- 1. In our group, through the video guides and the corresponding tests to be carried out, we became aware of very interesting new information on circular energy, which has led to growth in the field of eco-sustainability. Furthermore, thanks to these activities, we were able to improve our level of English and we learned new words. We are happy to have taken part in this project because it is very educational, and it deals with interesting topics, which we do not explore during school hours, and also important in everyday life.
- 2. One of the topics that interested us most is eco-design, which together with the circular economy are the two essential elements of a sustainable economic model. Ecodesign is currently an underestimated topic; man consumes a large amount of materials and substances not present in nature that generate heat dissipation, toxic and CO₂ emissions (carbon dioxide). The importance of eco-design lies precisely in the use of renewable resources, i.e. those present in nature. Recyclable materials are obtained from their use. This is the topic that touched us the most because it is also due to the use of non-renewable materials that we are going through a serious period of environmental crisis. Understanding these things is essential in order to change the future of the environment.
- 3. Some tips we can give to improve the environment in the case of Ecodesign are for example:
 - In the design of a product made with recycled materials, the subsequent recyclability must also be taken into consideration to favor the extension of its life cycle and where it was not technically and economically possible.
 - Each product has an impact on the environment, to create truly sustainable products it is essential to evaluate the most suitable environmental solution. For a choice with zero or almost zero impact, start with the examination of the product life cycle, adopt a systematic approach to analyzing the integrated system.

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