



# WORLD ENVIRONMENTAL DAY (WED) 2023

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## Theme: “Beat Plastic Pollution”

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# 5 WAYS TO BEAT PLASTIC POLLUTION

- Reduce plastic use
- Recycle and dispose properly
- Use Eco-friendly alternatives
- Support plastic – free initiatives
- Educate and advocate



## Reduce Plastic Use

Refuse single-use plastics: bags, straws, water bottles, and cutlery.

Always carry reusable alternative: cloth bags, stainless steel straws and cutlery





# Recycle And Dispose Properly

Plastics should be recycled also paper and glass.  
Participate in community recycling programs



## Use Eco-friendly Alternatives

Biodiversity bags and packaging. Glass and stainless steel containers should be used instead of plastics





# Support Plastic-free Initiatives

Encourage businesses to adopt sustainable practices. Participate in clean up of water resources and other community events that promote reduction of plastic pollution.



# Educate And Advocate

- Raise awareness about plastic pollutions impact.
- Teach children and others about sustainable habits, advocate for policy changes and extended producer responsibility.





# CONCLUSION



We need to come together to beat plastic pollution. Every small action counts

This **World Environment Day**, it's time for a change