

Solving the Problem

Modules:	<i>Protecting the Environment</i>
Topic:	<i>Solving the Problem</i>
Title:	<i>Recycle e-waste</i>
Target group:	<i>Students 11 – 18 years old</i>
Starting Point:	<i>e-waste is the fastest growing waste stream with no provision to be reduced.</i>
Aim:	<i>Students will become aware of the excessive e-waste our lives produce and learn to recycle it.</i>
Implementation:	<i>This activity is designed to be implemented inside the classroom.</i>
Estimated Duration:	<i>20 minutes</i>

More detailed content and instructions:

1. The teacher will explain to the students what e-waste is and why it is important to recycle e-waste as much as possible.
2. Each student and the teacher will bring an electronic device or home appliance that is broken or not used any more sitting idle in their houses.
3. The working devices can be donated to other students if needed or some charity.
4. The non-working devices will be recycled by the students with the help of their teacher.
5. An additional optional step is a call-to-action from the students themselves to the rest of the school to follow their example and bring some not-used devices or appliances, giving them the opportunity to recycle a larger quantity of e-waste and at the same time share their newly acquired knowledge.