



## Big Teddy Flag Challenge Information for Teachers

The idea behind the Big Teddy Flag Challenge BTFC is simple. Try to raise awareness in your students to the worlds trash problem and ultimately inspire them to action to become part of the solution.

### Rules

Organize a teddy trash clean-up for your class or whole school. The time period is up to you. Take pictures and videos to document the clean-ups. Please upload them to our website [www.thetheodores.org](http://www.thetheodores.org) You can create a user account for every individual or one just one for your class or school. Weigh the trash as you collect it. Remember it is good to pull out the recyclables if you can. Try to beat the previous mark set by the school before you. If your class or students make videos please email them to us at [teddyrtuesdays@gmail.com](mailto:teddyrtuesdays@gmail.com)

\*We love to encourage students to set up individual accounts so students have a greater likelihood of continuing to Teddy outside of the classroom.

Teachers how you incorporate this challenge into your lessons and classrooms is up to you. Please check out our educational materials page for ideas/lessons other teachers have created and used. If you would like to create a lesson plan, please email us the lesson so we can upload it to our educational materials page.

After you have completed and documented your teddy clean-ups please draft a letter and send/deliver the big teddy flag to a new school issuing a challenge. Please print this form and included it with the flag as well so the new teacher has direction and can become familiar with the BTFC. ***Be sure to sign the flag with you school name and trash total.*** Remember is better to keep the flag moving than have it sit in one place for too long.

**TEACHERS:** Please email us at [teddyrtuesdays@gmail.com](mailto:teddyrtuesdays@gmail.com) a contact name and school name for where you will be sending the flag next. Also email any questions, concerns, or ideas. We really want to ensure that the flags are not lost and the challenge will continue.

Thank you for your support and participation in the BIG TEDDY FLAG CHALLENGE!

Looking forward to seeing How You Teddy!

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