



Fostering Change through Youth Empowerment and Global Connections



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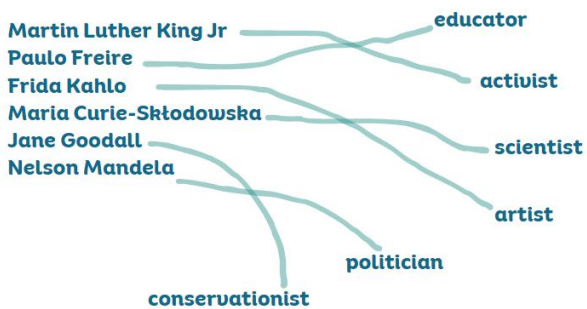
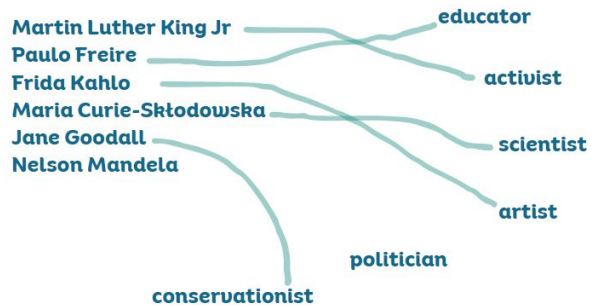
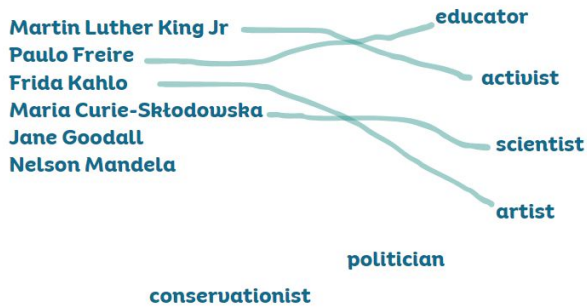
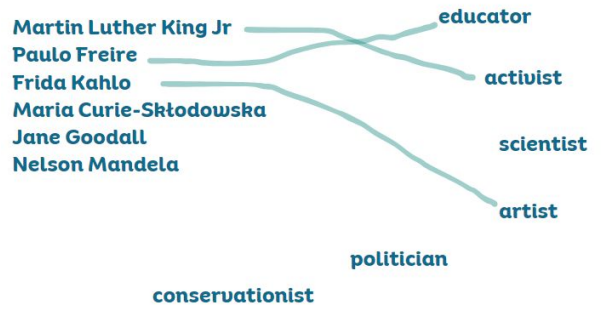
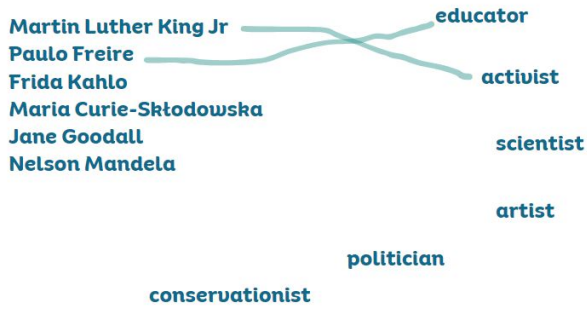
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Welcome to

CHANGE MAKERS

dreamers, doers, makers, thinkers, singers, actors, poets, carers, inventors, photographers, video makers, sculptors, storytellers, painters, rappers, coders, writers ...

One of the earliest contributions

"Say no to plastic"

by Leah Sun's students
(China)



Changing the world from
our classrooms

Plastic Problems and how to
solve them



Challenge

24 hours before the lesson take note of the different single-use plastics you see. Bring the list to the lesson.

LESSON 1 – Pre-Lesson Task

What are single-use plastics?

Single-use plastics are things that we use one time and then throw away.

Examples of single-use plastics:

1. Plastic bags - we use them to carry things and **then throw them away.**
2. Plastic water bottles - we drink water from them and **then throw them away.**
3. Plastic cups - we use them to drink and **then throw them away.**

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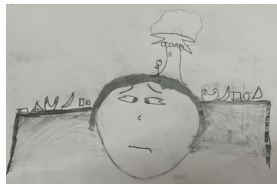
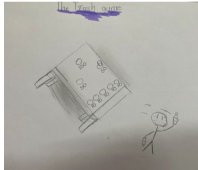
“Plastic Problems and How to Solve Them”
by Salmoe Chichinadze’s students

(Georgia)

“Stop Littering!”

by Angélica Muñoz’s
students

(Mexico)



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Greenwashing and Fast Fashion

Contributions

“Say NO to fast fashion”
Margarita Kosior’s student, Georgina

(Greece)



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Be a Proud Change Maker

Students, teachers and schools who take part will receive Change Makers certificates. Tell the world you're officially a Change Maker - it's something to be proud of!



This certificate is awarded to
Georgina

Thank you for taking part in Change Makers and sharing your vision for a better future. Your dreams and ideas will be shared around the world and will inspire positive action that will benefit us all.

Harry Waters
Teacher, Trainer, Environmentalist
and Change Makers Ambassador



Belong to the Coolest Crowd on the Planet

Change Makers World is where students from around the world, with help from their teachers, share their ideas, dreams and actions for the future they want to be part of.



Show the World What You Can do

Change Makers is the perfect place to showcase your talents and express your dreams and ideas in your own unique way.



Change the World, One Step at a Time

Small steps lead to big changes. You don't need to think big. Instead start small and local. What is it that you could change about the things around you? How could you make a positive difference?



Ready to Start the Journey?

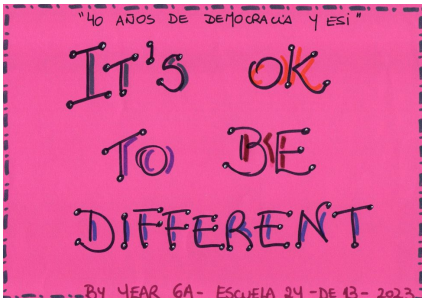
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ADD YOUR CONTRIBUTION

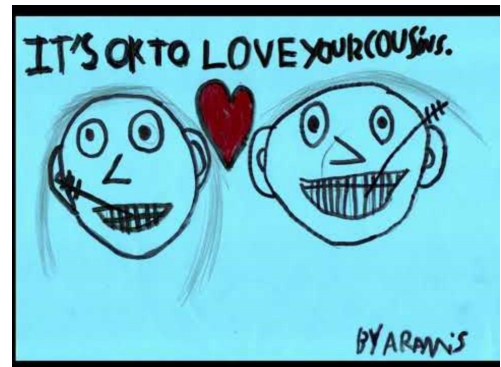


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- Global Citizenship
- Sustainability
- Diversity, Equity and Inclusion
- Other



"It's OK to be different"
Maria Paula Gravano's students
(Argentina)



Time capsule activity



Imagine you are creating a time capsule to be opened in the future.

In the Padlet bit.ly/changemakerstimecapsule write:

- what **positive change you hope to see in the world**;
- and
- how you could **get your students involved** in making this dream a reality.



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