Welcome to our Erasmus meeting with the topic: Sustainability at our schools

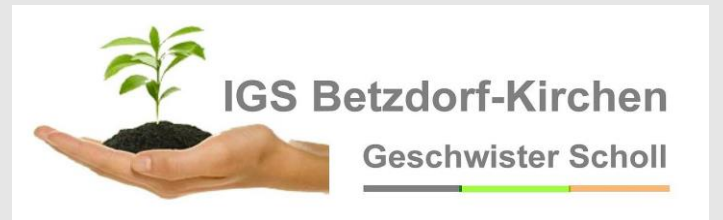# Sustainability at the IGS Betzdorf-Kirchen

Our Erasmus Group

Environmental problems on our school grounds (Kirchen)

Heating:

The heating is still turned on after school and the windows are opened.
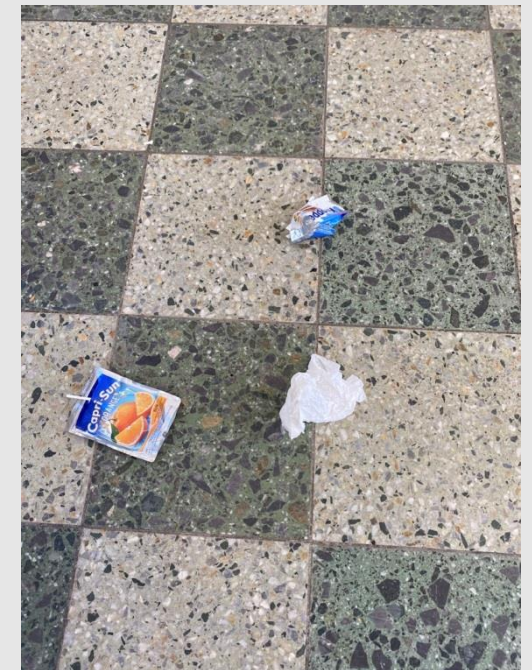
Solution: We should turn off the heating after school.

Environmental problems on our school grounds (Kirchen)

Rubbish:

The buildings and playgrounds are littered with trash, even though we have trash cans.
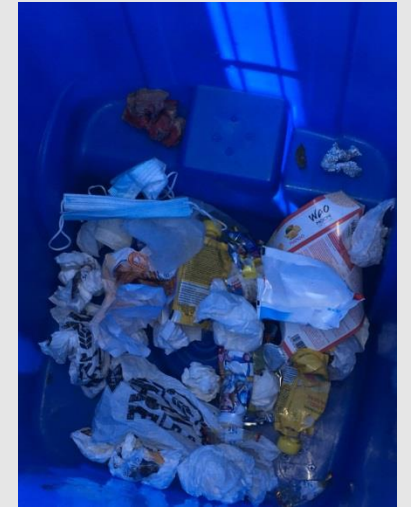
Solution: We should use the trash cans instead.

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One trash can for everything:

The big trash cans that should be used to separate the trash contain a mix of different kind of trash.

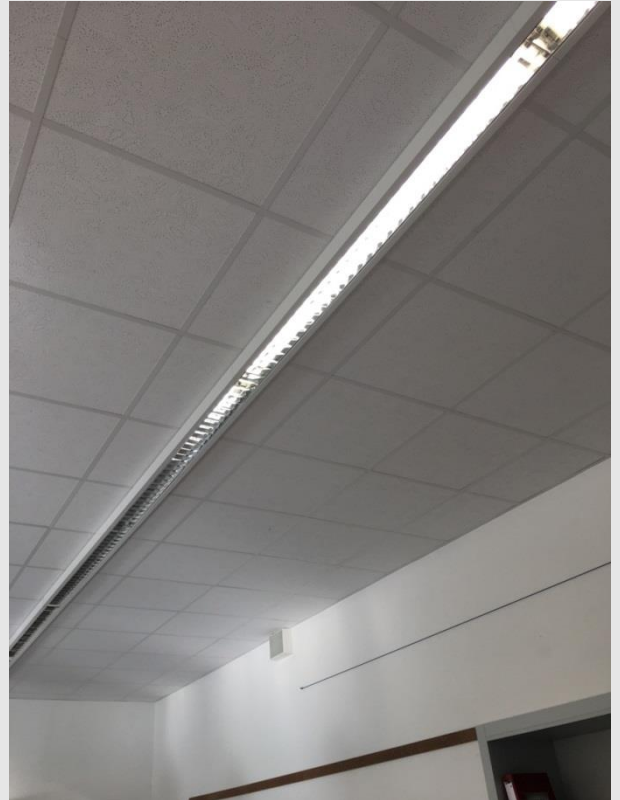Solution: We should use the cans to separate the trash correctly.

Environmental problems on our school grounds (Kirchen)

Lights on for too long:

Lights are on for two minutes.

Solution: The lights should be on for one minute.

What do we do for sustainability on the school grounds in Kirchen?

It is good that we have a cleaning service operated by the students of every grade so the school grounds stay clean.

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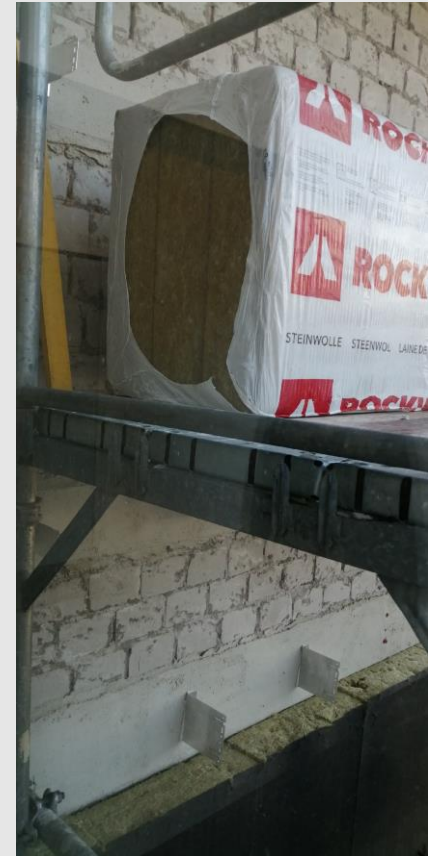
Some Green Facilities on the schoolyard.

What do we do for sustainability on the school grounds in Kirchen?

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Solar panel on the roof top.

New facade insulation.

Environmental problems on the school grounds (Betzdorf)

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Damaged windows:

Problem: damaged seals on the windows

Solution: Easy replacement of the seals, which costs neither much effort nor money.

Environmental problems on the school grounds (Betzdorf)

Lack of waste separation:

Problems: Lack of possibility for waste separation

→just one trash can for each type of trash

Solution: Better and more ways to separate waste

Environmental problems on the school grounds (Betzdorf)

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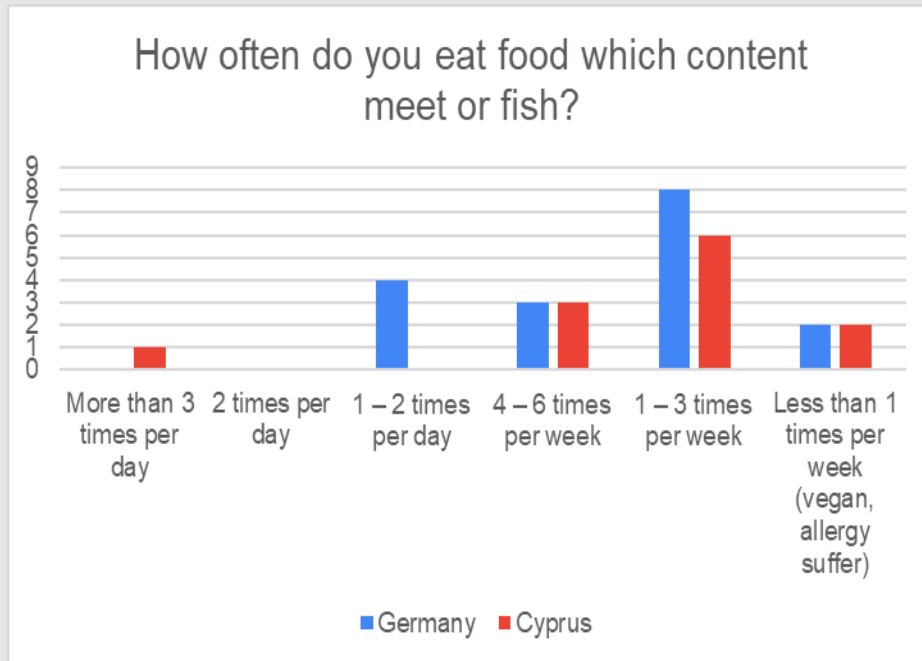**Lack of use of available space:**

Problem: No use of available space

Solution: Planting of green areas

→ raised beds, insect hotels or other plants
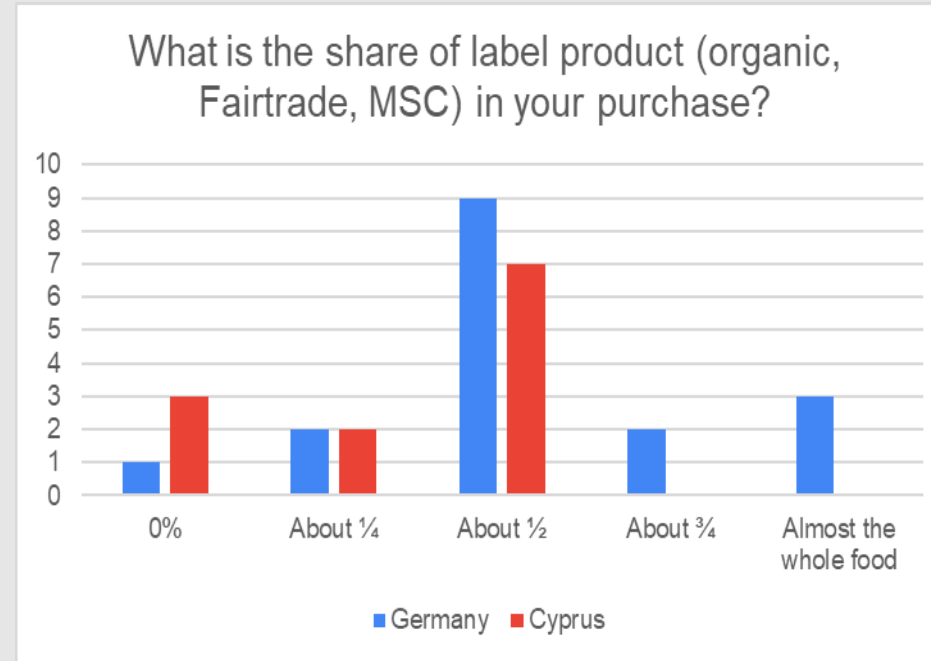
The foodprint calculator
→ Comparison between Germany and Cyprus

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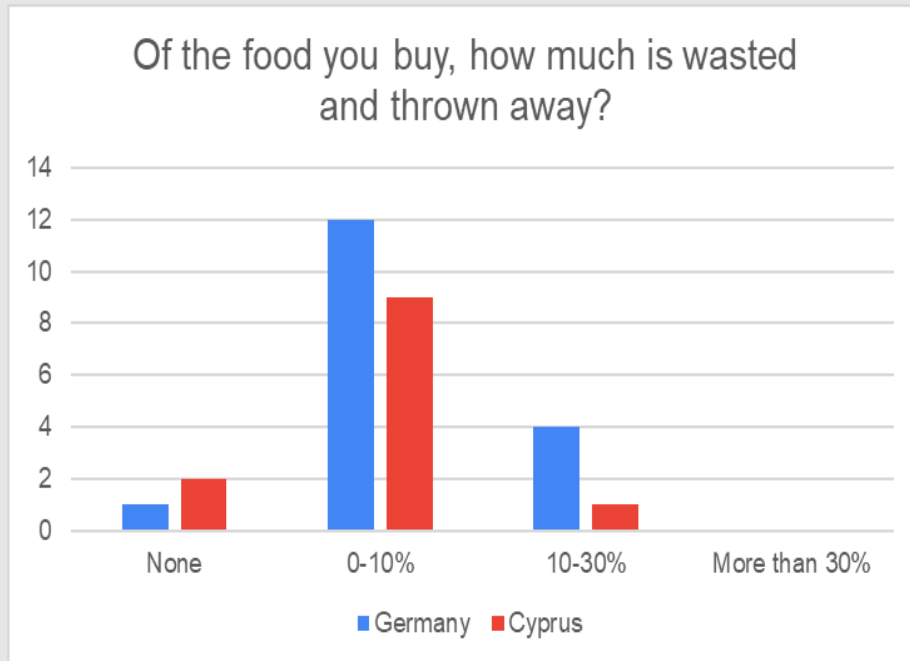

How often do you eat food which content meet or fish?

Categories: More than 3 times per day; 2 times per day; 1 – 2 times per day; 4 – 6 times per week; 1 – 3 times per week; Less than 1 times per week (vegan, allergy suffer)

Legend: Germany, Cyprus

Mean values:
Germany: 0,20
Cyprus: 0,22

What is the share of label product (organic, Fairtrade, MSC) in your purchase?

Categories: 0%; About ¼; About ½; About ¾; Almost the whole food

Legend: Germany, Cyprus

Mean values:
Germany: -0,05
Cyprus: -0,03

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Of the food you buy, how much is wasted and thrown away?

■ Germany ■ Cyprus

How often do you buy locally and seasonal produced food?

Few | About ¼ | About ½ | About ¾ | Almost the whole food I buy is seasonal locally sourced

■ Germany ■ Cyprus

Mean values:
Germany: -0,10
Cyprus: -0,11
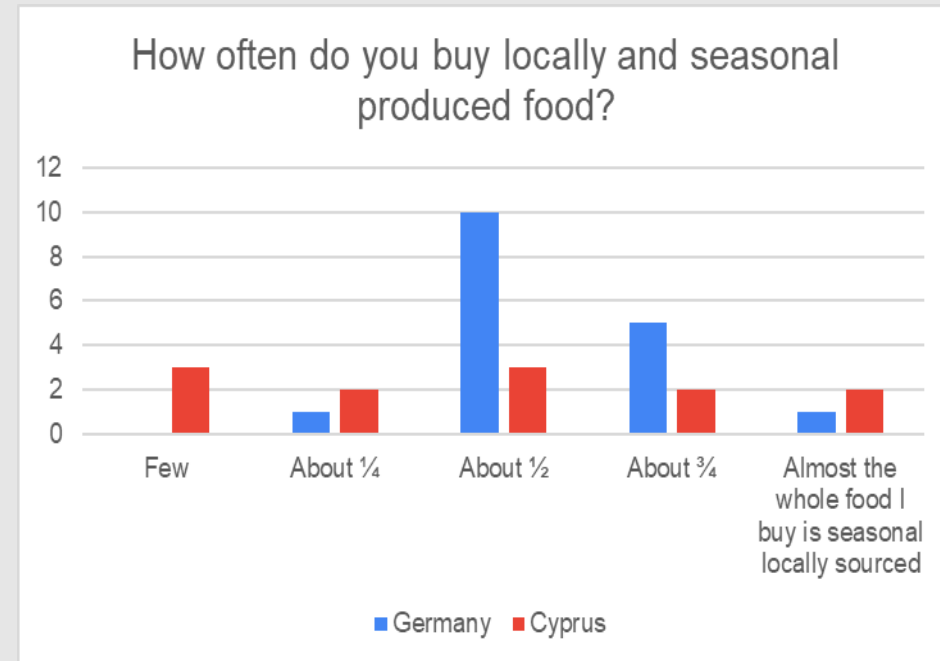
Mean values:
Germany: 0,27
Cyprus: 0,35

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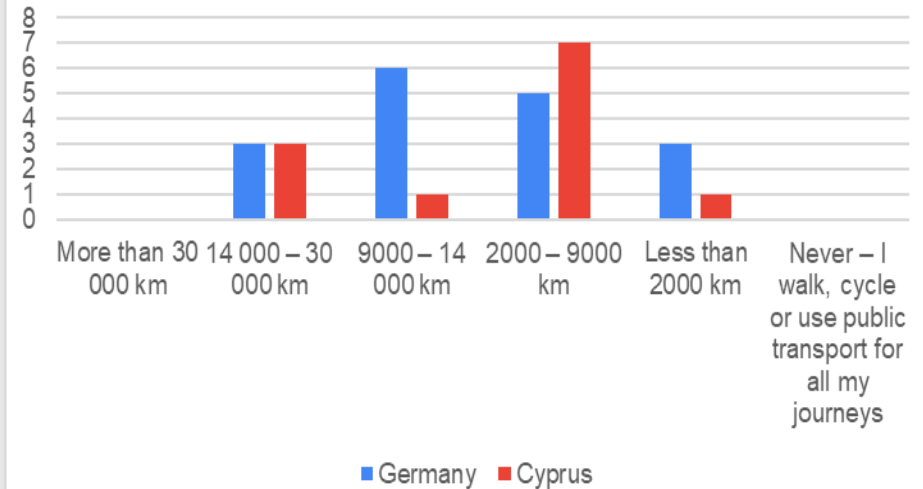

How often do you drink or eat milk and milk product like yoghurt, cheese, butter or cream
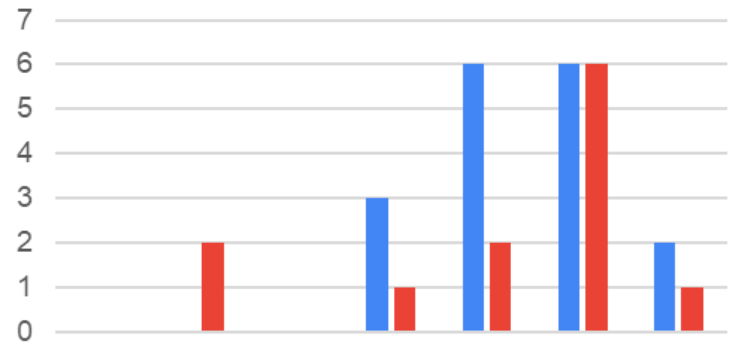
■ Germany ■ Cyprus

How many kilometers per year do you travel by car or motorbike as driver or passenger?

■ Germany ■ Cyprus

Mean values:
Germany: 0,09
Cyprus: 0,15

Mean values:
Germany: 1,80
Cyprus: 1,69