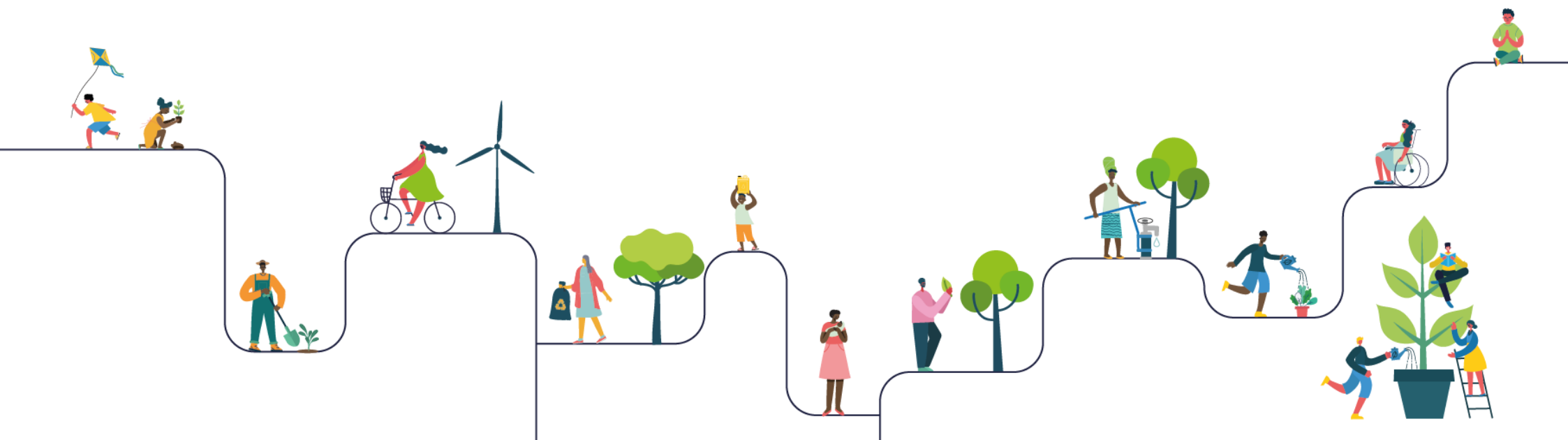


LiveSimply

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The **Live**Simply action planning form

Please refer to the **LiveSimply** action planning guide for details on how to fill out this planning document.

GLOBAL	<p>Description of action: We will take part in CAFOD's Big Lent Walk to raise funds to help families grow in strength to fight the climate crisis (Solidarity). MAIN ACTION</p> <p>Faith Input: 2 Corinthians 9:7 You should each give, then, as you have decided, not with regret or out of a sense of duty; for God loves the one who gives gladly.</p> <p>Education input: For children to understand what the climate crisis is and how this has affected the lives of others, particularly those in less economically developed countries.</p>	<p>Description of action: We will take part in Fairtrade Fortnight 23 Feb – 5th Mar 2023 (Solidarity).</p> <p>Faith Input: Proverbs 31:8-9 "Speak up for people who cannot speak for themselves. Protect the rights of all who are helpless. Speak for them and be a righteous judge. Protect the rights of the poor and needy."</p> <p>Education input: For children to understand that Fair Trade enables consumers to demand a better deal for farmers and food producers.</p>	<p>Description of action: Chaplaincy Team will lead International Day of Peace (21st September) (Simply).</p> <p>Faith Input: John 14:27 Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you.</p> <p>Education input: For children to develop a greater understanding of what 'peace' means and for them to be inspired to think about how they can contribute to making the world a kinder place.</p>
LOCAL	<p>Description of action: We will create a link with a local care home. Pupils will send letters/cards and visit the residents. They will spend time talking together and learn games such as dominoes (Simply). MAIN ACTION</p> <p>Faith Input: Proverbs 19:17 When you give to the poor, it is like lending to the Lord, and the Lord will pay you back.</p> <p>Education input: For children to develop empathy for the elderly and infirm and to develop their interactions with those from a very different generation.</p>	<p>Description of action: Pupils will organise a litter pick around the school grounds and in the local community on a regular basis to keep the school tidy and to protect any wildlife. Any litter picked will be put into the appropriate recycling (Sustainably).</p> <p>Faith Input: Numbers 35: 34 Do not defile the land where you are living, because I am the Lord and I live among the people of Israel."</p> <p>Education input: For children to recognise that the Earth is special and that God needs us to help look after and protect it.</p>	<p>Description of action: We will support the local foodbank; pupils will be involved in organising and promoting this. We will ask a representative from the foodbank to come and speak to pupils about their work (Solidarity).</p> <p>Faith Input: Proverbs 11:25 Be generous, and you will be prosperous. Help others, and you will be helped.</p> <p>Education input: For children to understand that some people are less fortunate than ourselves and rely on foodbanks to feed themselves or their families. For children to understand that foodbanks rely on the donations and good will of others.</p>
SCHOOL	<p>Description of action: Inspired by Laudato Si' we will think about how we can refuse, reuse, reduce, repurpose, recycle. We will create a display using recycled items to highlight the work. Pupils will choose a tip to be shared with parents in the newsletter and to the local parish (Sustainably). MAIN ACTION</p>	<p>Description of action: Inspired by Laudato Si' we will create bug hotels, bat boxes, and bird boxes to encourage more wildlife. Pupils will be involved in the construction of the bat and bird boxes. We will ensure the school grounds are kept litter free to protect the wildlife and to make it a more pleasant environment for pupils and staff too (Simply & Sustainably).</p>	<p>Description of action: We will create a Sacred Space. Pupils will be involved in the design and creation of this. Each class will have an opportunity to hold acts of collective worship/liturgies using this space, and pupils will be able to use the area individually at break and lunch times (Simply).</p>

	<p>Faith Input: Psalm 24:1 The world and all that is in it belong to the Lord; the earth and all who live on it are his.</p> <p>Education input: For children to realise that recycling reduces the amount of waste that builds in landfill sites and enables us to use resources more than once.</p>	<p>Faith Input: Psalm 24:1 The world and all that is in it belong to the Lord; the earth and all who live on it are his.</p> <p>Education input: For children to recognise that if we look after our environment, it will become a safer place for wildlife but also a more pleasant place for us.</p>	<p>Faith Input: Matthew 6:6 But when you pray, go to your room, close the door, and pray to your Father, who is unseen. And your Father, who sees what you do in private, will reward you.</p> <p>Education input: For children to know that they have a special designated place where they can meet our Lord in prayer, either alone or with their peers.</p>
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LiveSimply

Criteria for live simply: To take action towards living a simpler lifestyle including slowing down and finding time to pray and reflect, refusing and reducing on what we consume, spending more time on the simpler things in life including reflective time with family and friends, time in nature.

Brief description of main action:

We will create a link with a local care home. Pupils will send letters/cards and visit the residents. They will spend time talking together, sharing their learning from school, playing games such as cards or dominoes, engaging in art/crafts, sharing a song or dance.

How will you plan for a wider community engagement?

Photographs, videos will be shared (if and where appropriate) with the community.

Pupils to share written/recorded accounts of their visits informing the community what they did, how it made them feel and how it made the residents feel.

FAITH | LEARN | ACT

What faith-based resources will you use?

Include resources linked to Catholic Social Teaching, liturgies, prayers and other faith based materials.

Scripture, faith-based poems, prayers, images

What educational resources will you use?

These can include CAFOD educational resources, or other resources that provide a learning journey.

School books, art & craft resources.

Live Sustainably

Criteria for live sustainably: To take action towards protecting God's creation through personal actions. This can include taking action on how much we use and throw away, supporting the work of eco clubs and other eco initiatives, taking environmentally positive action in the local community.

Brief description of main action:

Inspired by Laudato Si', we will educate and promote how we can refuse, reuse, reduce, repurpose, recycle. We will create a display using recycled items to highlight the work.

How will you plan for a wider community engagement?

Pupils to lead assemblies to educate peers on recycling and the importance of doing so.

Pupils will choose a tip to be shared with parents and the local parish in the weekly Newsletter. Possible community links with Nottinghamshire County Council to further promote recycling.

FAITH | LEARN | ACT

What faith-based resources will you use?

Include resources linked to Catholic Social Teaching, liturgies, prayers and other faith based materials.

Scripture, links to Virtues, links to recycling through Word of the Week assemblies.

What educational resources will you use?

These can include CAFOD educational resources, or other resources that provide a learning journey.

Images of landfill sites, books that promote and inform children of the process of recycling, use of video.

Live in Solidarity

Criteria for live in solidarity: To take direct action to help our global family. This includes campaign action to raise awareness or challenge structures that impact negatively on our global neighbours, fundraising to help communities in need, and other global actions that make a difference to our global family.

Brief description of main action:

For all pupils (from Year 1 to Year 6) to take part in CAFOD's Big Lent Walk to raise funds to help families grow in strength to fight the climate crisis.

How will you plan for a wider community engagement?

Pupils to receive sponsorship money for completing a set number of laps of the Daily Mile track during Lent (length to be determined by age of pupils). Photographs of pupils shared with the school community and climate crisis information to be shared in the weekly Newsletter.

FAITH | LEARN | ACT

What faith-based resources will you use?

Include resources linked to Catholic Social Teaching, liturgies, prayers and other faith based materials.

CAFOD Climate Change animation and prayer, Laudato Si'

What educational resources will you use?

These can include CAFOD educational resources, or other resources that provide a learning journey.

Geographical information on the impact of climate change on the environment and on humans. Educational resources to inform pupils of how climate change can be halted or even reversed.

To register for the LiveSimply award, please fill out the form below, and send in your completed action plan to the address below. Upon receipt of your registration we will send you a registration certificate for you to display in your school.

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