



# Let's recycle

## D4 DARWIN

- biofuel** (n) a fuel that is made from living things or their waste 生物燃料 | 生物燃料  
**Darwin** (n) Charles Robert Darwin (1809—1882) is best known for his Theory of Evolution 達爾文 (提出進化論的科學家) | 达尔文 (提出进化论的科学家)  
**diesel** (n) a type of heavy oil used as fuel 柴油 | 柴油  
**evolution** (n) gradual development over many generations 進化 | 进化  
**oil spill** (n) an accident in which oil has come out of a ship and got into the environment 漏油 | 漏油  
**petroleum** (n) a dark, thick oil obtained from under the ground 石油 | 石油  
**tempt** (v) to make someone want to do something which may be wrong 誘惑 | 诱惑  
**trainers** (n) (= training shoes) a type of light, comfortable sport shoe 運動鞋 | 运动鞋

## ZOOM IN

- beam** (n) a long piece of support in a building 樑柱 | 梁柱  
**blacksmith** (n) a person whose job is to make iron objects 鐵匠 | 铁匠  
**carpenter** (n) a person whose job is to make wooden objects 木匠 | 木匠  
**compost** (n) decaying plant materials for improving soil quality 堆肥 | 堆肥  
**disposable** (adj) that is to be thrown away after use 用完即棄 | 用完即弃  
**fund** (v) to provide the money for running an activity 資助 | 资助  
**generation** (n) all the people around the same age in a society 一代人 | 一代人  
**greasy** (adj) oily 油膩 | 油腻  
**illegal** (adj) against the law 非法 | 非法  
**incinerator** (n) a device for burning rubbish 垃圾焚化爐 | 垃圾焚化炉  
**innovate** (v) to introduce new ideas 創新 | 创新  
**limited** (adj) not very great in amount 有限 | 有限  
**lubricant** (n) a liquid that makes machine parts move easily 潤滑劑 | 润滑剂  
**manufacturer** (n) a company which makes goods in large numbers 生產商 | 生产商  
**mine** (n) hole(s) from which coals or metals, etc., are removed 礦 | 矿  
**peelings** (n) (plural) the unwanted pieces of fruit skins 果皮 | 果皮  
**rag-and-bone man** (n) someone who goes around to collect or buy old things such as clothes and furniture 收買舊貨的人 | 收买旧货的人  
**rare** (adj) very uncommon 罕見 | 罕见  
**rot** (v) to become softer and is slowly broken down 腐壞 | 腐坏  
**rubbish chute** (n) a vertical passage for people living in a high-rise building to drop their rubbish 垃圾滑槽 | 垃圾滑槽  
**rubbish tip** (n) a large open space where rubbish is collected 垃圾場 | 垃圾场  
**salvage** (v) to save goods from damage 搶救物資 | 抢救物资  
**seamstress** (n) a woman whose job is to make clothes 女裁縫 | 女裁缝  
**spoil** (v) to make the food not good enough to eat 使變壞 | 使变坏

**INVESTIGATE**

- ceramics** (n) objects made out of clay and other materials like glaze and silica  
陶瓷 | 陶瓷
- fault** (n) a weakness in something 缺陷 | 缺陷
- fluorescent** (adj) having a bright colour that can be seen in the dark 螢光 | 螢光
- lava** (n) hot liquid rock that comes out of the surface of the Earth 熔岩 | 熔岩
- pottery** (n) objects made out of clay 陶器 | 陶器
- tongs** (n) (plural) a device consisting of two long pieces joined at one end for picking up things 鉗子 | 鉗子
- volcano** (n) a mountain from which hot melted rock or gas from inside the earth may come out 火山 | 火山

**PICS & FACTS**

- bring-and-buy sale** (n) a (charity) sale in which people bring things to be sold and buy things brought by other people 義賣會 | 义卖会
- cutlery** (n) tools for eating food 餐具 | 餐具
- essential oil** (n) an oil taken from plants with a strong smell 精油 | 精油
- fleece** (n) a soft, warm man-made fabric 絨頭織物 | 绒头织物
- hygienic** (adj) clean and not harmful for health 衛生 | 卫生
- in bulk** (phr) in large amounts 大量 | 大量
- louse** (n) (plural = lice) small insects that live in the body or hair of animals and humans 蝨子 | 虱子
- omnivore** (n) an animal that eats plants and meat 雜食動物 | 杂食动物
- sow** (n) an adult female pig 母猪 | 母猪

**WILD LIFE**

- boar** (n) a wild pig 野豬 | 野猪
- domesticated** (adj) under human control 被馴養的 | 被驯养的
- hog** (n) a pig that is kept for its meat (食用) 豬 | (食用) 猪
- perky** (adj) happy and lively 快活 | 快活
- piglet** (n) a young pig 小豬 | 小猪
- tame** (v) to train an animal so that it is not dangerous any more 馴服 | 驯服
- thigh** (n) the top part of the leg, between the knee and the hip 大腿 | 大腿
- truffle** (n) a type of expensive fungus that grows underground 松露 | 松露

**FUNFACTS**

- cactus** (n) (plural = cacti) a desert plant with thick stems for storing water  
仙人掌 | 仙人掌
- club foot** (n) a deformed foot 畸形足 | 畸形足
- currency** (n) money that is used in a certain area 貨幣 | 货币
- in captivity** (phr) (of animals) kept in a place and not allowed to leave 圈養 | 圈养
- monkey about** (phr v) to do silly things 胡鬧 | 胡闹
- paralysed** (adj) not able to feel or move 癱瘓 | 瘫痪
- spinal cord** (n) the nerves inside a backbone 脊髓 | 脊髓
- Swiss** (adj) related to Switzerland 瑞士的 | 瑞士的
- tomb** (n) a stone structure where a dead person is buried 墳墓 | 坟墓