

# Help Fight Plastic Pollution One Straw At A Time

Two GA youth are asking schools around the world to join in their global OneLessStraw Pledge Campaign.

Olivia (14) and her brother Carter (16) recently launched a global [OneLessStraw Pledge](#) initiative in an effort to get people around the world to pledge to go straw-less for 30-days and here are just a few reasons why:

- Did you know that in America alone we are using an estimated 500-million single use plastic straws every single day?
- Did you know that plastic straws are not being recycled because they are too small and actually clog the sorting machines at recycle centers? That means that 100% of the 500-millions straws used everyday in America end up in our environment and waterways where they can harm animals.

When Olivia and Carter saw the [video of a sea turtle with a plastic straw stuck up its nose](#), they knew they had to do something so they created a campaign that targets the individual user, schools so they could share their information with their peers around the world and restaurants which hand out a large percentage of the straws we find in our environment everyday.



Now Olivia and Carter need your help, they are asking schools all over the country to consider participating in their [OneLessStraw Pledge Campaign](#) by signing the [School Pledge](#) and by allowing their students to sign the [Individual Pledge](#). They are also asking students to consider speaking to their favorite restaurants about the campaign and asking them to participate by [pledging to only hand out straws upon request](#). They even made up cool campaign buttons for servers to wear which they are giving out FREE. Please consider getting your school involved, together we can be the solution to plastic pollution. For more information, please contact Olivia and Carter at [info@onemoregeneration.org](mailto:info@onemoregeneration.org)

