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Activity 2

Read the Annex 1. Use the appropriate form of the verbs in the box to complete the infographic.

- to send	- to choose	- to bike	- to volunteer	- to shop	- to conserve
- to plant	- to educate	- to drive			



1	4	7
2	5	8
3	6	9

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Activity 3

Read the text and answer the following questions.

Creative ways you can protect the environment

Why should we protect the environment? Well, we only have one Earth

1. Consume less.

Curbing consumption can have a huge impact on the environment. The three "R's"—reduce, reuse and recycle— get a lot of attention, but the planet could benefit from some focus on the most important and most underrepresented "R": refuse.

When you refuse, you say "no," which is not always easy. Freebies at events, cheap goods on clearance, the hot new children's toys or the latest gadgets that promise to make your life better—none of these are essential.

2. Compost your food waste

Another "R" that doesn't get much attention but has important environmental implications is "rot." Let your food and yard waste rot naturally in the soil instead of sending it to the landfill. In other words: compost.

Composting your food scraps and yard waste offers double rewards: it keeps an incredible amount of trash out of the waste stream, and it produces free, rich soil to use in your garden.

3. Choose reusable over single-use

Think about how many people you see each day drinking beverages from disposable cups or disposable bottles, sipping from disposable straws, carrying disposable grocery bags, eating from disposable plates or containers and using disposable utensils. All that single-use plastic has to go somewhere, and it's had a devastating effect on our soil, oceans and marine life.

Adapted from https://www.greenmountainenergy.com/why-renewable-energy/protect-the-environment

1. Which word between lines 3 and 4 is the closest in meaning to "reject"?

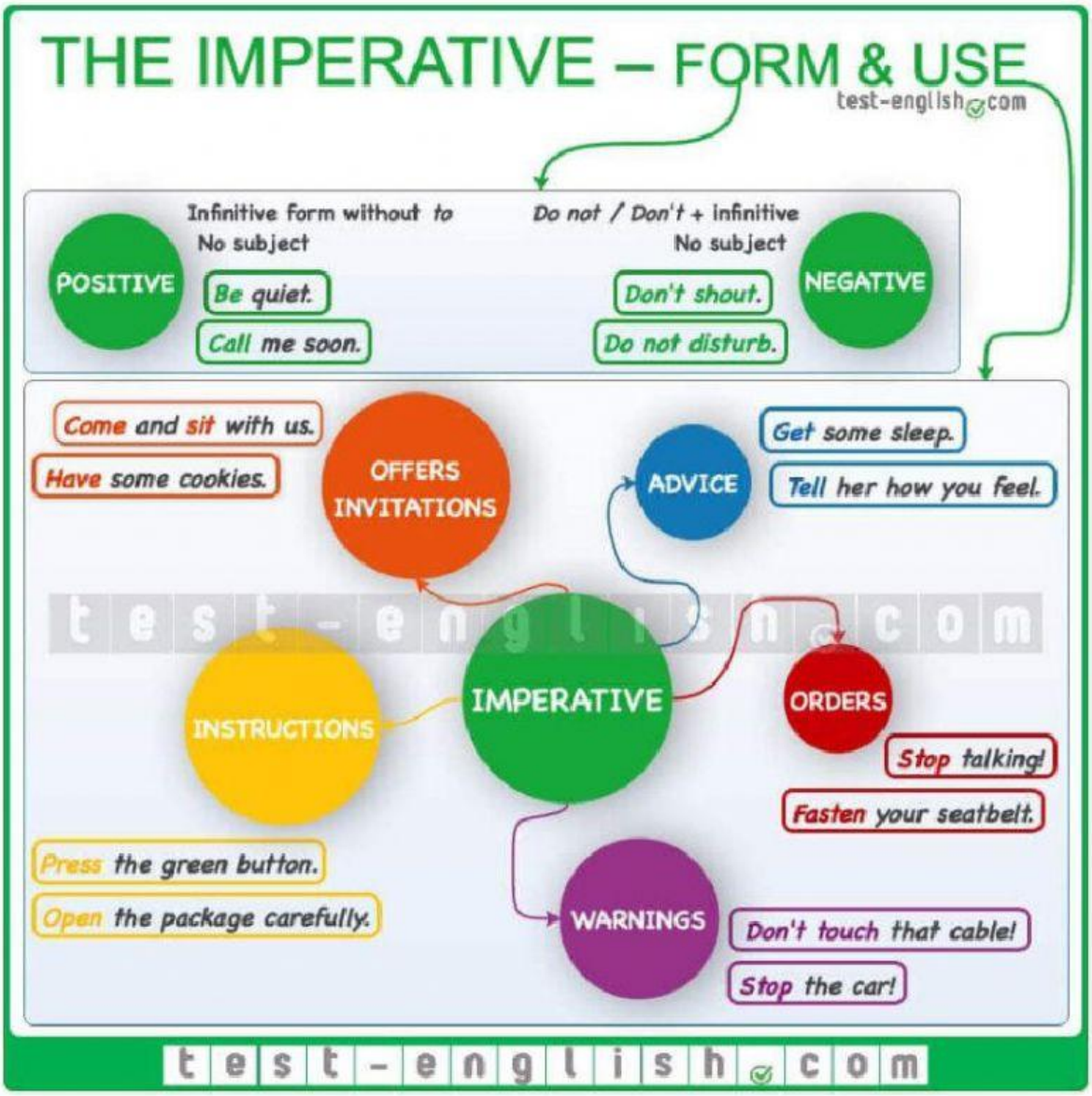
2. Which word between lines 15 and 18 is the closest in meaning to "throwaway"?

3. Choose the three statements that are true according to the text

- [ ] A. The three "R's" need to get more attention.
- [ ] B. It is always easy to say no.
- [ ] C. Most of the latest gadgets are not essential for your life.
- [ ] D. It is a good idea that your food waste rots naturally.
- [ ] E. Composting doesn't help to keep trash out of the waste stream.
- [ ] F. Single-use plastic is very harmful for our soil and oceans.

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