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### HERE IS YOUR GROUP CHALLENGE:

You are part of a sustainability team who is going to find a solution for textile waste.

- Work with your group members to develop a plan for an eco-friendly plan to deal with used clothing. Lay it out in a stepwise manner.
- Keep in mind that you will need to consider the effects on manufacturers, retailers, consumers, and investors, AS WELL AS the environment!
- Whose help will you enlist to execute your plan?
- How will you get your message out to the world?

One of you should be a scribe (secretary) and keep minutes, as well as compile links.

Do some research. You should all contribute one link to support your plan.

### PLAN:

-We will set up a company that specializes in recycling and reusing these discarded clothes and pants, and then design and DIY them into other unique items.

- Wipes or shredded used to make low-grade fiber products such as insulating materials.

-Use old clothes to make daily necessities.



- DIY by our company such as:
- Using an old t-shirt to make a blanket.
- Shirt Coin Purse Make a small coin purse or wallet using an old shirt.



-Denim Fabric Purse Not your average handbag, use old jeans and an old shirt to create this purse.

- Make a class to teach how to prepare or make new items, and we will provide fabrics for those who do not have enough old clothes to make new items.

Investors: all clothing stores (such as H&M, UNIQLO, Levi's, Nike, Adidas, ZARA, and so on)

Whose help will you enlist to execute your plan?

- Influencers
- People who protect the environment

How will you get your message out to the world?

- Post our program on social media (such as Tik Tok, Instagram, Facebook, and so on)
- Partnering with influencers, such as Tik Tok vloggers.

OBSTACLES:

- Spend a lot of time doing DIY.
- Think about how to design.

REFERENCES:

<https://www.grownyc.org/clothing>

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