

Dear Secretary of Education,

In Year 2, our teacher has been teaching us all about caring for our environment and the damage that humans have on our precious world. Plastic pollution and climate change is a huge problem but not enough people know about it. Why is caring for our environment not in our curriculum? If our teacher didn't teach us about it, we wouldn't know. Children all around the country won't know. We are the future. We are the change!

Why has the Government set a target for all schools to be single-use plastic free by 2022 but it is not even in our curriculum? What if you fail the target? Will you just move it to next year and then the year after that?

We have to get all of the schools to be plastic clever! We have to get the message out to everyone. How are you telling schools about the target?

Please can you tell us if the Department for Education have any plans to include this in the curriculum in the future.

Thank you for taking the time to read our letter.

Yours sincerely,

Year 2.