



FORM BEST PRACTICES CONTEST 2020

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Name project

Challenge GENERATION ZEROWATT by the students of the 3rd primary School class (Chaudfontaine/Vaux-sous-Chèvremont)

Category Certification Criteria: mark the category of your project

- Energy and environmental policies (politiche energetiche e ambientali);
- Infrastructure policies (politiche infrastrutturali);
- Quality of urban life policies (politiche per la qualita' urbana);
- Agricultural, touristic and artisan policies (politiche agricole, turistiche, artigianali);
- Policies for hospitality, awareness and training (politiche per l'ospitalita, la consapevolezza e la formazione);
- Social cohesion (coesione sociale).

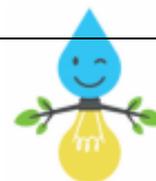
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Summary project

Concerned about the environment and wishing to actively fight against any form of energy waste, a class of 3rd primary school (children from 8-9 years-old) has made the challenge anti-waste! Eliminate unnecessary electricity consumption and use zero watt during off-peak hours. Beginning in october 2019, the results were known in may 2020.

Goal project

- Audit the school's electricity consumption,
- Initiate economic actions,
- Mobilize other classes
- Provide energy saving solutions : Workshops, experiences, exhibitions
- Promote these solutions to the entire school
- Take stock of the economy achieved and promote the solutions at school and at home



Result project

20% economy of electricity !!!!!

In addition to this huge energy saving, the teachers have also implemented applications in other courses: mathematics, french, etc. The Ecoteam set up has affixed stickers to make the whole school aware of energy savings: turning off lights when they are not needed, educational workshops, awareness raising of parents for a practical implementation at home.

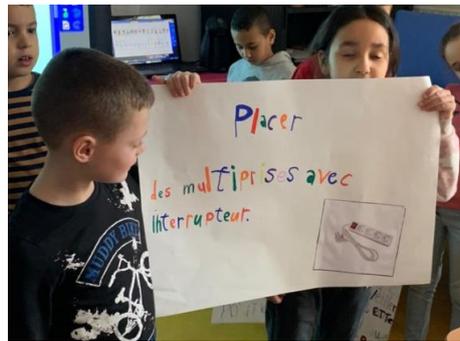
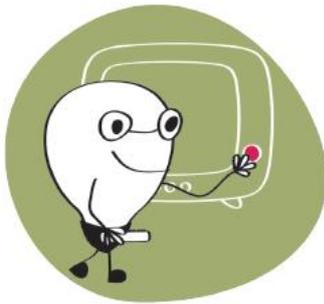
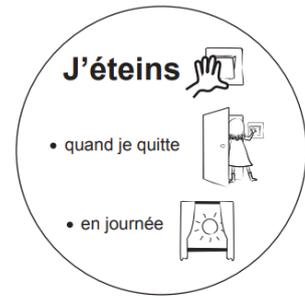
Motivated by the project carried out by the school of Vaux-sous-Chèvremont and all the implications that this challenge brings (awareness, teamwork, collaboration, motivation, analysis, awareness, accountability, commitment, ...), the class of 4th primary Beaufays school enrolls this program in its classes for the school year 2020-2021.



Promote the challenge and mobilize all the other classes



Explaining and promote the solutions



Empower students





Finance (costs and benefits)

Costs for the city : +/- 500,00 € (to buy led lights)
Benefits : 20% off - electricity

Staff (staff involved and use of time)

Eco-team staff :

- Teachers
- School Director
- Technicians
- Energy staff of the CityHall
- Asbl LA BESACE (due to the collaboration of the Region of Wallonia)

Additional information (if necessarily)

Powerpoint realized by the 3th primary school of Vaux-sous-Chèvremont (Chaudfontaine) presenting their activities and how they handle the challenge.
General powerpoint presenting the challenge.

Link website
(if available)

**Once filled in this form please send it to: info@cittaslow.net
- Participation Deadline 5 September 2020 -**