

A PLASTIC-FREE CHALLENGE

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READING TEXT

Class 7b tries to avoid single-use plastic for seven days. Some pupils bring metal bottles, while others pack lunch in reusable boxes. The first two days are difficult because the school kiosk sells many wrapped snacks. The class speaks to the manager and suggests fruit in paper bags. At the end of the week, the pupils count far less plastic waste, but they also discover that lasting change needs cooperation.

VOCABULARY STRATEGY

Do not translate every word. First read for the main idea. Then use the sentence around an unknown word to guess its meaning.

FIRST READING - note the key information

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TASKS

1. Who is the text mainly about?

2. Where does the main action happen?

3. Write down two important details from the text.

4. What problem, change or decision is described?

5. Find one word or phrase that shows an opinion, feeling or result.

6. Summarise the text in two or three English sentences.

7. What can the reader learn from the text? Give a reason.

SUGGESTED ANSWERS - wording may differ

1. Class 7b.
2. At school and the school kiosk.
3. They use reusable bottles and boxes and suggest paper bags.
4. The kiosk still sells many wrapped snacks.
5. Accept an exact phrase from the text that fits the question.
6. Sample: The text focuses on Class 7b. It explains that the kiosk still sells many wrapped snacks.
7. Open answer: accept a suitable title or a justified lesson.