

# Litter@sea Cleanup Week 2019



From 21st to 28 September we are promoting cleanup events in our schools and/or communities.

## Read about the World Cleanup Day

<https://www.daysoftheyear.com/days/coastal-cleanup-day/>

<https://www.worldcleanupday.org/>

## AIMS

- Make Earth a better place to live.
- Raise awareness of as many people as we can.
- Celebrate the **Coastal Cleanup Day** (21st Sept 2019).
- Join people from different countries in one common purpose.

## **PARTICIPANTS**

- All members and friends of Litter@sea from the whole world
- Students of all ages
- Teachers
- Parents
- School staff
- Community members
- Anyone willing to participate! The more the merrier.

## **PLACE OF THE EVENTS**

- Schools
- Community
- Beaches

## **MATERIAL NEEDED**

- Garbage bags / disposals.
- Gloves (not necessary but maybe advisable).
- Brooms and dustpans (not absolutely necessary).



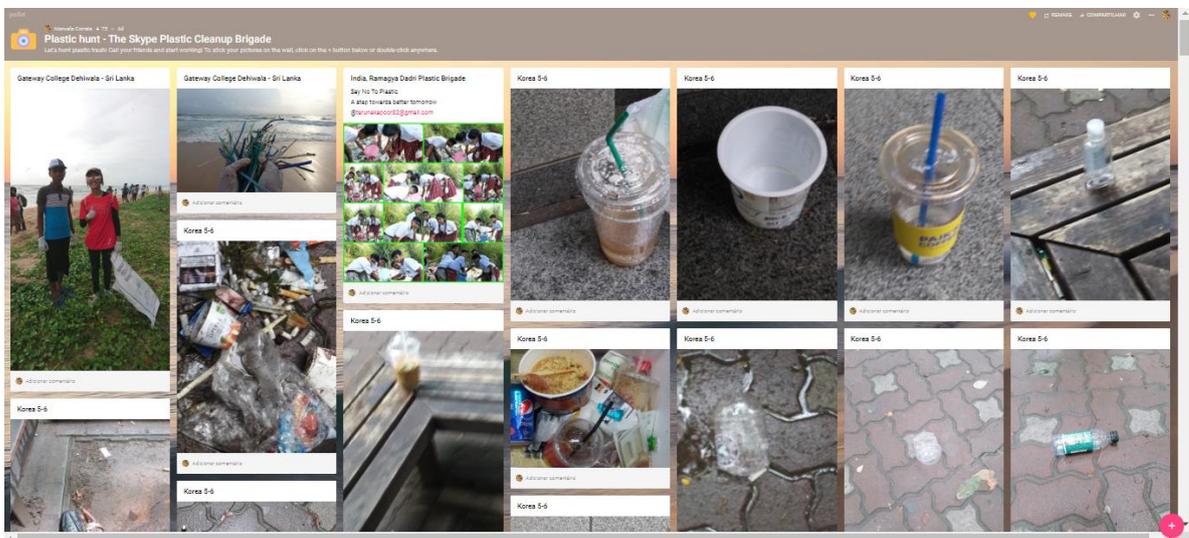
## ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION

The steps below are not compulsory. It's a proposal. All events can be organized in different ways. What is most important is that the event happens and awareness is raised.

## STEPS

- The event is advertised.
- People willing to participate sign up in their school.
- Participants are separated into groups and have to pick up the trash from one particular space.
- Participants take photos of the place before and after the intervention: how they found it and how they have left it after cleaning.
- Participants take photos of the different trash they find. (For example, drink cans, biscuits wraps, bottles... anything). These photos will be shared on a common worldwide Padlet.

<https://padlet.com/musicadc/plasticbrigade>



## POSSIBLE FOLLOW-UP OF THIS ACTIVITY

Teachers can use the information on the “Plastic Hunt” Padlet (<https://padlet.com/musicadc/plasticbrigade>) to compare realities.

- Students can write about their experience and share it (in a Padlet or a Flipgrid).
- Make an exhibition at school to sensibilize as many people as possible. Separate all the trash found and categorize it. ([See example](#))
- Organise regular events with different participants.
- Make posters raising awareness to be displayed.
- Create a Sway to showcase their work to be added to a global map.
- Share your activities on the BLASTIC+Litter@sea group on Facebook or on Twitter.
- Use the hashtag **#LitteraseaCleanup2019**.

