



Our Policy for Purchasing Products

1. We will choose products, materials and suppliers with environmental certification, those with good environmental practices, or those which are in favor of the environment or safeguard the integrity of the environment and the health of the people.
2. We recommend choosing in season, organically certified fruits and produce. We also recommend supporting local producers.
3. We will avoid products that are non-rechargeable and disposable.
4. We will purchase products with returnable containers. If not possible, we will purchase products in the largest containers possible which can later be reused.
5. We will avoid purchasing aerosols that contain chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) which harm the environment, especially the ozone cap. We will not use lead based paints.
6. We will purchase highly durable tools and kitchen utensils that have a long useful life.
7. We will not use plastic plates or cups. Our outdated dishes and utensils will be donated to a good cause.
8. We will not promote the use of electric fans. We will give priority to using screened windows and ventilated ceilings.
9. We will use PH neutral detergents and read the labels of these products. This helps to minimize impact on nature.
10. We will always purchase the necessary amounts of supplies to reduce the amount of space needed to store them and the possibility of expiration which leads to unnecessary waste.
11. We will purchase only high quality, energy efficient equipment.

"One principle of sustainability is to minimize the consumption of unnecessary products, environmentally harmful products or products that generate a greater amount of waste".

Read the labels on the products that you purchase; by doing this you will know more about the products you are purchasing.

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