

RESOURCES

Websites:

- General Recycling:
 - TerraCycle - they recycle many items, partner with many companies to set up recycling programs and with individuals to set up drop-off locations. www.terracycle.com
 - This website has many ideas for school programs to address and participate in recycling: <https://resources.pepsicorecycling.com>
- Plastic Recycling:
 - 11 companies that are removing plastic from our seas and making cool products. <https://www.businessinsider.com/companies-that-use-recycled-ocean-plastic-in-products>
 - Removing plastic from the ocean and repurposing it. <http://www.upcycledonline.com/>
 - United By Blue removes one pound of plastics from our waterways/oceans for every product purchased. <https://unitedbyblue.com/pages/philosophy>
 - Albertsons recycles many plastic bags or plastic coverings. <https://www.albertsonscorporation.com/our-values/planet/plastics-and-packaging.html>
 - Plastic pill bottle recycling. <https://m25m.org/pillbottles/>
- Denim recycling. <https://bluejeansgogreen.org/recycle-denim/>
- Eco-friendly cleaning supplies.
 - <https://www.today.com/shop/best-eco-friendly-cleaning-products-green-cleaning-products-t114942>
 - or https://www.cleancult.com/bundles/complete-home-refill-bundle?nd=1&ns=1&utm_source=shopping&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=prosp&gclid=CjwKCAiAsaOBBhA4EiwAo0_AnN3MqdJTq1qGyYMtJFdNLRDuDjBZLv2vuvZIRBX6xW9X1OW8V7Q4hoCuWoQAvD_BwE
Cleancult is also plastic free.
- Personal care/dental:
 - [Collections](#) Bamboo toothbrushes, shampoo bars, nonplastic produce bags, and other products. They also use part of your purchase price to plant trees.
 - <https://ecoroots.us/collections/bath-beauty> Shampoo bars, deodorants, shaving soap and safety razors, many more products.
 - [Natural Household & Personal Care Products](#) Bamboo toilet paper, soap bars, charcoal toothbrushes and toothpaste, other products.
 - https://bitetoothpastebits.com/products/mint?utm_campaign=gs-2019-06-27&utm_source=google&utm_medium=smart_campaign&gclid=Cj0KCQiA4feBBhC9ARIsABp_nbXt6IKCs4Uun32o3Ub-w-bAO6ARwas150XUiE2H-o-XGn-VtCzCAA0aAi2hEALw_wcB Toothpaste bits in a glass jar.
 - <https://bitetoothpastebits.com> Toothpaste bits and mouthwash bits in a glass jar. Floss in a jar.
 - [aria toilet paper](#) Bamboo toilet paper and paper towels. Products arrive completely plastic free.



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role as Creation
Caretakers**

- Composting:
 - 50 things you can compost. <https://www.thespruce.com/things-you-can-compost-2539612>
 - Compost services. (<https://recyclingworksmt.com> or 406-215-4650) or Missoula Compost Collection (<https://www.missoulacompostcollectionllc.com/sign-up-contact>).
- Little libraries - <https://littlefreelibrary.org/ourmap/>
- Diaper laundry service. [Our Service — New Beginnings Diaper Service](#).
- Laundry:
 - Eco friendly laundry soap. <https://www.dropps.com> to powders sold in cardboard boxes to laundry sheets <https://www.earthbreeze.com>, <https://zerowastecartel.com> OR <https://www.sheetslaundryclub.com>
 - Micro-fiber plastic pollution solutions. ([Microfiber Pollution : What Solutions for the Oceans?](#))
- Yard websites:
 - <https://www.marthastewart.com/1536174/eco-friendly-backyard-care>
 - <https://www.ecohome.net/guides/3402/grass-lawn-alternatives-eco-friendly-bee-friendly>
 - <https://www.washingtonian.com/2018/05/04/rain-garden/>
 - <https://www.hgtv.com/outdoors/gardens/planting-and-maintenance/10-ways-to-green-your-garden-for-earth-day>

Books:

- “That Changes Everything” by Naomi Klein
- “The Story of More” by Hope Jahren
- “Drawdown” edited by Paul Hawken
- “Overstory” by Richard Powers
- “Cadillac Desert” by Marc Reisner
- “The Population Bomb” by Paul Ehrlich

This handbook has a treasure trove of ideas. <https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B21DWGsdzLc6QnY0NTNGZGpPX0E/view>

Documentaries:

- “Manzanar, Diverted: When Water Becomes Dust”. Native-Americans, former Japanese-American WWII prisoners and environmentalists form an unexpected alliance to defend their water, their history, and their culture from Los Angeles.
- “Youth vs. Gov”. Twenty-one courageous youth lead a groundbreaking lawsuit against the U.S. government, asserting it has willfully acted over six decades to create our climate crisis, thus endangering their constitutional rights to life, liberty, and property.
- “We the Power.” A community takes back the power of clean energy.
- “Biggest Little Farm.” An L.A. couple starts a farm on land that is virtually dead and over a period of approximately 7 years turns it onto a paradise of biodiversity. Chronicles their journey, what worked and what didn't.
- “The Story of Plastic.” How we got to our current global plastic pollution crisis and how the oil and gas industry has successfully manipulated the narrative around it.

- “Plastic Ocean.” When he discovers the world’s oceans brimming with plastic waste, a documentary filmmaker investigates the pollutants’ environmental impacts.
- “Public Trust.” The fight for America’s public lands.
- “The Dead Sea is Dying.” Nova. A look at the water issues in the Middle East, some of the causes, proposed solutions, and problems with some of the solutions. It illustrates what balancing act it takes to try to mitigate the damage we have caused.
- “An Inconvenient Truth” and “An Inconvenient Sequel.” Former Vice President Al Gore’s continuous mission to battle climate change.
- “How to Save Our Planet: WWF International.” Sir David Attenborough explains how humans can take charge of our future and save our planet.
- “Chasing Ice.” National Geographic photographer James Balog, once a skeptic about climate change, deploys time-lapse cameras to capture a multi-year record of the world’s changing glaciers.
- “Bill Nye: Science Guy 2017.” Bill Nye faces climate-change skeptics as he demonstrates the importance of scientific evidence.
- “Who Killed the Electric Car.” A 2006 documentary that investigates the birth and ‘then’ death of the electric car (GM’s 1990’s EV1) as well as the role of renewable energy and sustainable living in the future.