



केन्द्रीय माध्यमिक शिक्षा बोर्ड

(मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार, के अधीन एक स्वायत्त संगठन)

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All the Heads of Affiliated Institutions

WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

05th June, 2015

HOW HUMANITY LIVES, IMPACTS THE PLANET

Earth, the magnificent planet, also called the **Blue Planet**, serves as a home to all living beings. It sustains millions of species, by providing them the valuable natural resources, they depend upon for survival. An increase in human population and their growing demand on the available resources have significantly accelerated their depletion. Today, humanity and the environment are facing major threats to the very wellbeing and sustenance of the planet.

Let the celebration of the World Environment Day 2015, be an opportunity to sensitise our students about these environmental issues, and build in them, a positive and caring attitude. They need to ask themselves as to how their changing dietary choices, modes of travel and even shopping habits are stretching the limits of our planet's resources.

Students ,through their participation in a number of group projects, literary competitions, cultural presentations ,rallies, speeches and debates, will arrive at ways to benefit from the earth's resources, through conservation practices and use of new , eco – friendly technologies to utilize natural resources sustainably and judiciously. WED is a global celebration of what we already have , and also a reminder that are helping ourselves, by building and sustaining a clean, green and healthy environment for the generations to come.

Let the students take a pledge to protect their environment on this World Environment Day.
(Pledge enclosed at Annexure- I)

LET'S TAKE PART IN SOME OF THESE ECO-EVENTS TOGETHER!

Classes I to V

- ◆ Developing a nursery/herbal garden in the school with the seeds or plants brought by the students themselves.
- ◆ Briefing the students about the do's and don'ts that may be practiced in daily life to conserve energy.
- ◆ Identifying and listing of animals like Squirrels that play a crucial role in producing new plants.
- ◆ Slogan writing on **'Save Your Planet'**.



Source:

<http://www.webjazba.com/2015/01/21/indian-palm-squirrel/>

Squirrels put the nuts into the ground to be consumed later but may not get back to each of them which then grow into new plants.

Classes VI- VIII

- ◆ Poster – making on the theme **'Save Energy, Protect your Environment'**.
- ◆ An elocution competition (3 minutes per speaker) on: **Renewable Sources: the energy sources of the future.**
- ◆ A group activity to create some new things out of waste.
- ◆ Organizing quiz on names and places of national parks, wild life sanctuaries in India.

Classes IX-XII

- ◆ Essay writing on **'Role of Wild life Sanctuaries in Conserving Wild life'**.
- ◆ Organizing a seminar on **'Natural Disasters, their Prevention and the ways to Combat Them'**.
- ◆ Preparing a plan to install a **Rainwater Harvesting system** in your school or study its functioning and impact (if it is already installed).
- ◆ Organizing a debate on **'Organic farming is better than Conventional farming for our environment'**.

Note:

- ◆ Please fill up the report for WED 2015 by 15th July, 2015: [CLICK HERE TO FILL THE REPORT](#)
- ◆ The photographs or Videography of WED 2015 celebration, along with name of school and complete address with affiliation number, may be sent to **Mrs. Archana Thakur, Assistant Professor & Deputy Director** at cbse.archana@gmail.com.
- ◆ The CBSE requests all School Heads to take the opportunity to share this very important message of the World Environment Day 2015 with their teachers and students, through the conduct of the suggested activities in their schools on 5th June 2015 or within first week after opening of their schools (in case the schools are closed on 05th June, 2015).

Regards,

Sd/-

Mrs. Sugandh Sharma
Additional Director & I/C (R&I)

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Pledge to protect our Environment

I, being a responsible human being, will do my best to protect my Environment and fellow human beings. In this endeavor it is my duty to protect Earth and its natural resources. I will adopt practices that help the Environment and minimize the wastage of natural resources. I pledge to spread the message of protection of Environment further and create awareness in my fellow human beings.