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To whom it may concern,

Please listen to these kids:  
<https://youtu.be/grfKSDwyrqk>

They've got the answers already. If you need any more reasons to ban plastic bags, here are a few examples:

- \* plastic never degrades
- \* plastic is made from fossil fuels
- \* giving away free single use plastic bags is outdated (have a look at countries like Germany)
- \* people are going overboard with the use of plastic bags, e.g. a bottle of milk (which already has a handle!!!) in a plastic bag

Please do the right thing and ban all single use plastic bags, plastic packaging and microbeads.

Kind regards,  
Dr Ulrike Bauer

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