

**Please do not start actions or collect evidence until you
have registered your action plan.**

**Restrospective actions are not valid for the award
(see LiveSimply Guide & FAQ for more information)**

LiveSimply assessments for schools take place **online**.

Prior to an assessor being appointed, we ask you to send a PowerPoint to schools@cafod.org.uk to evidence the actions from your LiveSimply action plan

- ❖ **Re-read your action plan to ensure you include evidence for all the actions you listed, including the faith and learning elements.**
- ❖ One or two slides per action is fine (ideally no more than 30 slides in total).
- ❖ Include photos/videos, pupil voice, thank you letters/certificates, screenshots of newsletters/social media.
- ❖ Re your main actions, please ensure you also include evidence of how the wider community were involved in the action.
- ❖ You may wish to include feedback from others involved in your journey e.g. governors, parents, parishioners, parish priest, councillors, MPs etc
- ❖ We recommend the PowerPoint is produced so you can share it with your whole school and perhaps the wider community too.
- ❖ This is your opportunity to showcase all you have achieved.

The following slides are examples of how you may want to present your evidence.
Remember you need to cover all nine of your actions, not just three.

Our thanks to the schools who have consented to the use of their photos/evidence

Global action 1 – Main Living in Solidarity action

We will take part in the Big Lent Walk fundraising and raising awareness of CAFOD.



“Jesus said we should help the poor, so we can do this by raising money for charity.” Riley Y4

It is so important to help our global neighbours. Our whole school community acted and took part in the Big Lent Walk. The children were inspired from the first announcement of the Big Lent Walk, and the difference the money we raise can make to our neighbours around the world via the work of CAFOD. School governors and parents were invited to join our walk and local parishioners prayed for us.

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School @stelizcps · 27/03/2024

A big thank you to staff, children, parents and carers for supporting our Lent Fundraising for **Cafod**. We are so proud of you all for being so generous in supporting our global neighbours and for living out our Catholic Mission 'Live Love Learn' ❤️💙 @CAFODSchools #livesimply

THE BIG LENT WALK: SCHOOLS

Raised **£757** Target **£200**

Distance travelled **200 km** Target **200 km**

St Elizabeth's Fundraising Page

3 comments, 5 shares, 12 likes, 796 views



The children created posters to promote the walk and to highlight why we are walking.

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School @stelizcps · 07/02/2024

Today, we welcomed Dymyna from CAFOD to introduce this year's Big Lent Walk @CAFODSchools #livesimply

The whole school will be participating in The Big Lent Walk on Tuesday, 19th March ❤️💙

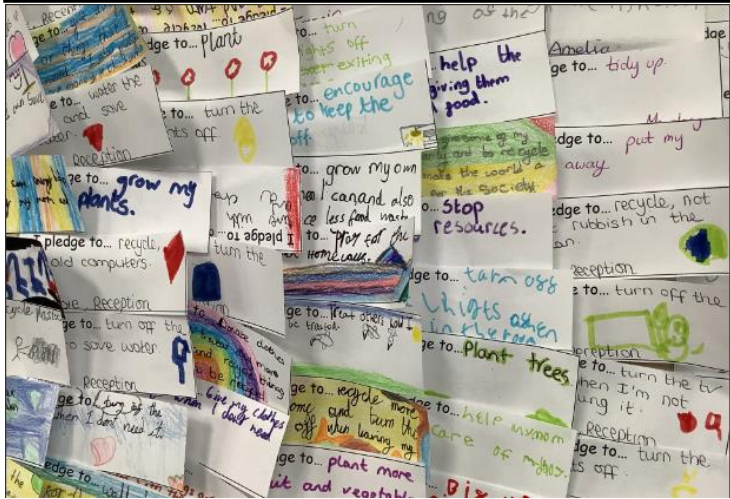
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School action 1 – Main living simply action

Pupils and staff will each write a LiveSimply pledge, and we will create a display



We watched the LiveSimply animations and then the children and staff wrote pledges to show how they are going to 'LiveSimply' and join with others to make our world a better place just as Jesus and Pope Francis wants us to. The pledges have been displayed on our St. Francis 'pledgehog' under The Ark as an important reminder to everyone



As a main action how did we involve the wider community?

“We told our families and local parishioners what we were doing and asked them to write their own pledge too”

“I pledged to ensure the lights are turned off when not needed. I have started to do this in our class and at home.”
Year 4 pupil

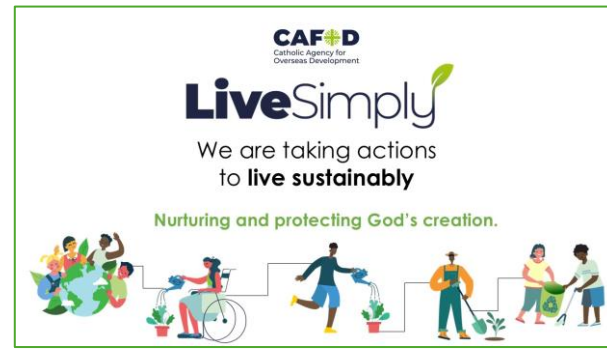
“I learnt it is important to live more simply so we can look after God’s planet and all of the people on it. We don’t need all the stuff we have, as some people have nothing.”
Year 4 pupil

School action 3 – Living sustainably

We will use our school grounds to live more sustainably

Inspired by Catholic Social Teaching – Stewardship and scripture...

Matthew 25:35 “For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me a drink”



Pupil Voice

“On World food day everyone in the school planted seeds. We nurtured them until they were ready to be harvested. We grew food items such as onions & tomatoes which have been used in our school kitchen and we have also shared some with our families.”

CAFOD CLUB



What did we learn?

In addition to learning how to grow some herbs, vegetables and flowers, we learnt that growing our own food is one way we can be more sustainable. Lots of shop bought food travels many miles before it reaches our plate and this has an adverse affect on the environment, our common home, which God has entrusted us to look after. We also grew bee friendly flowers to help the bees and insects who help pollinate plants.

