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# I CAN... be the change!

*An extension of "Our new President"*

Read **"Our new President"** (page 17, *What's Up* October 2017). Strong leaders like President Halimah Yacob often believed that they can help to make the world a better place even while they were children. Do you believe you can as well? There is an organisation called **SoCh in Action** that helps children to be agents of meaningful change in society. SoCh in Action works with students in several schools here. Perhaps, they already come to your school. The SoCh in Action trainers show kids how to use the four steps of their special Feel-Imagine-Do-Share model. By applying these four steps, groups of students have been able to come up with their own ideas and put them into action. First, read about some of their wonderful projects. Then, consider attending the **Be the Change** event in November.

## 1. READ THE E-BOOK

The e-book *I CAN Singapore* is free of charge. Visit the official website of SoCh in Action at <http://sochinaction.com/>. Go to "Click Here to Download Your Free E-book". Follow the instructions. When you have downloaded the e-book, browse through all the stories. Read in detail the ones that appeal to you. This is easy to do because the stories are in comic strips. The book has 50 real-life stories about **I CAN projects** carried out by students in Singapore.

## 2. ATTEND THE EXPOSITION

Every year, there is an exposition — a large, public exhibition with many booths — to showcase I CAN projects. Visit the website of SoCh in Action again. This time, look for information about the exposition. Fill in the table below to think about whether you would like to attend it with a group of friends or as a whole class.

The 8 <sup>th</sup> Annual Be the Change Exposition 2017			
Date:	Time:	Venue:	What will the booths show?
What would I look forward to?			