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Reducing Plastic Use and Waste

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Dear Parents/Carers,

You may have seen recent stories in the news and documentaries about the damage that plastic waste is doing to our natural environment and wildlife.

At Newland St John's we are very worried about this and want to do something to help. Our **Year 6 Green Team** would like your help to **reduce** how much plastic we **use** and how much we **throw away** as a community. They believe that by sending less plastic to landfill, we can really make a difference to the planet and our amazing wildlife.

To start with, the **Green Team** would like to give you some top tips on how to reduce your plastic waste at home and at work. Each week they will add an idea to the school newsletter. We hope you read it and that you can try out the ideas to reduce your use of harmful plastics.

Here is some more information from our Year 6 'Green team':

"Please help us to reduce plastic waste by making small changes that will make a big difference to our local community and the wider world. As a 'Green Team', we promise to dedicate our ideas and our energy to help protect our precious environment."

In the coming months, we will introduce other plastic reduction initiatives that you may like to be involved in. Please watch this space.

Thank you for your support.

Yours sincerely


N Kenningham and the Year 6 Green Team.