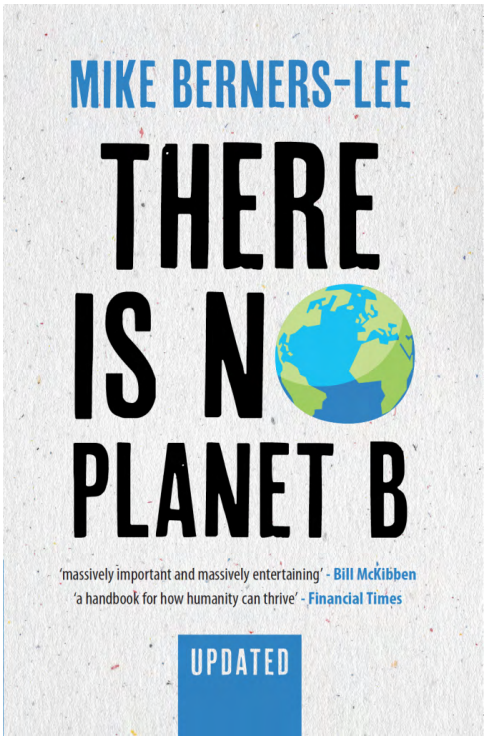
Vanguard Learning Trust

Environmental sustainability week
Daily challenges

Our keynote speaker, Jeremy Williams from Go Zero, has recorded a presentation (click here) for the Trust on our three objectives for the week with a specific focus on the typical carbon footprint of schools. It is thought provoking especially on ways all members of the community can reduce their carbon footprint.

There are a number of videos linked below that all members of the community are encouraged to watch during the week:

- David Attenborough, People's Advocate for COP26, Address to World Leaders on climate action (click here)
- Is Climate Change the Same as Global Warming? (click here)
- Warmest January on record indicates sweltering 2024 (click here)
- Talking climate with Mike Berners-Lee (click here)

The videos provide informative and scientific content and are being used to evaluate the impact of the week's activities. They will be released on the daily flyer which will be shared with the community between 3 and 4pm each day. Younger students are encouraged to complete the quizzes with their families.

Participation by all community members contributes to the *'how low can we go?'* challenge as well as the VLT cup in relation to Trust-wide student activities. 25 points will be awarded to the school with the highest number of students participating in the quizzes over the course of the week. In terms of individual students, 30 points will be awarded to the student with the highest score over the week (out of 50, 10 questions per day for 5 days), 15 points for the second place and 5 points for the third place.