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Talking to Friends and Family about Climate Change

Having conversations with others about **Environmental Issues** and **Climate Change** is a HOT topic. It can be difficult and raise all sorts of emotions. Here are practical tips!

- **Educate yourself** about the realities of climate change.
- **Listen** to the other person's point of view.
- **Ask** open-ended, non-judgmental questions "I'm interested in hearing your thoughts".
- **Seek Common Ground** with persons who have different views from you, by connecting the threat of climate change to what is current and happening locally.
- **Appeal to universal values** – "Let's try to leave the world a better place for future generations". Share the steps you are taking in the face of climate change.

Check out: <https://davidsuzuki.org/climate-conversation-coach/>

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