

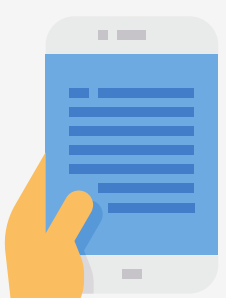


TAKE ACTION!

Even though we need changes in the whole system to solve plastic pollution and reach a fairer, healthier, zero waste world, we can't sit back and wait for it to happen! Beyond reducing waste in our own lives, we can start to influence the world around us. For example:

- ★ We can create momentum for change by doing community cleanups or other activities to raise awareness of the problem
- ★ We can show zero waste systems are realistic with small projects in our neighbourhood
- ★ We can put pressure on companies to take responsibility for their waste with citizen science
- ★ We can put pressure on governments with letters, petitions and demonstrations

There are so many different ways to be part of the movement for change - you are sure to find a way that works for you. For more ideas, see the links below. Thank you and good luck!



Read

[PART NINE BLOG](#)



Watch

[PART NINE PLAYLIST](#)



Do

Make a list of actions you would be willing to take to fight plastic pollution. For example, you might want to:

- Join a group
- Volunteer
- Talk to your school
- Campaign on social media
- Do a brand audit

Now research each one!



Reflect

Would you describe yourself as a consumer or a citizen? What is the difference?

💡 *Think about the amount and kind of power that comes with each label.*

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