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Champions for Change in the Early Years Sustainability Checklist – Extinction



| Item | In use now? Yes/Don't know/ Not measured | Use Instead | Done? |
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| Toxic bug spray and weed killers | | Grow organic fruit & veg on site | |
| Damage to habitat | | Grow flowers for bees, butterflies etc., bug hotel | |
| | | Respect and care for nursery pets | |
| Play surface | | Can you replace plastic grass with natural surface such as bark, sand, stones Wildflower area | |
| Local wildlife | | Learn about local wildlife such as birds – bird feeders, bird water stations, hedgehogs – hibernation cabin, lizards | |
| Lack of knowledge | | Reading and telling stories, about sustainability – plastic pollution, recycling | |
| | | Activities – sand, water, clay, mud. | |
| | | Learn more about local flora and fauna | |
| | | Support charities/NFPs that actively protect the environment or research (Not bracelet sellers!) Build relationship with local wildlife charities | |