



GRETA THUNBERG'S SPEECH AT U.N.O. CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE IN KATOWICE, POLAND, DECEMBER 2018

You are going to hear a speech from a climate activist at a United Nations Climate Change Conference. Listen to the audio and answer the following questions. Youtube video source : [Greta Thunberg's speech at cop24 Poland December 2018](#)

1. Fill in the table

Name	Age	Nationality

On behalf of which NGO is Greta Thunberg speaking?

- a) Climate Change Now b) Stop Climate Now
c) Climate Justice Now

Greta has learned that you're never to _____ to make a difference

- a) smart b) smilev c) small

To make a difference, you must do certain things, what are they? (name 2)

According to Greta, what are politicians doing?

Why does Greta say " You are not mature enough to tell like it is" ?

What does Greta see as the only sensible thing to do regarding our impact on the environment?

- a) to invest in emergency technology
b) to pull the emergency brake
c) to take a break before the emergency starts

What are politicians scared of, in her opinion?

- a) of being unpopular
b) of losing their next election
c) of being judged guilty for inaction

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b) because we need it for the development of our luxury industry
c) so that rich people in the western world can live in luxury

In her speech, Greta says that today's parents steal from their children in front of their eyes. What is it they are stealing ?

- a) their nature b) their future c) their food

What makes solving a crisis impossible ?

- a) treating it as a crisis b) lack of economic resources
c) public criticism

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According to Greta, how can we start to solve the issue?

Following Thunberg, if it so difficult to find solutions within the system, what should we maybe change?

- a) the planet b) the politicians c) the system

According to Greta's speech, to whom belongs the real power?

- a) the banking sector b) the people b) to politicians

Why is Greta speaking?

- a) to beg world leaders to care b) to issue a warning
c) to represent Sweden

How would you describe Greta?
