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Day Twenty-One | Greener Challenge

If you could lead a world-changing, locally-based organization, what would that look like? Picture yourself as the head of a regional or school club or chapter. If you are already part of a similar effort, feel free to use it for this challenge. Ask yourself:

- What is your organization's mission? (Clear and short!)
- How are you adapting to continue to make change during the pandemic?
- How has your mission or strategy shifted due to Covid?
- What is one key program you are proud to keep running?
- Who are your partners and allies in this work?
- What does success look like to you?

Craft a response to answer these questions. Feel free to add other thoughts, if they arise.

Now share your ideas for this movement and its mission in a creative format of your choice! Post on Instagram tagging @TurningGreenOrg and #PGC2020.

Students 4 Sustainability Project (S4S Project)

Our mission: Students 4 Sustainability (S4S) is a community of young people that believe in true sustainability through climate justice. We fight for environmentally friendly infrastructure and education in our community, while also pushing for systemic reforms.

We are adapting fairly well during the pandemic! Our upcoming workshop is going to be a live Zoom webinar event, and most of our content/outreach is online

anyway! If anything, this pandemic has allowed our team to work even harder on this passion project of ours to allow it to come to life in a beautiful way.

Our mission remains the same, because the climate crisis is the same, if not worse now. Sure, there was a brief moment of rest for the earth, but that short lived. The climate crisis is the most pressing issue of our time, and it is directly connected to all injustices on earth, including the social, racial, and economic injustices we are seeing come to a head. Our work is to shed the light on these connections, in order to educate and inspire others to join us.

One program that we are proud to keep (start) running is our platforms (Instagram, Twitter, YouTube, TikTok, Facebook), and our website because they allow us to share our content with the world! We are currently working on two major projects that were thought of during quarantine, so we are proud of these too!

Some of our partners and allies include Olympian High School (our school), the Living Coast Discovery Center, and San Diego 350! These organizations have all done their part to inspire and support our work, and we are very grateful.

Success to me is bittersweet. It looks profoundly impacting each and every person who comes across our Instagram, TikTok, website, YouTube channel, etc. to stand up for climate justice. It looks like sharing the tidbits of information we share on our platform (sustainability hacks, term definitions) with friends and family in order to open up a discussion on our role in climate change. It looks like showing young people that the environmentalist movement not only has room for everyone, but embraces diversity and unique voices and lived experiences. After all, we are going to need some serious creativity, ingenuity, and passion to save our people and our planet. But, it also means pain. It means opening up people's eyes to the horrors of our world and allowing them

to sit with it. It means showing them the raw injustices that our governments allow and even support. It means showing them not just "save the planet", but, "there are people dying because of our choices". However, that is essential. In order to have a true passion for this fight, you must see the pain, and feel that pain, so you have the power to fight back.

Overall, this passion project that started with an idea that our school needs a garden, so we decided to create a youth organization (on our way to becoming a nonprofit!!) to educate about sustainability, climate change, and climate justice! I am very happy with where we are today, especially during this pandemic, and this post is dedicated to the lovely team that works so hard for this cause.

Caption: Everything you need to know about the Students 4 Sustainability (S4S) Project! Here is a reminder of our mission and what we have in store for the future!



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1. A youth organization of young people that believe in true sustainability through climate justice. We fight for environmentally friendly infrastructure and education in our community, while also pushing for systemic reforms.
"Students 4 Sustainability Project is local to San Diego / Chula Vista"



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