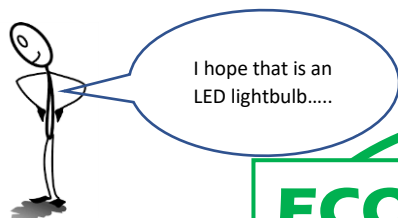


Eco club has chosen to reduce our energy use at school. This means turning off lights and switching off plugs when items are not in use. We challenge you to do the same at home plus a little bit extra. The challenge is instead of playing a video game or watching tv- you can spend one hour reading, playing outside, or playing a board game. If every student does this just one day each month- we would save over 5000 hours of energy use which could add up to 750,000 watts of energy saved!



## Go Wild In June

The Wildlife Trust sets aside June as a month to promote getting closer to nature. Check out their site and explore their 30-day challenge. Even if you don't do every day- use it as an idea board for you and your family to have an adventure.

<https://www.wildlifetrusts.org/30dayswild>



# ECO-CHALLENGES

## Summer Term 2

### Litter Pick

Did you know we have litter picking equipment you can borrow for the weekend? All you need to do is talk to Mrs Boyes and you can take home everything you need to tidy up around your house, or on a walk, or at the park. Remember if you do litter pick, never pick up sharp items like needles or broken glass- instead tell an adult where these items are.

### Fight against Food Waste

Eco-Club has loved the fact that the Sharing table has been used more this year. It is so amazing that we are reducing food waste in our community.

Eco Party was able to share one of our members' excellent banana bread during their campaign. It is a fantastic way to use up bananas that have gone past their best. See if you can come up with some ways of using food up before it goes off.

Mrs Boyes would love to see some of your ideas and recipes!

### How about a drink?

We are keeping this challenge as it is so important. Our wild friends would really benefit from having a clean water source in your gardens. A shallow dish, plant saucer, or even an old roasting tray can be made into a drinking station for wildlife. Pop a couple of rocks into larger containers for birds to perch on. Dishes with shorter sides can be readily accessed by hedgehogs. Take a picture of your drinking station and send it in.

