



“The land does not belong to us...we have borrowed it from our children...”

World Recycling Day

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Summary

The project engages with important topics and issues related to separate collection, recycling and nature conservation. The actions and behaviors of each of us remain a memory of future generations. The activity is on the occasion of the initiative of Association BG Be active – the “World Recycling Day”.

Keywords:

The Earth; recycling; separate collection; waste; ecology.



Description

Separate collection and recycling of waste is one of the main problems of modern society. In a small settlement like Staro Oryahovo there are not enough containers for separate collection of waste.

With the help of a previous project, we provided multicolored waste collection baskets on each floor of the school building.

The objectives of the project are:

- Raise awareness of current global environmental impacts;
- Understand the benefits of recycling and how it affects nature conservation;
- To form students’ skills for separate collection.

The project involved all students from the school aged 6 to 14 – 272, as well as teachers – 42, non-pedagogical staff – 12, as well as parents of the students and representatives of the local community.

Feel

Various activities were carried out under the project on 18.3.2023. With educational films and presentations related to the benefits of recycling, students recalled why it is necessary to collect waste separately, realised the importance of recycling and the prudent use of resources for the common good.



Imagine

The students offered to make useful items from things they usually throw away. For this purpose, they sought information on the topic and drew ideas from various sources on the Internet. They then created presentations that they shared with their classmates through the interactive screens.

Create

In the interest classes, the students made non-standard outfits and decors from plastic bags, bags and other waste materials, which they presented to the public at a fashion show, and the decors used in dramatization of a magical fairy tale.

During the preparation for the review, the students cleaned the yard of the school, the stadium and the park, giving an example to the local community with enthusiasm and attracting new like-minded people in their activities.

Cleaning and recycling of waste is important because the objects that we use in our daily lives - they decompose in hundreds, thousands, and sometimes even millions of years: chewing gum – for five years; the plastic bottle – 500 years, and glass bottles – from 4000 to a million years.



Share

The students shared the results of their work – presentations, posters, fashion review and dramatization with their classmates, parents and students from other schools by publishing materials on the local newspaper, website and Facebook page of the school, as well as on the Buddy platform active.

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