementary school by expanding the school gardens is the aim of this project. Currently, the fruits and vegetables grown in these gardens are a component of the student meals. This expansion will implement new organic care techniques to enhance production quality, including drip irrigation, pest control, and soil erosion prevention.