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Waste and recycling

W: Today we'll talk about waste and recycling. Do any of you have some facts to share with the class?

Sarah: Yes! I know that the British are the worst in the world for waste, throwing out more than thirty percent of the food they buy and grow each year. It is estimated that the wasted food in Britain is worth between eight billion pounds and sixteen billion pounds a year.

W: Thank you for these figures Sarah. It's true, actually some seventeen million tonnes of food is sent to British landfill sites each year.

Sarah: That's scary but not surprising, knowing that thousands of London offices dump millions of plastic cups every year. However, some are now being turned into pencils, and awareness is rising about recycling.

W: Well, this is a first step in a throw-away society, but one of the important things about recycled products is that there is no point in making them unless people buy them. What would be according to you, a good way to encourage people recycling?

Sarah: A school is a very easy place to make people more aware of recycling because the pupils take that message home.

W: Exactly Sarah. So are you guys prepared to declare war on waste to save the world?



GLOSSARY:

Waste and recycling	Pencils
To share	A first step
To throw out	A throw-away society
To grow	Recycled products
To be worth	A good way
To dump	A school
To turn into	The pupils
To rise	Guys
To encourage	War
To take	Actually
To declare	However
To save	There is no point
Facts	Unless
The class	According to you
The British	
The worst in the world	
The food	
The wasted food	
Eight billion pounds	
Figures	
Tonnes	
Landfill sites	
Offices	
Plastic cups	



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