



- An eco brick is a plastic bottle filled with plastic packaging (such as crisp packets and sweet packets) to make a reusable building block. Eco bricks are used to make furniture and buildings, such as schools and houses in poorer countries.
- Eco bricks will last for 300–500 years. However, if eco bricks melt, they release a gas which is very harmful to the environment.
- A family, in Argentina, made their home from 13,500 plastic bottles! Their walls, coffee tables and even the steps to get to the front door are made of plastic bottles.

- What are eco bricks made from?
- How long will the bricks last?
- What are the bricks used for?
- Who used 13,500 bottles to build their home?
- Do you think eco bricks are a good idea and why?

