



What to Include in Your Letter



Answer these questions using emotive language to get your message heard!

Whom are you writing to?

Dear Mr. Johnson, my fellow classmates and I are researching climate change and we would like to invite you to school to talk about this further.

Why have we decided to go on this journey?

We are the leaders of tomorrow and we are very concerned that the Earth is heating up and the ice caps are melting. The future is in our hands.

What is the project and why is it needed?

There are many people around the world suffering because of climate change and we want to help put an end to this.

What is our timeline? How urgent is the matter?

We have seven weeks to make a change in our community and we need your help.

How are we going to work on this?

Our aim is to work together to make a difference in our local community and help the global community change the way that it lives.

How can the community get involved?

With your help and support, we hope that we can change the world.

Why should they choose differently?

Although we are only children, we feel that if we work together and collectively, we can make a big difference in the world and ensure a better future for every living creature in it.

How excited and grateful are you?

We are so grateful that you have received and are reading our letter, and we hope that you will write back or even visit our school to discuss this further.

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Dear Mr Johnson,

My name is Gavin McCormack, and my fellow classmates and I are researching climate change alongside the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals for the world. **We are hoping that you may be able to help us in our mission to save the world!**

We have decided that **we are going to change** the way that our community works together **to make sure** that we're **doing everything possible** to save the Earth and protect it from climate change.

There are many small things that we can do in our household, such as turning off our lights, recycling our garbage and not using plastics. These actions will help to contribute to **improving our world** and **reduce the damaging effects** we are currently having on the planet.

Over the next seven weeks, **we are going to work very hard together** to make sure that parents, teachers and the wider community **all take action** to improve the world. There are over 20,000 children taking action right now and, **if we work collectively**, we can make a big difference and ensure a better future for everyone.

As you are a very prominent figure and well-respected Member of Parliament, **we hope that you are able to help us promote these changes** within our community and also maybe visit our school to talk to our students, teachers and our parents. We would also **love to take a photograph** for the local newspaper.

The need for climate action is something that cannot wait. The future is in our hands, and my classmates and I really want to make a change as soon as possible. **We hope you will reply** and we look forward to possibly meeting you in the very near future.

Yours faithfully,

Gavin McCormack.