



The Price of Clothes

HOW WHAT WE WEAR IMPACTS CHILDREN

Every Year, the Clothing Industry Generates:



250 million children are impacted by clothing and textile supply chains.

Take Action

Reduce

Don't buy what you don't need. If you want to buy something new, choose items that are ethically sourced or secondhand.



Reuse

Take a sewing or design class so that you can repair and revamp the items you already own.



Recycle

Host a clothing swap to trade items that may be old to a friend, but new to you!



Research

Ask yourself, how your brands and your policymakers **#WhoMadeMyClothes.**

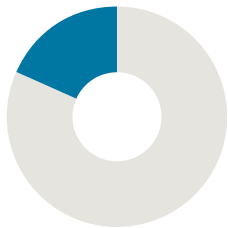


The U.S. throws away about **20 billion** pounds of textiles every year.

It takes approximately **2,700 liters of water** to produce one cotton shirt. That's enough water for one person for 3 years.

But Who Really Pays the Price for Our Clothing?

17-20% of industrial water pollution comes from textile dyeing and treatment.



One study in India showed **60%** of workers in spinning mills were less than 18 years old.

