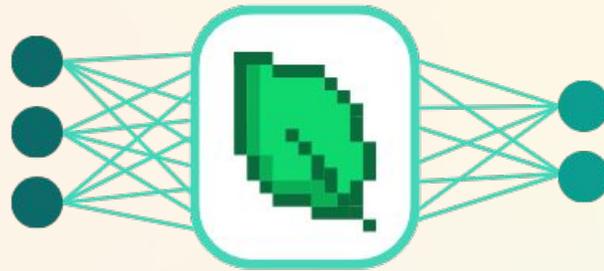# GWC Challenge 2024-25:
AI + Sustainability

This year, we challenge you to build a project that explores how people can use AI to create a more sustainable future.

Imagine how AI could help us meet our needs without harming future generations! Consider energy, clothing, food waste, wildlife, cities, or transport. How would you use AI to make sustainable living easier? What would it do? Who would it help?

You can record a song, animate a short, design a game, design an app, or something else - the format is up to you! Visit the link below to learn more, submit your project, and access Participant, Educator, and Family Guides which include inspiration, judging criteria, planning tools, and other helpful resources: **https://girlswhocode.com/programs/gwc-challenges**

Submissions due by February 12, 2025 by 11:59 pm ET.

QUICK FAQS

Who is eligible to participate?
Anyone based in the US between the ages of 13-18 is eligible to participate. You don't need to be a current program participant or alumni to win!

How many winners are there?
Judges will select three middle school (ages 13-14) projects and three high school (ages 15-18) projects.

What are the prizes?
Each winning project will receive GWC swag, a project spotlight on GWC social media, and a gift card based on age category: $250 for middle school and $500 for high school.

Who are the judges?
Submissions will be judged by both GWC staff and our Corporate Partners, who are professionals working in tech fields. You can find supporting Partner companies on the GWC Challenge webpage.

Are there resources available to help me get started?
Yes! We have guides for participants to plan and build a project; educators to bring the GWC Challenge to their learning space; and families who want to support participants at home.

You can find the rest of our FAQs here.