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Paper waste & Note taking behaviours



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Literature Review

- 1 billion trees worth of paper are thrown away/year
- Saving each ton of paper can save 17 trees, 380 gallons of oil, three cubic yards of landfill space, 4000 kilowatts of energy, and 7000 gallons of water.

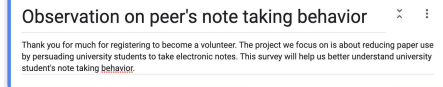
Volunteer Observation

Reasons

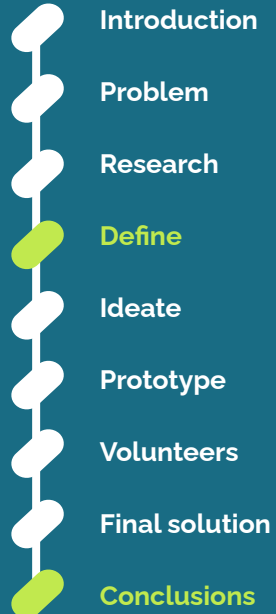
- Habit
- Help memorization and understanding
- Easier to write equations and signs using pens

Advantages

- Environmental friendly
 - Convenient
 - Automatic saving



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Final challenge:

To raise uni students' awareness in paper waste for revision and taking notes in Hong Kong, which is detrimental to forest and a waste of resources. Thus to change their habits to take notes and revise digitally.

Solution:

- use computer to take notes (typing)
- use iPad to take notes if students prefer written form
- download pdf instead of printing out hard copies

Tasks for volunteers:

- observe and analyse their peers' note-taking and revision habits
- introduce and promote e-notes to their friends
- Electronic notes gallery

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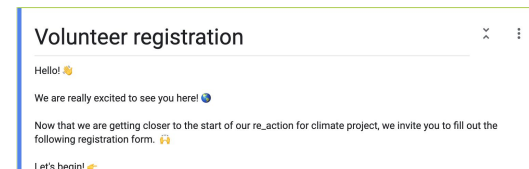
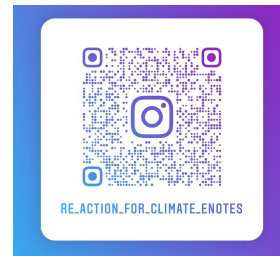
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Problems

- Lack of information
- Lack of confidence
- Lack of awareness

Ideas

- Establish a social media platform
 - Set up an eNote gallery
 - Recruit volunteers



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Prototype: Timeline

Week 3: recruit volunteers

Week 4: meeting with volunteers + introduction + observation + persuade (at least 3 people per each volunteer in following two weeks)

Week 5: report on observation + submit electronic notes (for gallery)

Week 6: showcase the gallery (sharing of different habits, other students can learn from them) + analysis of patterns of note-taking and revision habits of university students in Hong Kong

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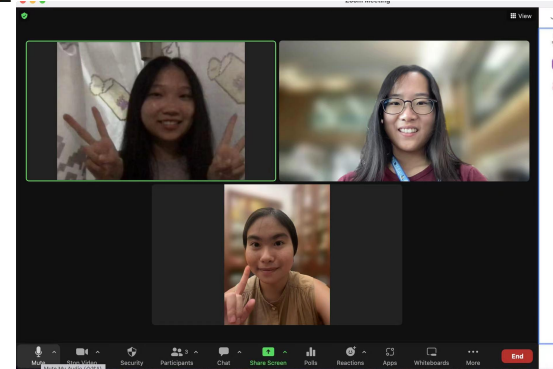
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Volunteers



- Sophie
- Sing Yin
- Hongyu
- Wendy
- Yunhao
- Xinran
- Jirawong
- Cynthia
- Jean
- Alice
- Jasmine
- Doris
- Victoria Yao



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△ Looking into an Eye

△ Retina Anatomy

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re_action_for_climate_enotes # Enote Gallery exhibition Day 1 😊 Check out those amazing digital notes 📖 You can organise your idea, make beautiful illustrations, and redo all the mistakes 😊 Most importantly, save paper and save the forest 🌳 What are you waiting for 👁️ Come and join us to take eNotes 🙌

annalitarmonyae make changes together 🙌🙌🙌🙌🙌 📖

22 August

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4. "It's a girl!": Language, gender and sexuality

Birth and sex
 New born baby: be assigned with a particular sex (girl or boy)
 → chain of assignment of things e.g. pink / toys / long hair / skirt / career /

Financial and economic drive for the nation state to produce / maintain a heterosexual normativity

Discourse of Feminism

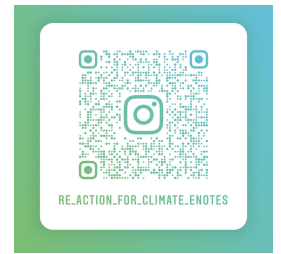
📖 "The very subject of woman is no longer understood in stable or abiding terms. There is a great material that not only questions the viability of 'the subject' as the ultimate candidate for representation or, indeed, liberation, but there is very little agreement after all on what it is that constitutes, or ought to constitute, the category of woman." (Butler 1990: 1)

📖 The enemy of feminism: *universal patriarchy*?
 "The political assumption that there must be a universal basis for feminism, one which must be found in an identity assumed to exist cross-culturally, often accompanies the notion that the oppression of women has some singular form discernible in the universal or hegemonic structure of patriarchy or masculine domination. The notion of a universal patriarchy has been widely criticized in recent years for its failure to account for the workings of gender oppression in the concrete cultural contexts in which it exists."

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re_action_for_climate_enotes #eNote Gallery Exhibition Day 5 #Volunteer Spotlights (From Jean - HKU Year3 student majoring in Statistics 📊) For me, the best thing about digital notes would be its flexibility and better organisation. Although taking notes by hand helps me to better remember the content, it's always being difficult for me to erase my mistake, organise and store the papers. And digitalnotes offer a very good solution. However, I noticed that while I use digital notes, the temptation to copy and paste directly without understanding is strong, since this action is so quick and easy.



conclusions

- Our project focuses on reducing paper use, by persuading university students to take electronic notes
- Our achievements including establishing a social media platform, setting up an eNote gallery, and recruiting volunteers
- We have learned so much about sustainability, leadership, community, and how to make an impact
- We would like to thank the make_sense team for their mentoring and feedback
- We would also like to thank our volunteers for their devotion



Q&A



Thank you!

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