



REDUCE. REUSE. RECYCLE.

KEEP HARVARD GREEN

Please complete this short QUIZ with your family to raise your awareness of the adverse affects of plastic shopping bags on our environment.

- 1. How many plastic bags does the US use annually?**
A. 10 Million B. 100 Million C. 50 Billion D. 100 Billion
- 2. How many barrels of oil does the US need to produce the plastic bags we use each year?**
A. 2 Million B. 6 Million C. 10 Million D. 12 Million
- 3. What percent of plastic bags are recycled each year?**
A. 20% B. 10% C. 5% D. <1%
- 4. How much energy does it take to produce Paper Bags compared to Plastic bags?**
A. 5 times less B. About the Same C. 4 times more
- 5. How many years does it take plastic bags in our landfills to breakdown?**
A. 10 years B. 100 years C. 500 years D. 1000 years



In case you were wondering, the answer is D to all of the questions. So now that we have your attention, won't you please consider placing an Order for our **KEEP HARVARD GREEN** Reusable Shopping Bags and start making a difference in our community today?

These attractive and durable bags are made from 100% recyclable non-woven polypropylene and will hold 2-3 times as many groceries as plastic bags and last for many years. Each Reusable bag can replace thousands of plastic bags over its lifetime. Besides being good for the enviroment, the long straps and sturdy bottoms make loading and unloading your groceries easier than ever. A typical family with several kids will need 10 bags.

Complete the attached order form and mail to:
Lori Granville 13 Bolton Road, Harvard, MA 01451.
Make your checks payable to Harvard PTO.

Name _____

Address _____

eMail Address _____

Student's Grade and Homeroom Teacher _____

Circle your order Quantity **1 for \$5** **5 for \$15** **10 for \$20**

Bags are on order and are due in the middle of June. We will notify you at your email address provided above when they are in. Bags will be available for pick-up at the **Harvard General Store**, our gracious sponsors.

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