

## Activity 1 – Follow-on tasks

The average person in the UK uses 6.5 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> a year. How do you think your energy use compares to other people?

**You can use the space below each question to write your answers**

Go back over your answers on the Carbon Footprint Calculator and think about which activities use the most energy. Write down the 3 that you think are the highest.

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List 5 tips for reducing your carbon footprint. Do the quiz again using these tips and see if it changes your score.

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### Tips on how to reduce your carbon footprint

- Walk or ride your bike to school
- Share lifts by car or take the bus to school
- Go on holiday in Great Britain
- Turn off the lights when you leave a room
- Recycle any glass bottles and jars at home
- Reduce the amount of food you eat that is produced in other countries
- Turn the tap off when you brush your teeth

**Can you think of any other ways you could save energy and reduce your carbon footprint?**

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**How many would you have to follow to make your carbon footprint calculation green?**

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**If you are already green, where do you think you save the most energy? Is there any way you could save even more?**

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*A small elephant weighs 2 tonnes –  
imagine how much CO<sub>2</sub> this is!*

