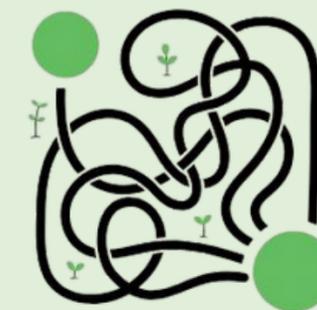




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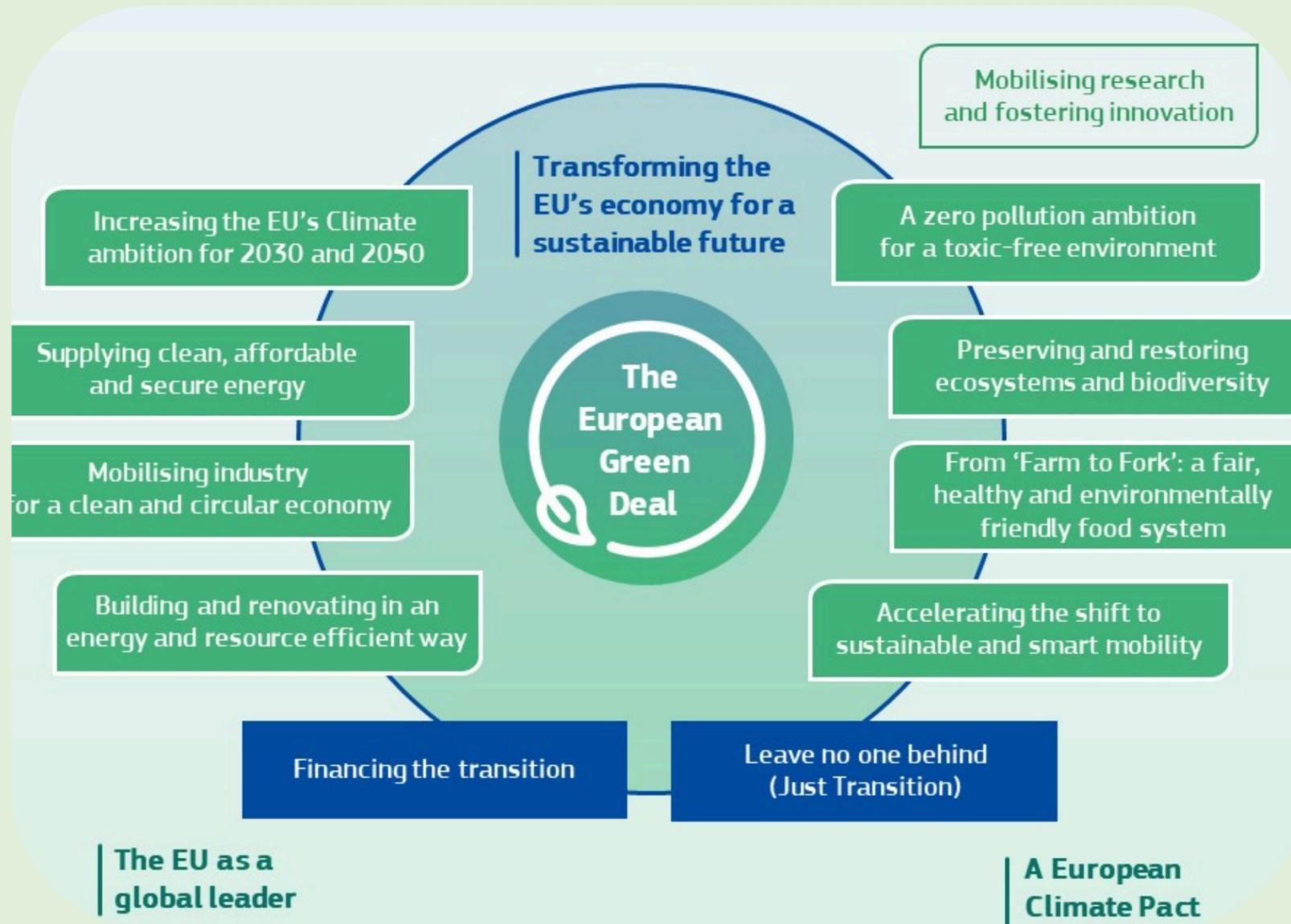
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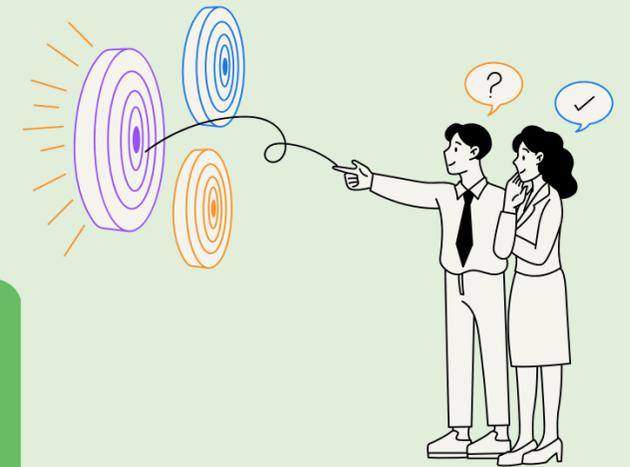
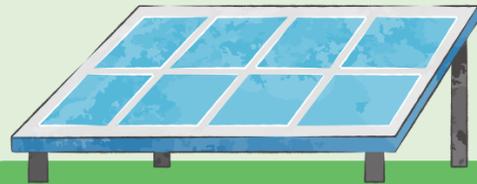
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The Green Deal is a roadmap for transforming Europe's economy and society in a way that is sustainable, inclusive, and fair.

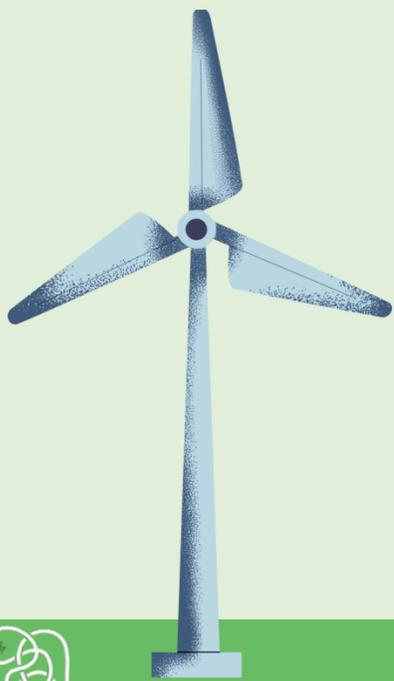




MAIN GOALS OF THE GREEN DEAL



- Climate Neutrality by **2050**.
- Reducing Emissions by 55% by **2030**.
- **Cleaner Energy**. Europe is switching from fossil fuels like coal and oil to renewable energy sources like **wind, solar, hydro, and geothermal**.
- A **Circular Economy**. Resources are **reused, repaired, and recycled** instead of thrown away.

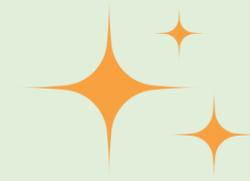




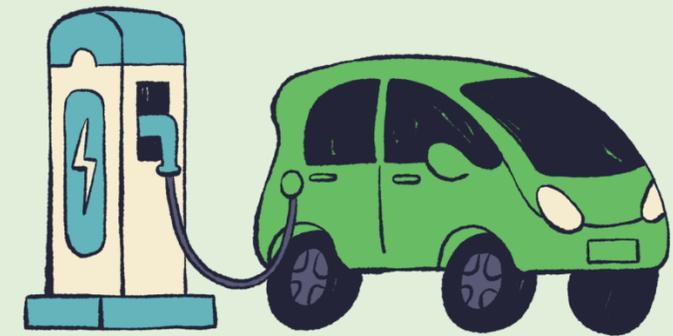
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MAIN GOALS OF THE GREEN DEAL



- Plant more **trees**, protect **forests** and **oceans**, restore damaged **ecosystems**, and increase protected areas on land and sea.
- Sustainable **Farming** and **Food** : the **Farm to Fork Strategy** supports eco-friendly agriculture.
- Green and Smart **Transportation** like public transportation, electric vehicles, charging stations.
- A **Just and Inclusive Transition**, providing financial help and support for training, jobs, and social inclusion.





IMPORTANT MILESTONES OF THE GREEN DEAL



Several key events and documents mark the progress of the Green Deal:

- **December 2019:** Green Deal Announced
Ursula von der Leyen, President of the European Commission, launched the Green Deal as the EU's top priority.
- **July 2021:** Fit for 55 Package Introduced
This bundle of 13 major proposals includes new carbon pricing rules, targets for renewable energy, and stricter emissions standards for cars and buildings.





IMPORTANT MILESTONES OF THE GREEN DEAL

- **June 2021:** European Climate Law Passed
The EU turned its climate goals into a legal obligation, requiring action from all member states.
- **Ongoing:** REPowerEU
In response to energy challenges and geopolitical tensions (like the war in Ukraine), this plan speeds up the move toward energy independence and renewable power.





WHY THIS MATTERS FOR YOUTH



The Green Deal is not just about distant goals or political meetings. It's about:

- The kind of **jobs** you will have in the future.
- The **quality of the air** and water in your community.
- Whether your town has **green spaces and public transport**.
- Whether Europe is fair, resilient, and united in facing climate risks.

You can shape this transition and it's essential to understand what the Green Deal stands for. You are not only future voters but also **future innovators, leaders, and change-makers**.





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YOUTH EU FOR CLIMATE ACTION

You are not only future voters but also **future innovators**, leaders, and change-makers. The Green Deal shows that fighting climate change is not only necessary—it's an **opportunity to build a better Europe for everyone.**





Activity: Timeline Sorting

Put the following four events in the order in which they occurred, starting with the earliest.

Paris Agreement

EU Climate Law

European Green Deal

Fit for 55 Package





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