

# A Proposal to Build a Green School

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## 1. Introduction

The Green Ambassadors of our school have conducted a study of our school environment. We found a few environmentally unfriendly aspects and came up with the following suggestions for our school.

## 2. Suggestions

Our observation indicated that our school is being heated up on sunny days and the energy is wasted. We could feel the searing heat from the surface of the concrete wall and ground at midday. We believe that the energy could be collected. What we can do is to put solar panels on the rooftop or even on the wall of our school premises so that we can produce some of the electricity power by ourselves. This can save our electricity and more importantly, we are saving the environment.

Moreover, we should replace the light bulbs with energy-saving ones, for example, LED lights, which consume less energy. They are brighter than common light bulbs. Also, they can save electricity since they consume less energy and so they contribute to environmental protection. Although it costs more to buy and install energy-saving light-bulbs, they are worth the money.

Another change we need to consider involves the tuck shop. The people working there have used disposable plastic tableware which cannot be recycled. After our students have thrown them away into rubbish bins, they go straight to the landfills. We believe the tuck shop can do the same as restaurants outside by using plastic utensils that can be reused after washing. This can reduce plastic waste and cause less harm to our environment.

## 3. Conclusion

We hope that our suggestions will be considered to make our school greener.

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