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**ÇAĞDAŞ YAŞAM TÜRKAN TUTUMLUER
PRIMARY SCHOOL
'ACTIVE AND RESPONSIBLE CITIZENSHIP'**



'SAVE OUR PLANET'

THEME

VOLUNTEERING ACTIVITIES



Cleaner Greener, Let's Volunteer

'SAVE OUR PLANET'

The next task of the project has brought the themes of volunteering and environment together upon which our students and teachers have set to work with great eagerness. With various activities and ongoing local projects related about environment, we have risen our consciousness as well as our students' and parents' about environmental and volunteering issues.

Planting Flowers



As part of Forest Week celebrated every year in March, our students have planted flowers. Thanks to this activity, we have had more colorful and greener classes and school. It was also interesting and entertaining for the pupils. Meanwhile, our school also has an ECO-SCHOOL label.

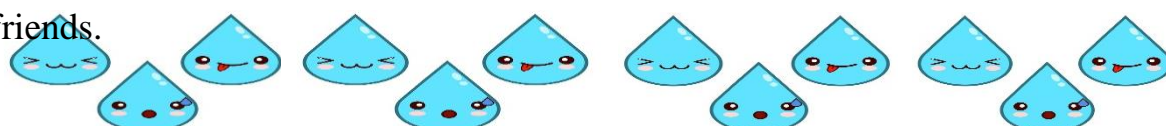


World Water Day

After having learnt that we can run out of clean freshwater which has vital importance for all the living beings, we have watched a video about the possibilities and what we can simply do at



home, at school or outside. Students have comprehended how even a little step, a simple act of saving water when we brush our teeth or do household chores can be substantial as a measure, and then we started a painting activity. They became the volunteer teachers and shared what they have learnt with their parents and friends.



Reducing, Reusing, and Recycling for Zero Waste

National 'Zero Waste' Project is being implemented at our school. 'Zero Waste' concept refers to an ideal rather than a harsh target, but it certainly motivates people for the three R's of waste management.

Our students have utilized waste materials and designed musical instruments and decorative objects. Students and families actively took part in this project by bringing glass, paper, plastic, batteries and oil wastes to the recycling points at our school. In this way, they have helped the economy and protected our nature by taking a step even if it



is a little one to 'save our planet'. By the way, our school ranked first among the district schools in collecting the most waste material.

Parents who play a key role in education have been informed about the project by the specialists from the ministry of environment and urbanization. With the idea of leaving a 'cleaner-greener' world to their children, they recycled the waste material at home and brought to the recycling points at the school and helped us in waste management.



Bird Nests

Under the harsh conditions with the coming of winter, we did not want birds, the most beautiful sounds of nature, be bereft of nests. So, we have designed and made bird nests and hung them on the trees.

#Trashtag Challenge

Protecting natural life, animals and our environment is among our school principals. Forests, the lungs of the earth, has a significant place in our lives.

Just nearby our school, we have Aydos Forest that hosts a huge range of animals and plants while providing a wealth of services to us to which we cannot be indifferent to. So, we challenged the rubbish and started to clean our forest. We shared this activity on social media to spread this kind of clean and green sensitivity.

