

《星巴克的杯子又出新闻，这次不是因为限量打架》

星巴克开始在英国伦敦机场试行一个环境保护项目，鼓励公众重复使用咖啡杯。

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Starbucks is testing reusable coffee cups at London's Gatwick airport

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One of the few places to find respite in the modern airport experience, at least for those of us who don't have access to fancy airport lounges, is to grab a cup of coffee to sip on while you wait for the inevitable flight delay announcement.

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However, as we all become more eco-conscious, using a single-use plastic lid and single-use paper cup destined for the ever-growing trash heap seems wasteful.

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Now Starbucks is working on a solution that will let you drink your double Americano without the guilt. The ubiquitous coffee chain is launching a first-of-its kind trial program to bring reusable cups to London's Gatwick airport.

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The program, which was created in conjunction with environmental nonprofit Hubbub, lets Starbucks customers pay five pence for a disposable cup or borrow one of the 2,000 or so reusable cups for their drink for free.

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If they choose the reusable option, they simply chug their sugar-free cinnamon dolce double shot lattes and, when they are done, drop the cup off at one of five "Cup Check-In" points throughout the airport. The cups are collected from there, washed, and put back into circulation.

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Easy, right?

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Swapping reusable cups for disposable ones could help cut down on the seven million paper cups Gatwick reportedly disposes of each year, of which 5.3 million are recycled.

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According to Hubbub, the month-long trial program will help it figure out whether "people's concern about plastic waste can be translated into practical action if it is made easy and convenient."

Hubbub?????????????????"????????????????????????????"

The company plans to track the number of returned cups, experimenting with different collection points to maximize the return rate.

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1)inevitable adj. ????????

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????it is inevitable that????

It was inevitable that there would be job losses.

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Death is inevitable.

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2)conjunction n. ??;????

??in conjunction with???“?.....?????.....”?

There is not enough time for listening and talking, and not enough time for the conjunction of minds.

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the conjunction of two events ????????

3)Swap v. ?...??;??

??swap sth. for sth.???“??????”

I've finished this magazine. Can I swap with you?

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Next week they will swap places and will repeat the switch weekly.

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