



Don't Waste the Waste!

 **Step:** Four - Look for solutions!
Five - Act!

 **Time:** 110 min (20 min for part 1 and 90 min for part 2)

 **Space and materials:**

- Cans, paper boxes, metal boxes and other recyclable materials;
- Glue, nails, hammers, scissors;
- Creative ideas gathered from various media sources (pictures, articles, Youtube videos).

 **Description of the tool**

Participants will be asked to come up with new ways of processing and reusing waste. Afterwards, they will create their own crafts out of used and recyclable materials collected by the participants in the previous activities.

1. During the first part of the activity, divide the participants into 3 smaller subgroups. Each subgroup will receive several items (such as non-functioning keyboards, bottle caps, plastic bottles, glass bottles, old newspapers, mattress's springs, cables).

*The **first group** will receive the task to imagine that they are engineers and come up with as many ways as possible of processing and reusing given items.*

*The **second group** will receive the task to imagine that they are artists and designers and devise as many ways as possible of processing and reusing given items.*

*The **third group** will receive the task to imagine that they are shipwrecked on a deserted island and create their new living environment using given items.*

2. In the second part of the activity, participants will individually or in subgroups create any object using waste previously collected by them.