



**European Footprints:
Don't like it? Fix It!
Introduction to Sustainable Development Goals
Workshop for 13-18yo**

Proposed workshop

This workshop is aimed at young students who take part in youth organisations and who want to learn more about sustainability in the widest sense. It promotes understanding of the global Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), self-reflection and raising awareness on the importance of an environmentally and socially responsible lifestyle. The workshop aims to introduce, explain, and facilitate a critical examination of the 17 global Goals in an accessible and engaging way, using non-formal and informal educational tools.

Workshop outline

The workshop is aimed at young participants who want to learn more about:

- Sustainability and socially, economically, and environmentally responsible lifestyles (including the SDGs);
- How to apply the SDGs in daily life and how to promote them in their community.

The objectives of the workshop are:

- To pass on knowledge and information about sustainable lifestyles and SDGs using non-formal and informal educational methods;
- To inspire youth to become active citizens and take part in shaping the society around them;
- To share good practices on how to best communicate the SDGs;
- To teach participants communication and problem-solving skills and the basis of project design.

Format

- Duration: 1h-1h30min
- Environment: in person/online (according to current COVID-19 measures)
- Programme:
 - Welcome and warm up;
 - Introduction to SDGs and sustainability;
 - Example-based work: participants work in groups to design a small project for a fictional city or neighbourhood and have to implement what they learnt about the SDGs;
 - Presentations of project ideas and closing.
- Number of participants: 3-15
- Technical support: Some technical support may be requested to the host organisation (e.g. access to microphone and camera by the participants).

Context

European Footprints is a youth initiative based in Brussels, whose members come from all over Europe. We aim to raise awareness about the footprints we leave behind by sharing positive stories on sustainability. Participatory workshops are one of the activities carried out to raise awareness of sustainability and SDGs to young people in Belgium. The activity is funded under the European Solidarity Corps programme.

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