

# SCHOOL STRIKE FOR CLIMATE



# LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- To think about why Greta Thunberg's example has been inspirational for so many, and why the movement spread so far.
- To think about the different ways that protestors can be seen, heard, and get their message across.





**GRETA THUNBERG, 2018**

(picture by Anders Hellberg)





Students protesting in Zagreb, Croatia





Students protesting in Berlin, Germany - Mika Baumeister





Students protesting in San Francisco, USA - Marti Johnson





## AN INTERVIEW WITH GRETA THUNBERG



16-Year-Old Greta Thunberg's Inspiring Fight Against Climate Change - Good Morning Britain

Film Link: [youtu.be/-bu2136AJUg](https://youtu.be/-bu2136AJUg)



## A CLIP FROM DEBATE IN THE AUSTRALIAN PARLIAMENT



Scott Morrison tells kids going on climate strike to get back to school - Guardian News

Film Link: [youtu.be/-WhET9pYMpU](https://youtu.be/-WhET9pYMpU)





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- Why do you think Greta's idea to go on strike to bring attention to climate change caught on with so many school students around the world?
- Why might young people be particularly interested in this issue?
- Greta's parents were very supportive of her actions- do you think her protests would have been successful if they weren't? Should parents support their children's activism?
- Do you agree with the Australian Prime Minister? Should students be more focused on school work than activism? Why / Why not?
- What other ways could school students try to prevent climate change? Are there things we can change in our own lives that might be helpful?



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