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Sustainability and Didactics

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ESD = Education in Sustainable Development

The teaching of ESD is undisputed and important. However, there are three major didactic problems:

- The field is extremely broad and one quickly gets lost in it. It covers the whole of life (next slide). However, young people like to concentrate on a single, clear topic.
- ESD is mainly about technical knowledge, but competences for action are hard to find. However, young people would like to act and understand in action.
- The concrete possibilities of the individual are often small. That is why sustainability must not degenerate into a counterproductive moral lecture with alibi exercises.





Division into the areas of society and environment

Society

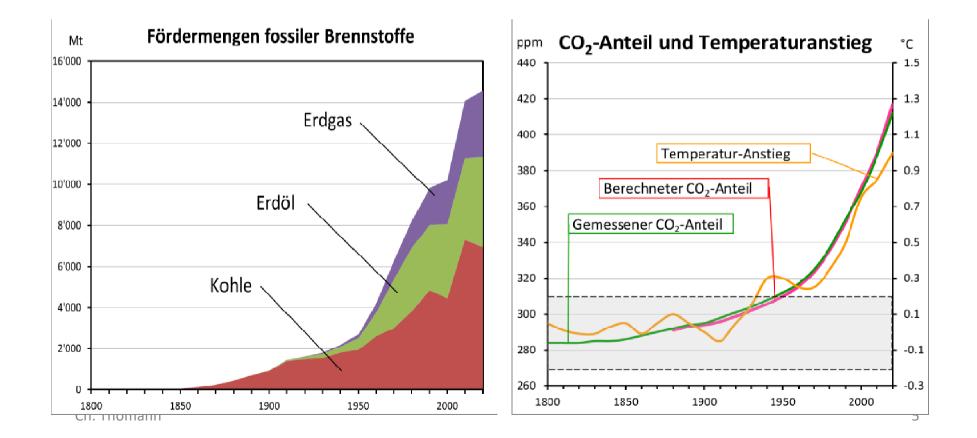
- 1 No poverty
- 2 No hunger
- 3 Health and well-being
- 4 Quality education
- 5 Gender equality
- 6 Clean water and sanitation
- 8 Decent work and economic growth
- 9 Industry, innovation and infrastructure
- **10** Fewer inequalities
- 16 Peace, justice and strong institutions
- 17 Institutions Partnerships to achieve the goals

Environment

- 7 Affordable and clean energy
- 11 Sustainable cities and communities
- 12 Sustainable consumption and production
- 13 Climate protection measures
- 14 Life under water
- 15 Life on land

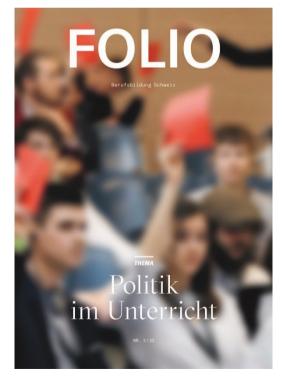
The most urgent problem is global warming:

The left diagram shows global fossil fuel production. The diagram on the right shows the calculated and measured CO_2 content, if half of the CO_2 from combustion remains in the air.



Project for a series in FOLIO on the topic of environment

Limitation to the 4 areas of environment. The goal is not only specialist knowledge but also useful competences for action.





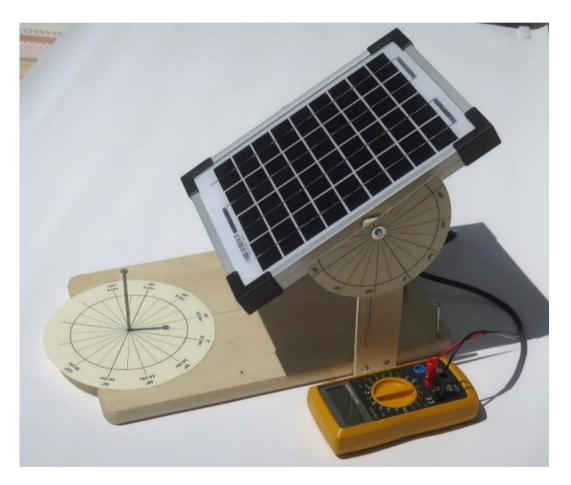
The following are ideas for the didactic implementation of the 4 areas:

- Climate-neutral energy
- Resource-saving **production**
- Intact environment
- Sustainable way of living

Useful competences are sought.

Competence Energy

Efficiency of a solar cell in different orientations to the sun



Determine what you can do with 1 kWh of energy

How long can you

- work at the computer?
- shower?
- leave the light on?
- blow dry your hair?
- watch TV?

- How much spaghetti can you cook?
- How far can you drive with an e-car?
- How far can you ride an e-bike?
- How high can you ride in a lift?



Solar emergency power device with 1.3 kWh capacity

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Competence Production

The decisive factors for sustainable production are the **materials** required and the **energy** to be needed. The information on this is often difficult to obtain.

Research would be interesting here:

- Cement/concrete
- Iron/steel
- Plastics
- Batteries
- Solar cells

Savings through recycling should also also be investigated.





Competence Environment

Frustrating in this area are the major environmental problems that we can hardly influence:

- Deforestation
- Plastic pollution
- Overfishing of the oceans
- Acidification of the oceans
- Global warming
- Destruction of habitats worth protecting

That is why this is a matter of **political understanding** and **balancing of interests**.

Example Trift glacier

Should a water reservoir be built here?

Situation 1973



Situation today



Bild: Kraftwerke Oberhasli AG

The weighing of interests is much more difficult in the case of:

Global warming or nuclear energy?

Competence Way of Living

Here, in contrast to the area of environment, there are many concrete actions:

Always the latest?



Repair or throw away?



An important source of information and examples is:



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Aktuell

- ABU-Lerneinheit "Schokolade Genuss mit bitterem Beigeschmack"
- ABU-Lerneinheit "Zero Waste Alltag ohne Abfall"
- Orientierungshilfe Nachhaltige Entwicklung in der Berufsbildung
- Gastbeitrag bei öbu: Nachhaltigkeit beginnt bei den Lernenden
- Nachhaltigkeit in der Berufsbildung (Artikel im BerufsbildungsBrief Kanton Bern)
- Praxiszeitschrift ventuno Sonderausgabe zur Berufsbildung
- Praxiszeitschrift ventuno I Gesundheit Bewegung – Natur
- Lernmedien
- Themendossiers
- Webdossier für den Unterricht

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Die auf dem Analysetool gestützte Nachhaltigkeitsanalyse des jeweiligen Berufs erfolgt in drei Schritten, die es ermöglichen, berufsspezifische und stufengerechte Akzente zu setzen:

- 1. Relevanz für den Beruf klären
- 2. Handlungsoptionen identifizieren
- 3. Nachhaltige Entwicklung für den Beruf konkretisieren

Abbildung 2: Aufbau des Analysetools

	Dimension Wirtschaft	Dimension Gesellschaft	Dimension Umwelt
Relevanz	Themen: • Wirtschaftlichkeit & Wertschöpfung • Innovation & Bildung • Mobilität & Logistik	Themen: • Arbeitsbedingungen • Gesundheit & Wohlbefinden • Chancengleichheit	Themen: Biodiversität, natürliche Ressourcen & Materialien Klima & Energie Umweltbelastung & Abfall
Handlungs- optionen	Handlungsoptionen Wirtschaft	Handlungsoptionen Gesellschaft	Handlungsoptionen Umwelt
Konkreti- sierung	Beispiele für die Konkretisierung in den Bildungserlassen	Beispiele für die Konkretisierung in den Bildungserlassen	Beispiele für die Konkretisierung in den Bildungserlassen
	Nachhaltige Entwicklung als Querschnittaufgabe		

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