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Do Something!

Teenagers are helping the US create a new economy that's based on efficient and clean use of energy. Your actions benefit the environment as well.

Here are a few things you can do right now to help cut energy costs and fight global pollution:

- Don't drive unless necessary—it's good for body and good for the planet. Walk or ride a bike walk instead of burning gasoline on short trips.
- International Walk to School Month is every October. Find out how you can participate at Iwalktoschool.org.
- Buy discount and used clothing—look for your favorite clothes on sale and from discount stores. Get unique clothes from second-hand stores that specialize in your tastes.

And don't stop there—donate your used clothes in good condition to help homeless teenagers. Visit Dosomething.org and check out Teens for Jeans.

BLOG SPOT: advice from the real world



Katrina Masterpieces February 3rd, 2009 at 5:05 pm

The Mississippi Gulf Coast is making some big news due to impressive artwork. Artist Marlin Miller has recently finished a huge project located on Highway 90 along the beach.

LIZ Miller used what was left of trees that were mangled and destroyed by Hurricane Katrina. His sculptures cover nearly fifty miles of the coast and feature many different types of marine life, birds and other animals.

It is so exciting to see tourists returning to the coast to see something new!



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A Walk in the Park – and rain!

By Rebecca, 16

This is a photo of me and my oldest sister in Boston Park. Having grown up in Los Angeles, we loved the tree-filled park located in the heart of busy Boston, Mass. We even walked in the pouring rain! Best of all, the public park is free!

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