

Did you know.. One reusable bag can eliminate the use of 1000 plastic bags over it's lifetime?!



Your very own reusable bag!

**Decorate**

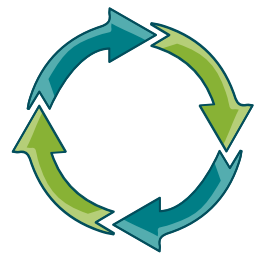
# Looking for materials for your next project?

Visit **SCRAP PDX** at 1736 SW Alder Street for cheap, reclaimed materials!



**Trash For Peace**

## Little Book of Reuse



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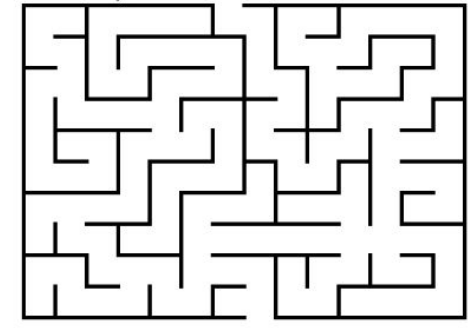
Making new clothing takes lots of WATER and ENERGY and creates pollution!  
 What are other ways you get clothing without buying it NEW?



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## Don't Throw it Out

Give your used backpack to a neighbor or friend isntead!



The materials we throw away take a **LONG TIME** to decompose

Match these items with how long it takes them to break down

- 3-4 weeks
- 1 million years
- 200 years



When something decomposes, it breaks down into smaller parts that eventually go back into the earth

**FIND**

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N	P	I	W	X	C	B
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Reuse - Creative - Repair  
 Upcycle - Use again - Repair

We can make something last longer by REUSING IT

What else can I do with....



A paper bag?



A glass jar?



A cardboard box?



## Looking for activities to do while at home?

We've got you covered. Visit [trashforpeace.org](https://trashforpeace.org)

### Folding Instructions:

1. Print out the document
2. Fold in half
3. Cut a slit along the folded line in the middle, about 2 inches long
4. Fold the sheet into 8ths, so each picture has its own page
5. Push the booklet together so it looks like an "X" in the middle where the slit is, then crease the folds well (the "Have questions about recycling" page should be the last one)
6. Enjoy your little booklet!

