

STOPWASTE

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May the 4Rs Be With You Contest 2021

**My 4Rs:** Reuse, Recycle, Rethink, Reduce



## My (Re)Generation Action Story:

I chose Reuse as my first R because I think if all 7 billion people in the world reuse just a little bit every day, we can all save 2,555,000,000,000 items from going into the landfill which will save water from getting polluted.

Recycle is my 2nd R because recycling can create many new items and prevent trash from going into the landfill. Recycling is another way to stop water from getting polluted.

## Kathleen's Story Continued:

I used Rethink as my 3rd R because we all usually just throw things in the trash can instead of thinking if we NEED to throw it away. We should all rethink if we could reuse, or recycle the item. If not, then you should throw the item away.

I chose Reduce as my last R because we need to reduce the items we throw away. We can do that by recycling and reusing items that are cardboard, plastic, and glass. Also rethinking if we NEED to throw the item away. When we do all these things, less trash will pile up, and more nature will be saved.