

Reusable Bottle



Bottled Water uses tons of fossil fuels, creates litter and hurts marine life.

Bottled water’s carbon footprint starts with the energy needed to make the plastic bottle. It continues with the carbon generated by trucks transporting the water to the bottling plants and then to the stores to be sold. *Think of all the energy required to bottle water that can be eliminated!!*

Some facts you may or may NOT know:

- 86% of water bottles do *NOT* get recycled... they become garbage.
- Burning bottles is toxic; buried bottles take up to 1000 YEARS to biodegrade. **YUCK!!**
- The amount of fossil fuels used to make plastic bottles each year is equal to the amount needed to fuel *100,000 cars per year*.
- Bottled water *costs more than gasoline* (\$8-10/gallon).

How reusing a bottle for water and filling it from the tap impacts global warming:

Since 30% of bottled water sold in stores is “repackaged” tap water anyway, why not cut out the middleman and save money and energy. **The typical American family of 4 buys about 100 bottles of water/month.** Can your family get down to ZERO? Switch to a reusable water bottle filled from the tap and **save 580 lbs of carbon!!**

Goal: Zero Plastic Bottles!

BUY Reusable stainless steel bottles on campus at a huge discount:

Date: Fri,10/31; Tues, 11/4; Thurs, 11/6; & Fri, 11/7
Time: 2:35
Place: In front of the school office
Sale Price: 3 oz - \$11.00, 20 oz - \$14.00

13 oz, 16 oz and 20 oz sizes. Lightweight Stainless Steel. BPA Free – No Leaching. Dishwasher Safe.



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