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### Plastic Bags Pollution

On the 24th June at the 5ème's IDD Class, Gabriel Tseng, a student from the Alice Smith School and Ambassador of « Kids for Earth Asia » presented in class regarding the pollution problems due to excessive usage of plastic bags. Thanks to his animating presentation, we were able to follow the trails of his friend, Billy the plastic bag and we tried to find solutions to reduce pollution. At the end, while answering his quiz, some students were rewarded a biodegradable bag offered by our dear young Ambassador. A good lesson of courage and thanks to you!

The two classes of 5ème.

To view his presentation, log on to [www.kidsforasia.com](http://www.kidsforasia.com)

One of our Winners



### **The Solutions:**

Use biodegradable or reusable grocery bags while doing grocery shopping.

Do selective sorting and throw all plastic materials in the recyclable bin.

Avoid buying products with plastic packaging.

Avoid producing products with plastic packaging.

### **Quiz:**

1. What is the average life span of a plastic bag?

Answer: 1/4 hour.

2. How many plastic bags are thrown each year?

Answer: 1 billion.

3. What are the three animal species that are in danger due to plastic bags?

Answer: Turtles, Dolphins, and other animals of course...

4. What becomes of Billy when he starts to disintegrate?

Answer: He becomes a persistent organic pollutant.

5. Where is Billy's preferred place to go 'swimming'?

Answer: The Great Pacific Garbage Dump.



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