

ALTERNATIVE SOLUTIONS

<p>Glitter</p> <p>A popular festival trend is glitter, but when removed or washed off this can easily wash directly to local streams and sit in soil, infusing it with chemicals within the glitter. This can create all kinds of problems for animals like fish and insects.</p>	<p>What alternative solutions could be used?</p> <p>Biodegradable glitter is a new product, but an exciting one! This glitter uses natural ingredients that are not harmful to the environment.</p>
<p>Invitations</p> <p>Paper mills contribute to air, water and land pollution and discarded paper and paperboard make up roughly 26% of waste in landfill sites.</p>	<p>Digital / email invitations or post through social media to avoid using paper and the cost of printing and postage.</p>
<p>Food and Drink</p> <p>Transporting food and drink, like all other goods, has environmental impacts. Such as road congestion, air and noise pollution and CO₂ emissions.</p>	<p>Using local produce and companies will cut down on transportation costs and also encourage smaller businesses to be involved.</p>
<p>Transport</p> <p>Car exhausts produce a wide range of gases and solid matter, causing global warming, acid rain, and harming the environment and human health. Car pollution is one of the major causes of global warming.</p>	<p>Car sharing and deals with public transport will be the perfect way to reduce the amount of cars heading towards the festival!</p>
<p>Energy</p> <p>Fossil fuels—coal, oil, and natural gas—do substantially more harm than renewable energy sources, including air and water pollution, damage to public health, wildlife and habitat loss, water use, land use, and global warming emissions.</p>	<p>Using solar power only!</p>
<p>Plastic Bottles</p> <p>Plastic bottles do not biodegrade, so they will remain in our environment forever. When plastic degrades, toxic chemicals are released into the environment. Worse yet, any plastic that makes it into the environment will forever harm wildlife.</p>	<p>Branded festival bottles made of recycled materials. Trade-in deals for old bottles.</p>