

Lesson Plan

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Saying Goodbye to Polystyrene

Objective

Students will conduct research on the detrimental effect of styrofoam (polystyrene) on our health, its negative environmental impact, the reduction and elimination of this material and the recycling and disposal of styrofoam.

Students will present their findings in group presentations which the instructor will evaluate based on their research, presentation and language skills.

Procedure

The instructor will introduce the topic by presenting two video clips from YouTube ([Saying Goodbye to Styrofoam & Stop Heating Styrofoam](#)).

The instructor will then divide the class into four groups.

The first group will conduct research on the harmful effects of styrofoam on our health.

The second group will find information on the detrimental effects this material poses on the environment.

The third group will access information on how to eliminate or reduce the use of styrofoam.

The fourth group will find information on how to correctly and safely dispose of styrofoam and how to recycle it.

Each group will present their findings. Power point presentations or video clips must be used.

After each presentation, the instructor will engage the entire class in a discussion.