

**THE KINDERGARTEN STARTERS - DUBAI
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Dear Parents,

The school is observing World Environment Day on 05 June, 2018.

Plastic pollution has become an epidemic. Every year, we throw away enough plastic to circle the Earth four times. Much of that waste doesn't make it into a landfill, but instead ends up in our oceans, where it's responsible for killing one million seabirds and 100,000 marine mammals every year. For the good of the planet, it's time to rethink how we use plastic.

We are requesting students to bring in clean, empty plastic bottles that will be recycled into useful items on that day or sent to a recycling unit. The entire school will be engaged in various activities including poster making, attending talks on Sustainability by experts, beach Clean-Ups, making paper bags for distribution in local outlets, raising awareness campaigns and visiting local schools to take the message forward.

As parents, you can reconsider the use of plastic at home and refuse plastic bags, straws and cutlery whenever possible. Together we can model the actions that we want our children to learn.

World Environment Day is a day of everyone around the world to take ownership of their environment and to actively engage in the protection of our earth.

Thank you.

Warm regards,



**Asha Alexander
Principal**