



TOOL

Climate Justice



Title : Climate Justice

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Topics : Climate change

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Description

It is mostly common to talk about climate change in relation to changes in natural processes and how they can bring losses to natural diversity and the economy. Less discussed is a CLIMATE JUSTICE concept, or the fact that some groups of people affect more or suffer more from climate change. Thus, the effects of climate change are not equally applied to even entire races, genders, and different strata of material wealth. This material contains programs and methodologies for two lessons on climate justice, including a video lecture and additional activities to further explore this topic.

Duration

2 lessons (40+40 minutes)

Resources needed

To use the materials we need:

- Computer
- Internet connection

Age

Middle School: 10 to 14 years old
High School: 14 to 19 years old

Relevance to CRISEPAC Objectives

The resource is relevant to the CRISEPAC objectives, because it gives more information about the climate justice concept, and gives some prepared tools for teachers.

Expected outcomes

This material helps both children and teachers to understand:

- The concept of climate justice;
- How to make an ecological footprint test;
- Discuss and look for possible solutions.

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Management

This tool is easy to use. Material is prepared for two lessons. Materials include extra info and links where teachers' content can adapt to different ages or subject areas. Materials include individual work, video watching, questions, discussions in groups, solutions presentations.

Risk prevention

Insight into the causes of climate change, issues of climate justice are discussed, as well as indications of possible solutions are provided.

Others

Weaknesses

- Can be more adaptable for elderly students;
- Materials are available in Latvian only.

Strengths

Prepared full two lessons material including different methodologies.

Possible adaptations

Very possible for adaptations course material include different extra links and topics.

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Our daily actions and choices, such as energy consumption, transportation methods, waste production, and dietary habits, are connected to climate change because they contribute to greenhouse gas emissions, resource depletion, and environmental degradation, ultimately influencing the health of our planet and its climate systems.

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Methodologies

These lessons can be perfectly integrated into such subjects as Social Sciences, Geography, Ethics, and Biology. However, adapting a lesson is up to teachers! Methodology of two lessons includes - individual work, video material, questions, discussions, different links and materials that teachers can freely choose for their work in a class.

Additional source - a lecture in latvian "Climate justice": www.youtube.com/watch?v=KQX53SXYm18

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