

# CIRCULAR ECONOMY QUIZ!

Are you and your family up to speed on what the circular economy means?  
And are you doing your bit? Find out in our quick quiz!

1. Your school shoes are getting worn out. What do you do with them?

- a) Take them to a cobbler for new soles and give them a polish.
- b) Put them in a clothes recycling bin.
- c) Bin them immediately and get a brand-new pair.



2. You've grown out of your favourite toy. What do you do with it?

- a) Clean it and give it to a charity shop or friend.
- b) Leave it in the back of your cupboard and forget about it.
- c) No one else will want it – chuck!

3. Which of the following best describes your gift wrapping?

- a) I wrap homemade gifts in newspaper or magazines, or reusable scarfs.
- b) I use recycled wrapping paper or brown paper.
- c) I wrap everything in glittery new paper and ribbon.

4. You were really thirsty so bought a bottle of water. What's the best thing to do with it after?

- a) Reuse it, or make something new with it, like a mini-greenhouse. Then when that's finished, recycle it.
- b) Recycle it.
- c) Throw it away.



5. Which of these is the best example of circular economy in action in the home?

- a) Making a quilt from old clothes.
- b) Reusing a plastic bag as a bin liner.
- c) Throwing things away when you can no longer use them.



6. Your alarm clock isn't working. What do you do with it?

- a) Ask someone to help you fix it.
- b) Check [recyclenow.com](https://www.recyclenow.com) to find the best way to dispose of it.
- c) Straight in the trash with it.



7. You need a new jumper – your last one has a hole in it. What do you do?

- a) Sew up the hole or make a patch for it.
- b) As it's too damaged for the charity shop, take it to a clothing bank so the fabric can be recycled. Then buy a secondhand one.
- c) Buy a brand-new one.



## RESULTS!

### Mostly As HERO OF ZERO WASTE!

Zero waste means **full marks!** You get as much use out of your items as possible – now the world just needs to catch up.



### Mostly Bs TIDY WORK!

You're making a tidy effort! You're a **top recycler** and the **charity shops** love you. But you may be able to get even more use from your old items!



### Mostly Cs TOTAL BIN-BO

Uh-oh – you just love to **chuck your muck!** Before you buy any more things, take a moment to **appreciate what you've already got** and think how it could be **re-used**.

