



# Sustainability and Energy Transition

## [MUSIC STARTS]

**[Onscreen]** Why is sustainability so important? Here's what they said.

**[Ryan]** I think solar power is important because it is the greenest form of energy. Twenty years into the future, when I'm married -maybe, I don't want to be inhaling carbon monoxide from vehicles. Instead of using cars which pollute, try to switch to EVs.

**[Melissa]** As you all know, we all want to reduce our carbon footprint. He would say "hey mom, you should be recycling. You should not waste plastic bags. Why not we don't use food containers. We use plates instead."

**[Divyesh]** This is not just the right thing to do because this is what consumers, investors and employees expect. COVID-19 has triggered businesses to reinvent the way they interact with their stakeholders. We are now at an inflection point to turn sustainability as our most powerful force of change in this generation. To achieve that, we need to rally around a shared purpose, collective action, to work towards a more inclusive, affordable and sustainable energy future.

**[Ryan]** Mommy, what's this floating thing?

**[Melissa]** These are solar panels. This is part of Singapore's Green Plan.

**[Matthew]** Sustainability is good for the bottom line – companies that embrace twin transformation, digital and sustainability, are 2.5 times more likely to be tomorrow's leaders. Transforming in this way is not just good for sustainability but opens up new business opportunities, builds trust with stakeholders and encourages others to follow suit. Energy and utility companies are taking the lead in moving us towards a more sustainable future. This is especially so in how they are powering sustainable cities where so many of us live, work and interact.

**[Onscreen]** Our collective actions will have an impact on tomorrow's generation. More in our sustainability series

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