

Assignment 4: Informational Interview

Option 1: Carbon Footprint

Go to <https://www3.epa.gov/carbon-footprint-calculator/> and fill out all the information based off of your home's energy, transportation, and living habits. This should take about 10-15 minutes to complete. You may need the homeowner's help retrieving some information.

Once you have completed it, look over your results. Take a screen shot or copy and past your results into a document.

Read the tips below to understand different ways to reduce your household carbon footprint. Discuss 3 tips that are feasible to implement in your household.

Option 2: Water Footprint

Go to <https://www.watercalculator.org/wfc2/q/household/> and fill out the information based off of your home's energy, household water usage, and personal habits. This should take about 10-15 minutes to complete. You may need the homeowner's and other members of the home to retrieve certain information.

Once you have completed it, look over your results. Scroll down for a more detailed break down. Take a screen shot or copy and past your results into a document.

Read the tips below to understand different ways to reduce your household carbon footprint. Discuss 3 tips that are feasible to implement in your household.

Option 3: Waste Footprint, week snapshot

In order to survey your waste footprint, go about your normal business. For a week, you will write down everything that is recycled and everything that is thrown away. By the end of the week, you will analyze your list to look for substitutions to reduce your waste (i.e. reusable Tupperware to replace plastic bags). Tip: keep a notebook next to the trash bins and record what is thrown out.