

# ROOTED

*by (You)th Environmentalists*

September 21 was  
World Peace Day!

*Equality*

**We interviewed youth in the Waterloo Region to find out why they think equality is an important part of environmentalism. See below!**

"If everyone is not equal, then less people are going to participate and we're part of the environment too and everything should be as equal and balanced as possible."

"Equality is important for environmentalism because we all need to work together to save our planet. We need to fight together to help the world that we call home. There is no Planet B."

"I think it's important because if we can't be inclusive of everyone in our communities, how are we going to work together to try to save the environment?"



Sources: <https://www.globalanimal.org/2019/01/08/did-you-know-household-products-that-are-tested-on-animals/72548/>  
<https://www.independent.co.uk/infact/animal-testing-cruelty-free-cosmetics-toiletries-household-products-a8877221.html>

# Speciesism

Click [here](#) to find out what "speciesism" is!

## How can youth help?

Avoid buying things made from leather, fur or any parts of an animal!



If you are thinking of getting a pet, adopt from a shelter instead of a breeder. Many mass breeders exploit the animals and make profit off of getting them to give birth many time, despite all the animals in need of homes already.

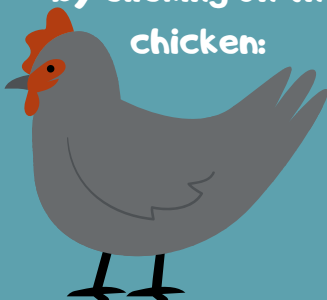


Double check that you don't buy any products that involved animal testing. Common things that do, include chocolate bars, hair products, nail polish, cleaning productes, etc

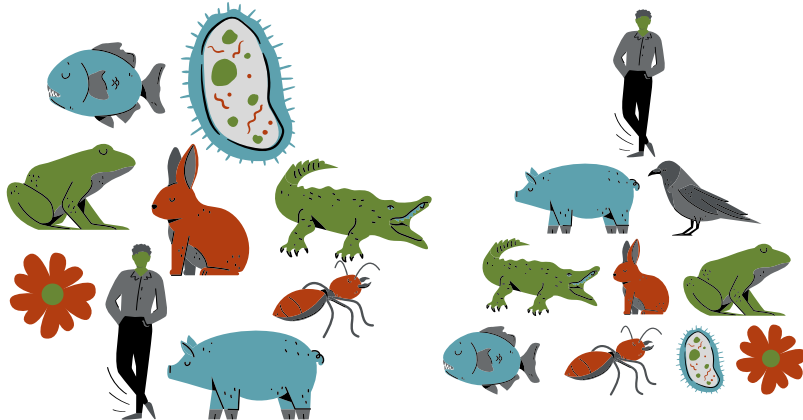
Try your best to stop eating things like meat, dairy and eggs. Doing this is the most impactful way that a single person can help animals and the environment!



Did you know that scientists have found a way to grow meat, so that animals aren't harmed? Learn more by clicking on the chicken:



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