Americans buy five times as much clothing as we did in 1980. Many of us have closets filled with great clothing, shoes, bags, often still with tags, that we are not using, **BUT SOMEONE ELSE COULD**.

ThreadED helps people make excellent, charitable use of those belongings. We call it Fashion For a Future.

- CO-FOUNDER OF THREADED, GAIL HARRIS



Donating the cleanest, highest quality items to ThreadED is a great way to help others and reduce landfill.

You also can host a clothing swap with friends and keep your eyes out for a clothing drive in your area.

- CO-FOUNDER OF THREADED, LAUREN SGAN



Fashion and textiles are the second largest consumer of water and produce 10% of all carbon emissions, more than all international flights and maritime shipping combined.

The majority of textiles are sent to landfill or incinerated after use, with LESS THAN 1% being recycled into new clothing

- U.S. ENVIRONMETNAL PROTECTION AGENCY(EPA)



The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has found that textile waste increased from 1.76 MILLION tonnes in 1960 to 16 MILLION tonnes in 2015, a rise of 811%.

The amount of textiles in landfill has also seen a sharp increase, from 1.71 MILLION tonnes in 1960 to 10.5 MILLION tonnes in 2015 - which equates to around 66% of textile waste.

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According to McKinsey article in 2016, the global fashion industry produces around 92 million tons of textile waste each year.

According to an EPA article from 2017, in the U.S. alone, 15 million tons of textile waste is generated annually





According to ThredUp Rsale Report, the global second-hand clothing market is projected to reach \$64 billion by 2024. One used item can reduce its carbon, waste, and water footprint by about 82%.



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According NCES, in 2017-2018, 29% of dependent undergraduates and 49% of independent undergraduates had unmet financial need after aid.





The tuition increase often outpacing the growth of financial aid and family incomes. It Can impact college completion rates.



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### FUN FACT ABOUT EARTH DAY

It was founded by Gaylord Nelson, a U.S. Senator from Wisconsin, after witnessing the effects of a 1969 oil spill off the coast of Santa Barbara, California.



#### HOW TO HELP THE EARTH?

Donate ONE or TWO pieces of good quality clothing to help save textile waste. Your contribution will help reducing the environmental impact and giving your clothes a new lease on life.

Let's celebrate **EARTH DAY** together! one **STYLISH** step at a time!



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