



ST GEORGE'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL



AIR QUALITY WORKSHOPS Lewisham

Wednesday 23rd November 2022

MP Smarter Travel delivered three interactive workshops with year 4, 5 and 6 exploring air pollution and the dangers of idling engines. At pick-up time we ran an anti-idling event with a small group of students to spread the word to parents and persuade them to turn engines off.

KEY STATISTICS

3 class workshops

1 anti-idling event

92 students participated

10 drivers spoken to

10% of drivers spoken to were idling

100% of engines turned off

WORKSHOP CONTENT



What gases are in the air?



What is air pollution?



What is the impact on our bodies?



Where is air pollution worst?



What causes air pollution?



How do cars create gases and particulates?



How does wood burning create gases and particulates?



What is idling and why is it dangerous?



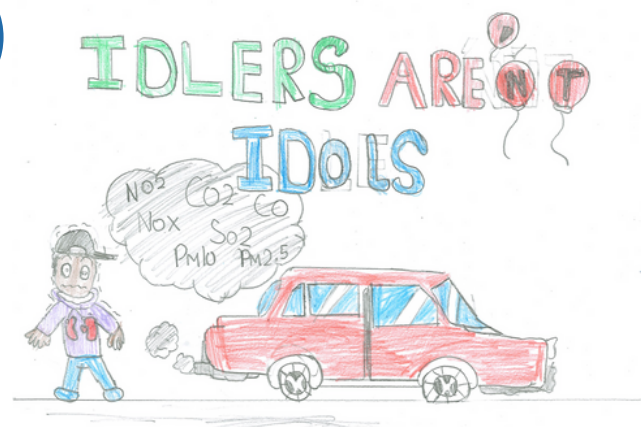
How can we reduce air pollution?

School blog post on the workshop:

stgeorges.lewisham.sch.uk/news/?pid=3&nid=1&storyid=1273

"The children found out lots of interesting information and were engaged. It was extremely informative."

Class teacher



St George's student artwork from workshops

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