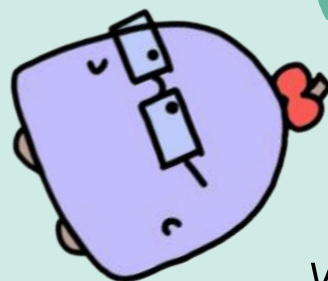


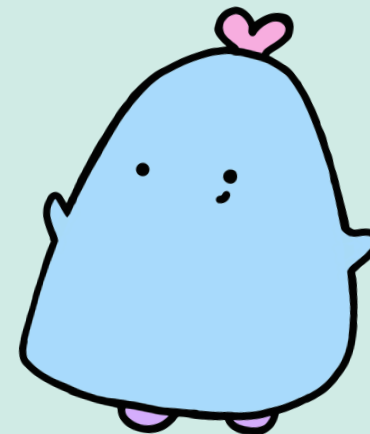
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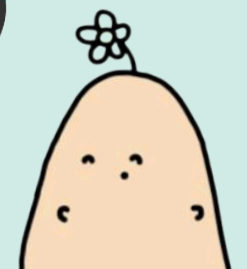
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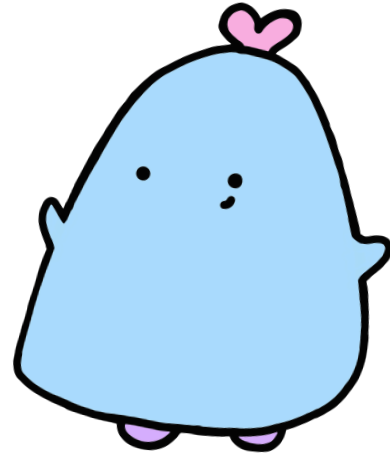


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Letter from the Author

My name is Sky Keyoung, and I am a high school student from Southern California.

In elementary school, I was fortunate to receive a comprehensive climate education, which has since made me realize its importance in my life. In 2022, I founded ClimateLitNow (www.climatelitnow.org) to promote climate literacy among young students through a curriculum, workshops, and other resources.

This book is designed to introduce common words used in climate conversations, encouraging literacy and vocabulary proficiency. After discussions with other students and conducting research, I selected 45 words to create a mini glossary of terms with definitions and connections to climate change. Definitions were sourced from the Oxford Dictionary, UNESCO, and other reliable references.

I hope this book serves as a strong first step toward climate literacy and inspires a future generation of young leaders.

Glossary of Terms

Awareness

Biodiversity

Carbon Capture

Carbon Footprint

Clean Water

Deforestation

Eco-Anxiety

Food

Fossil Fuels

Global Warming

Greenhouse Effect

Health Impacts

International Relations

Joint Action

Keystone Species

Kyoto Protocol

Lawmaking and Policies

Melting Glaciers

Methane

Mitigation

Natural Disasters

Nature-Based Solutions

Oceans

Oil Drilling

Ozone

Paris Agreement

Plastics

Quality of Air

Renewable Energy

Resilience

Sea-Level Rise

Sustainability

Sustainable

Development Goals

Tipping Point

Transportation (Electric Vehicles)

Vulnerability

Waste Management

X-Factor

Youth Activism

Zero Emissions

Meet **Mish** and Friends!

Sweet baby gumdrops and your new climate best friends.



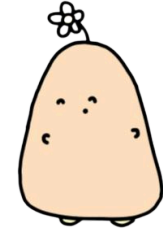
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Our cheerleader!



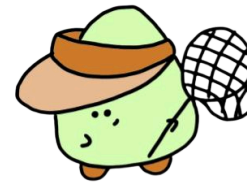
Oopsy

Clumsy and curious



Daisy

Happy and helpful



Pete

Nature guru



Mary

A kind mentor

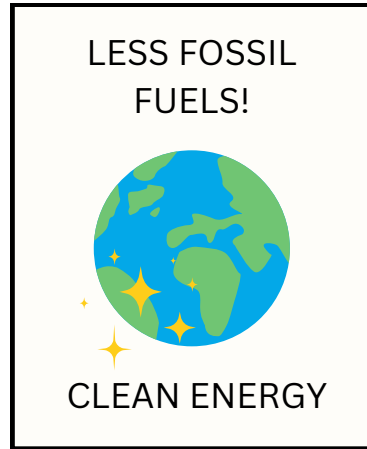


Newton

A genius

Awareness

Knowing about something, usually information or events.

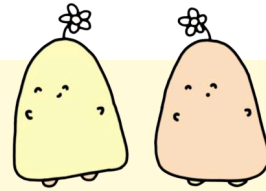


How can we help?

Talking to people like your friends and family about climate change can spread the word! The more people that know about climate change, the quicker we can solve the problem.

Who are some people that should know about climate change?
For example: Teachers, companies, and the President.

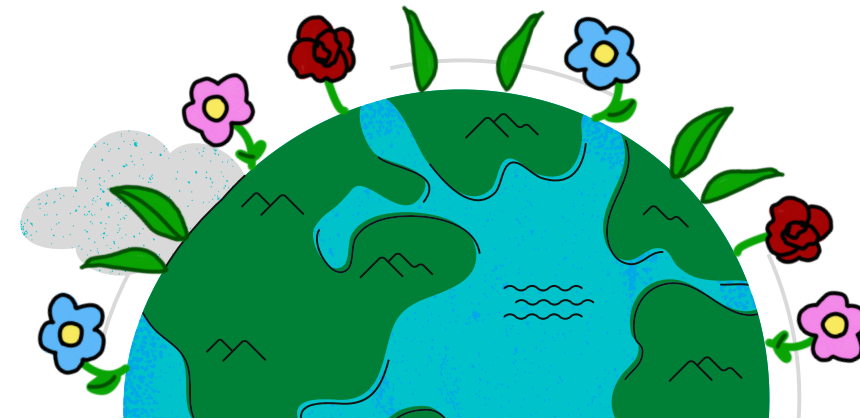
1. _____
2. _____
3. _____



By being aware of climate change, we can start taking care of our Earth by changing our lifestyles. We need to know about the problem in order to solve it!

Biodiversity

The different types of life that exist in a certain location.



Fast Facts!

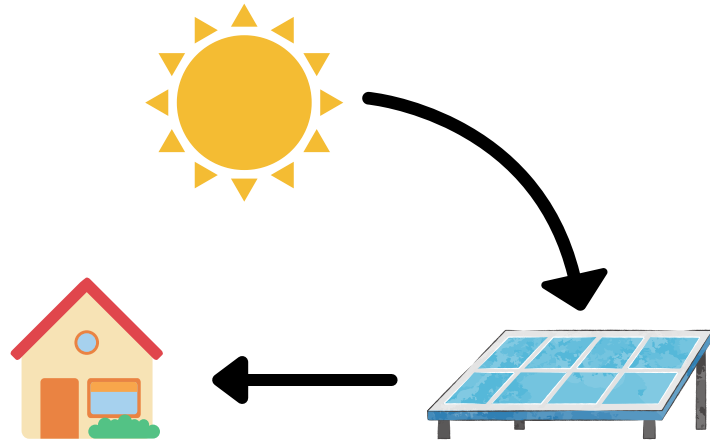
Because of climate change, over 3 billion animals have died or had to move to a different place.



More diversity means that there are more types of plants, animals, and bacteria! Because climate change makes many animals go extinct, there is less biodiversity, which is not good for our Earth.

Nature-Based Solutions

Using nature to solve environmental issues without having to create new technology.



Did you know?

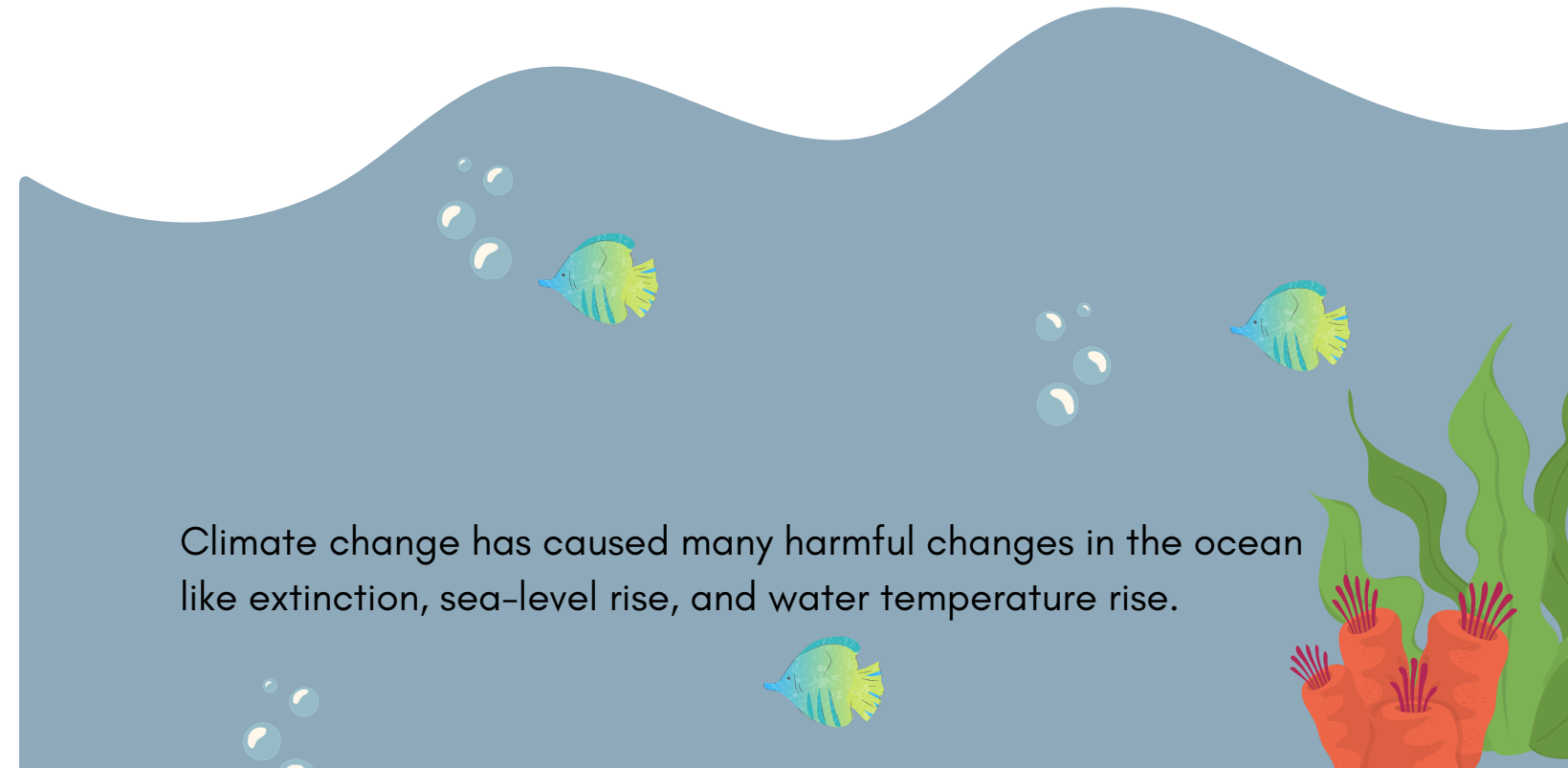
Nature-Based Solutions need to happen with lawmaking and policies to make the biggest impact on climate change!



People are planting more trees and moving species back to their original habitats to help with biodiversity.

Oceans

A body of water or sea.



Climate change has caused many harmful changes in the ocean like extinction, sea-level rise, and water temperature rise.

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