There are more than 2,800 local groups and small organisations committed to One World issues in the Federal State of North Rhine-Westphalia. They engage in topics such as social justice on a global scale, human rights, and worldwide solidarity.

Our network fosters the commitment of these volunteers. We support the local groups in various ways:

- our Coordinators for Development Education facilitate the exchange of experience among one world groups and organize activities together,
- we organize school programmes in global learning,
- we realize campaigns for Fair Trade and Climate Protection,
- we send young volunteers to development projects in the Global South. By doing volunteer service, the network supports intercultural exchange and sensitizes young adults for social injustice and global issues. We facilitate their engagement in development education.

Our Network started in 1991, when several local One World Networks decided to co-operate more closely and created an umbrella association. Our first projects included nation-wide Mural-Painting Projects with international artists visualizing topics of the Agenda 21.

Furthermore, we publish a diary of local One World events on our website, and keep a database comprehend more than 2,800 One World groups in North Rhine-Westphalia. These groups maintain partnerships with local development projects or schools in nearly every developing country. Our database helps to enhance exchange and co-operation between them.
We lobby for a sustainable development worldwide as well as in North Rhine-Westphalia. Hence, we promote a life-style wasting less resources.

We promote the “beyond 2015” debate with regard to the discussion on sustainable consumption and production, post-growth, climate justice and further topics. Furthermore, we intensify our international relations and network with partners in the Global South, i.e. within the Partnership between North-Rhine Westphalia and Mpumalanga/South Africa.

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