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Upcycling Soap at Home

An activity of "Recycling Soap to Help People in Need"

Read "**Recycling Soap to Help People in Need**" (page 8, *What's Up* June 2022). Have you noticed that bars of soap are difficult to use when they become very small? Don't throw them away. Instead, upcycle the soap bits into usable soap bars. You may be able to upcycle many other things you use in your daily life.

PART A: UPCYCLE SOAP

1. Watch the following video:
How to Recycle Leftover Soap Pieces ➤ <https://youtu.be/jlqUgoa2lSs>
(iCraftent, 25 May 2020)
2. Collect the remains of soap bars that are too small to use. When you have a cup of such soap scraps, follow the video instructions to recycle them. Ask an adult to stand by (and help, if necessary) when you use the stove.
3. Draw what your recycled soap bar(s) look like. Label your diagram with the ingredients you used in making the soap (e.g. rose petals, grated lemon, etc.)

My upcycled soap bar	Ingredients I used:
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4. Based on what you have read in the text and watched in the video, list three benefits of recycling soap.

Benefits of recycling soap
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PART B: SECOND UPCYCLING

5. Now, think of an item in your home that can be upcycled and suggest how it might be done. Summarise the steps in a simple flow chart and share it with your classmates.

How to upcycle a _____

Step 1

Step 2

Step 3

Step 4

Step 5

My Second Upcycled Product