

Eco Schools



St. MacNissi's Primary School, Larne



What is Eco Schools?



- ☀ An international environmental education programme
- ☀ It makes environmental awareness part of school life
- ☀ A programme and an award scheme
- ☀ Aims to reduce the school's environmental impact



Benefits of Eco Schools

A word cloud of benefits of Eco Schools. The words are arranged in a roughly circular pattern, with varying font sizes and colors (green, brown, red). The largest words are 'Raise awareness of pupils and staff', 'Financial savings', and 'Value the environment'. Other words include 'Citizenship', 'Save natural resources', 'Reduce environmental impact', 'Raise awareness of parents and community', and 'Empowering pupils'. Smaller text includes 'Develop links for gardening and food', 'Community cohesion', 'Life skills', 'Enrich pupils' experiences', and 'Care for yourself others and the environment'.

Citizenship

Raise awareness of pupils and staff

Financial savings

Develop links for gardening and food

Save natural resources

Reduce environmental impact

Value the environment

Empowering pupils

Community cohesion

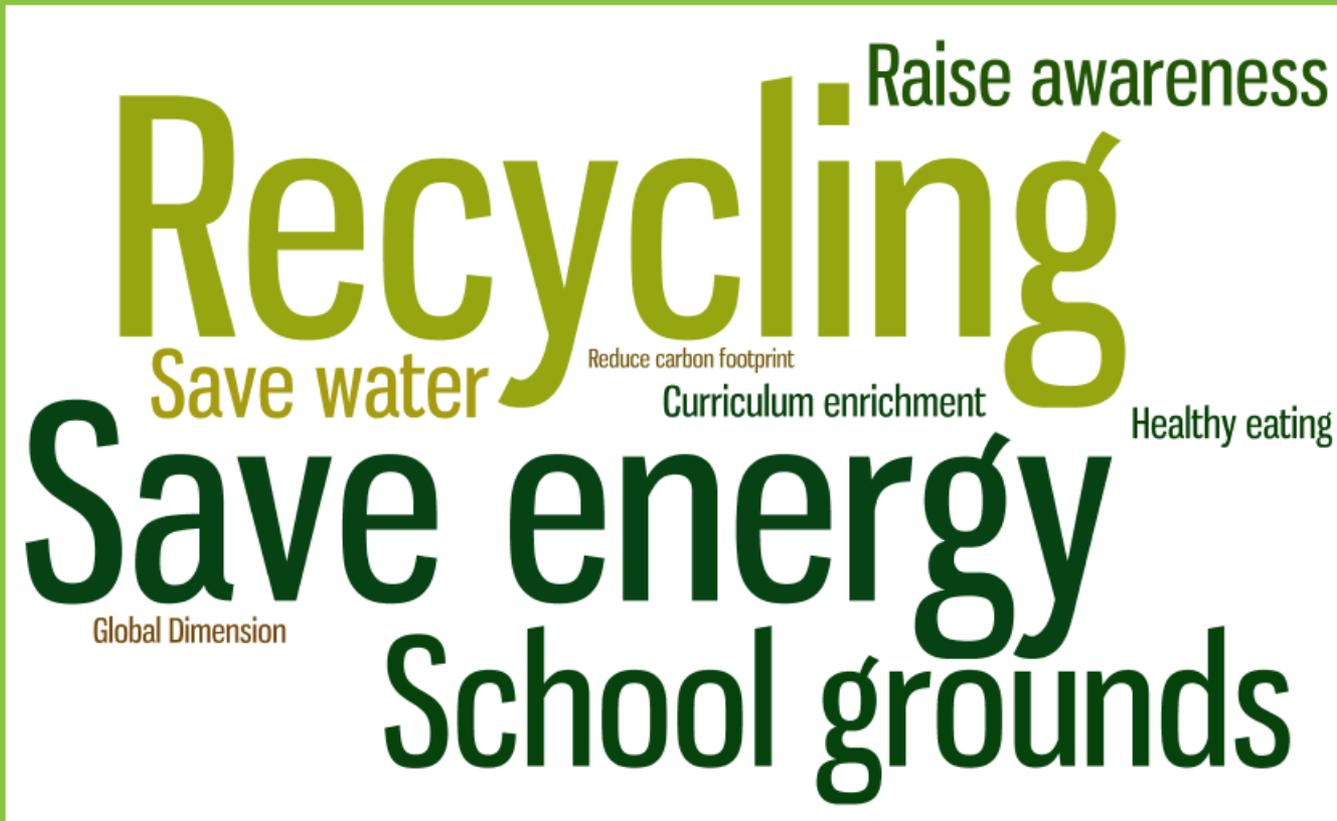
Life skills

Enrich pupils' experiences

Raise awareness of parents and community

Care for yourself others and the environment

Eco School Priorities





Where are we going to?

More
outdoor
learning

Recycle & reuse
our waste

Increased
biodiversity-
planting
flowers,
vegetables,
composting

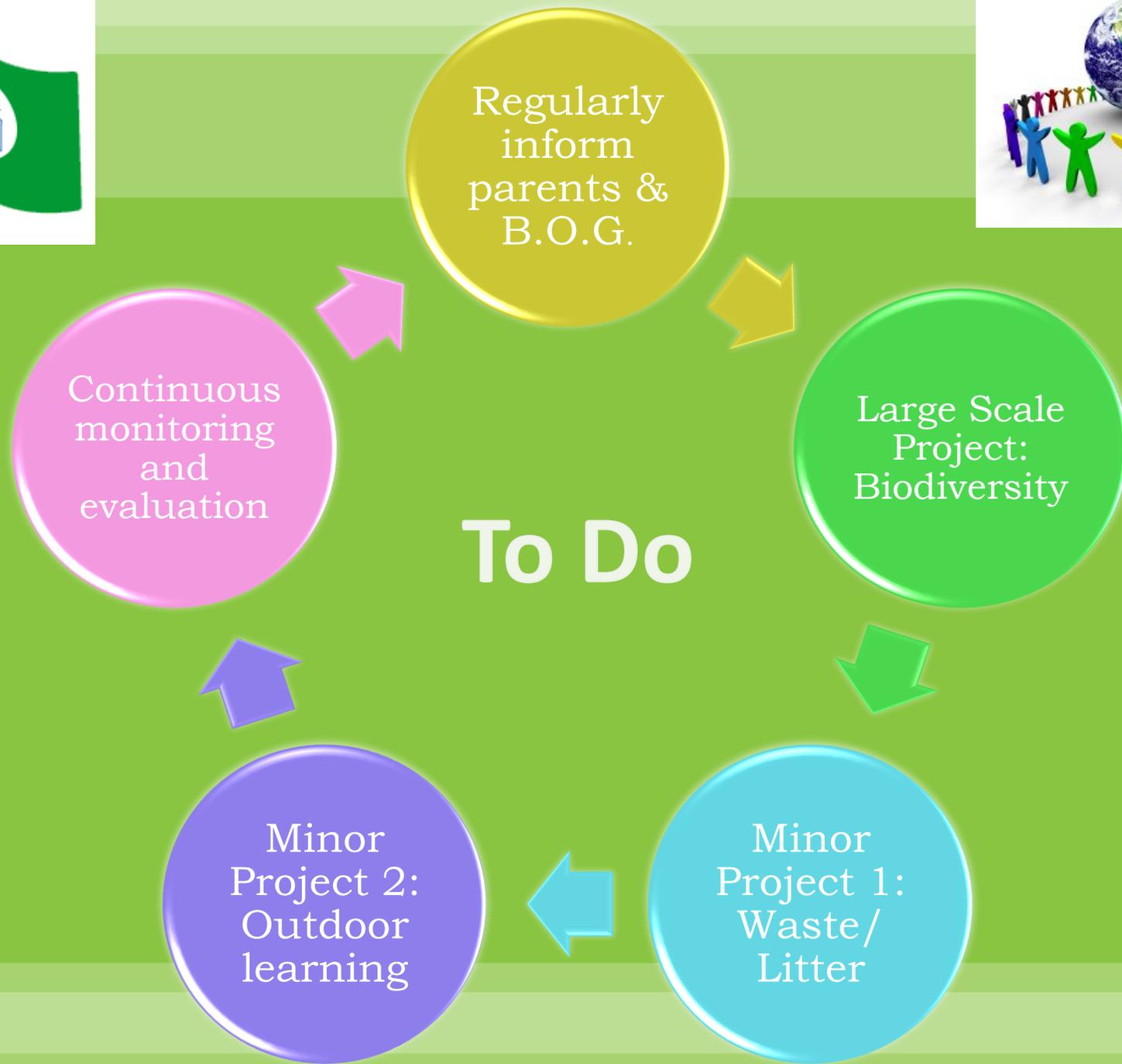
Reduce
energy and
food wastage



School
sensory/
Eco-Garden

Whole school
day of Action

More habitats
for animals





How can you help?



- ☼ Continue to support the healthy eating and lifestyle activities organised by the school.
- ☼ Reduce packaging for break and lunch- Waste Free Wednesdays.
- ☼ Support a walk to school programme.
- ☼ Participate in our day of action.
- ☼ Volunteer to help with gardening or building animal habitats.
- ☼ Make environmental awareness part of your life.