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PREFACE





To strengthen informal environmental education nationwide and foster a connection between young people and nature, the Government of India's Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has transformed its Environment Education, Awareness and Training (EEAT) scheme into the Environment Education Programme (EEP). This program aims to educate young people about environmental issues and inspire them to adopt sustainable practices. It accomplishes this through engaging activities like capacity building, workshops, projects, exhibitions, campaigns, competitions, nature camps, and other awareness programs. As the State Implementing Agency, the Centre for Environmental Studies plays a leading role in implementing these initiatives, fostering an environmentally aware younger generation.

In the 2022-23 session, CES initially proposed a series of activities to the Ministry, including 10 exhibitions, 10 capacity building sessions, 20 nature camps, and 500 campaigns. Despite time constraints, all these activities were successfully carried out by the schools, colleges, and district authorities.

Again in the session 2023-24, we conducted 21 capacity building training programs, providing training to 1050 selected teachers. Additionally, we offered 4250 students the chance to participate in 85 nature camps and learning programs aimed at fostering an appreciation and love for nature. During these programs, students engaged in various activities such as trekking, bird watching, identifying plants, discovering the life cycles and habitats of animals, and more.

Eight exhibitions were organized across 8 districts, with 50 participants from different schools showcasing models on sustainable lifestyles across eleven themes, including energy conservation, water conservation, drip irrigation, waste reduction, elimination of single use plastic, swachhata for making healthy environment, medicinal plant gardening, establishing kitchen gardens or rooftop gardens, waste management, green belt development/plantation, vermin-composting, and adopting sustainable lifestyles.

Each exhibition involved 50 students and 50 guide teachers, attracting over 4000 students and members of the general public. These exhibitions effectively promoted sustainable lifestyles, generating positive enthusiasm and interest among visitors.

Capacity building programs for teachers focused on promoting sustainable lifestyles through skill-based or product-based training on relevant themes. Trained teachers were tasked with implementing these activities in their respective institutions. Remarkably, approximately 150 schools in each activity category demonstrated tangible results. Notably, nearly 120 schools successfully established vermin-composting pits, sharing their innovative ideas through practical demonstrations to inspire others. Some districts organized large-scale awareness campaigns through rallies and meetings.

Several schools enthusiastically engaged in developing mini nurseries, resulting in significant growth and development. Moreover, many schools successfully established kitchen or rooftop gardens, already reaping the benefits of these initiatives.

Despite the limited number of participating schook, the program received an overwhelming response. Plans are underway to expand the program in the next financial year, aiming to reach more schook and individuals, guiding and motivating them towards embracing a green, sustainable lifestyle. Gratitude is extended to everyone involved including the Centre for Environmental Studies, district authorities, teachers, and students, for their collective efforts in promoting environmental awareness and mobilizing student participation in conservation efforts, thus refining and perfecting the program.

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## ENVIRONMENT EDUCATION PROGRAMME (EEP)

In accordance with the newly launched Environment Education Programme (EEP) under the revised scheme of the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Government of India, the Centre for Environmental Studies (CES), under the Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department of the Government of Odisha, has been designated as the Implementing Agency (IA) for conducting activities under EEP, acting as the State Nodal Agency (SNA) for the National Green Corps (NGC) Programme.

As part of the Ministry's new program design, CES planned for organizing various activities, including 21 Capacity Building Programs (covering 13 districts), 04 District-level exhibitions (covering 4 districts), 85 Nature Camps (covering all districts), and 4000 campaigns through eco-clubs boking into the comfortably participation of eco-clubs in short period time left out in the financial year 2023-24.



Capacity Building Program



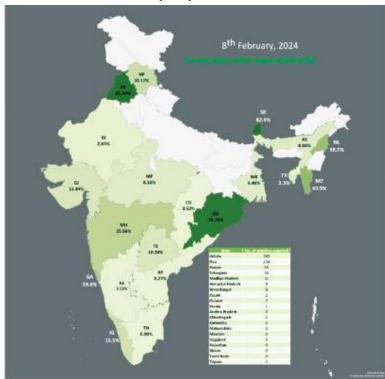
Exhibition on Sustainable Lifestyle



Nature Camp

### **REGISTRATION IN EEP PORTAL**

Registration in EEP Portal under the Environment Education Programme (EEP) of the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Government of India, the Centre for Environmental Studies (CES) in the Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department, Government



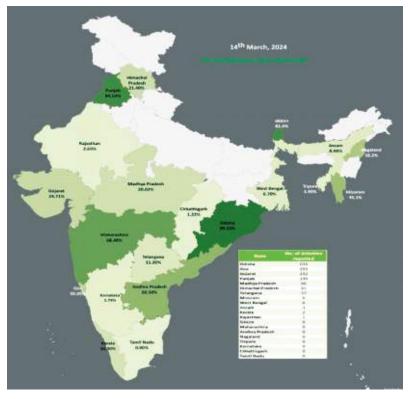
of Odisha, has been assigned to function as the Implementing Agency (IA) for conducting various activities under EEP.

As part of this program, the Government of India through MoEF&CC has launched a portal for the EEP program, in which all state implementing agencies were instructed to circulate the message among all eco-clubs to register themselves on this portal.

In Odisha, there are 15,250 ecoclubs established by both the Government of Odisha and the Government of India. CES has requested all eco-clubs functioning in the state to register on the portal. The Ministry aimed

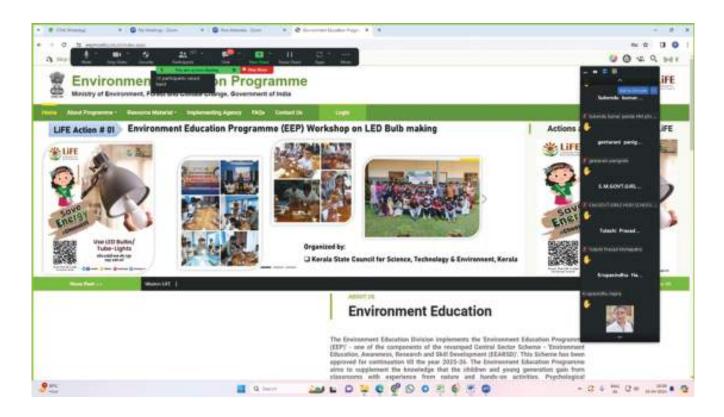
for 12,500 eco-clubs to be registered on the portal. However, registration has surpassed the 100% target, reaching 12,521 within a short duration, and registration is still ongoing by other schook and colleges. This achievement is unique in the country. From time to time, MoEF&CC shares the status report of registration.

This has been achieved due to continuous effort of CES by encouraging schools & colleges through regular message by WhatsApp, Telegram, Email directly and also through District Education Officers and Mo School Abhijan Parichalana Sangathan Office.

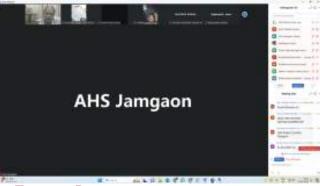


### **ONLINE TRAINING**

More than 20 online sessions were conducted since 15th September 2023 to 31.03.2024 to provide hands on training on "How to Register in EEP Website", "Uploading Activity Information", and "Sharing Practical Knowledge on how to conduct", "Theme based activities for visible outcomes" on regular intervals. In each session more than 300 teachers participated







Some Screen Shots of Online Training Programme

### CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME ON SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLE

From 13 selected districts, 21 Capacity Building program was conducted covering 10 themes, with 50 teachers from the respective districts namely Anugul, Bolangir, Boudh, Cuttack, Dhenkanal, Khordha, Ganjam, Jajpur, Kendrapada, Keonjhar, Nayagarh, Nuapada, and Puri participating. For each theme, program were conducted in each district inviting 50 selected teachers. The themes covered included "Elimination of Single-Use Plastics", "Energy Conservation", "Development of Kitchen/Rooftop Garden", "Nursery Raising", "Medicinal Garden", "Plantation Technique", "Water Conservation", "Swachhta", "Waste Management" and "Vermi-Composting". One Capacity Building programs were organized for each specific theme. 1050 teachers from 13 districts have been trained in 21 Capacity Building programs. There was also media coverage in the State Dailies. Guide books on respective themes were compiled and distributed among participants.

During the Capacity Building programs, teachers were fully trained with practical exercises and the schools have been assigned to conduct their Campaigns on the concerned themes. Experts from State Implementing Agency and invited local subject experts imparted the trainings. The Office of the District Education Officers, District Science Supervisors and Divisional Forest Offices of concerned districts extended their full cooperation in organizing the programs. Required resource materials on concerned themes have been distributed among teachers for their guidance in carrying out their activities. Certificates of completion of Master Trainer training were distributed among all teachers in these programs.

Followings are some photos of capacity building programs conducted in different districts:





Capacity Building on Medicinal Plant Gardening conducted in Balasore district on 04.03.2024 at MG-Ratnakar Town High School, Baligohiri





Capacity Building Program on Vermi-Composting at Vidyaneeketan U. P. School, Bolangir on 15.03.2024







Capacity Building Program on Plantation Techniques at Saintala Public School, Bohngir on 17.03.2024







Capacity Building Programme on Vermi-composting for 50 selected youth conducted on 30.03.2024 at Cuttack. NRRI Principal Scientist and DFO, Athagarh demonstrated practical procedures.





Capacity Building programme on Energy Conservation at DAV Public School, Unit-VIII, Bhubaneswar for teachers of different schools on 19.03.2024





Capacity Building Programme on Vermi-composting at Utkalmani Govt High School, Manijanga, Jagatsing hpur





Capacity Building Programme on Vermi-composting at B.D. High School, Jajpur on 09.02.2024





Capacity Building Programme on Vermi-composting at Govt. High School, Panikoili Jajpur on 10.02.2024





Capacity building on energy conservation today by Champakeswar High School, Kendrapara on 14.03.2024



Capacity Building program for youth on 'Nursery Technique' at Nayagarh District on 29.03.2024





Capacity Building program for youth on 'Nursery Technique' at Nayagarh District on 29.03.2024

### EXHIBITION OF MODELS/ PRODUCTS FOR PROMOTING SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLE

Similarly, eight nos of District level exhibitions were organized in Jajpur, Khordha, Boudh, Kendrapara, Koraput, Sonepur & Puri districts. In one exhibition, 50 selected school students along with their guide teachers were invited from concerned districts to exhibit their models/ products related to Sustainable Lifestyles on 10 themes namely "Elimination of Single-Use Plastics", "Energy Conservation", "Development of Kitchen/ Rooftop Garden", "Nursery Raising", "Medicinal Garden", "Plantation Technique", "Water Conservation", "Swachhta", "Waste Management" and "Vermi-Composting". Winners were awarded. In total, 400 students exhibited their models/ products and more than 4000 people visited the exhibitions. The activities were also in the State Dailies. Best 3 Winners in each Exhibition were awarded with certificates & cash prizes in the concerned programs.

Followings are some photos of exhibitions conducted in different districts:









District level Exhibition was organized on 22.03.2024 at DAV Public School, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar under EEP on the theme "Lifestyle for Environment" covering all 7 themes. 59 students from different schools along with their guide teachers participated and exhibited their ideas. Dr. Anup Kumar Nayak, Retd. IFS, PCCF, Former ADG, National Tiger Conservation Authority, MoEF&CC inaugurated the exhibition. A selfie point was also installed in the venue. Winners of exhibition were awarded with certificates & cash prizes.





Exhibition on Sustainable Lifestyle by the students of Maa Budhijagulai UP (ME) School, Rasuna, Rasulpur, Jajpur on 13.03.2024





District level exhibition on Lifestyle for Environment in Biraja Govt. High School, Jajpur on 14.03.2024







One day district evel Exhibition on 'Lifesty'e for Environment' organized on 28.03.2024 in Puri Zilla School, dist Puri where 60 students of different schools exhibited their idea and winners awarded.

### **NATURE CAMP PROGRAMME**

Under Environment Education Programme (EEP) of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Government of India, 85 Nature Camps have been organized in the State covering eco-club students of 28 districts. In each Camp 50 students & guide teachers were invited Students learned about nature and its care while doing different activities in the nature sites. Experts trained the students by involving them in different activities such as making some articles from tree leaves, painting, group discussion, debate, identify plants and animals study of their lifestyles, making eco-friendly products, bio-diversity register, bird watching, art using plant leaves, trained on how forest fire is extinguished, how to study age of trees, study animal habitats etc. Total 4250 students were benefitted in these Nature Camps.

Nature Camp sites are Tikarapada Crocodile Sanctury, Angul; Attaspur Sea Beach, Balasore; Chandipur, Balasore; Hadagarh Dam, Bhadrak; Olasuni Mountain, Jajpur; Bhim Pahad, Bolangir; Harishankar, Bolangir; Anshupa Lake, Cuttack; Saptasajya, Dhenkanal; Ekamra-Kanan Botanical Garden, Bhubaneswar; Daringibadi Nature Camp, Kandhamal; Chilika Lake, Khordha; Chandaka Wildlife Sanctury, Bhubaneswar; Similipal Wild Life Sanctury; Nuanai Nature Camp, Puri; Sarafgarh Nature Camp, Sundargarh etc.

Followings are some photos of nature camp conducted in different districts:





Govt. UP School, Anantapali, Angul at Tikarapada Crocodile Sanctuary on 24.02.2024





Mission Girls High School, Balasore at Chandpur, Balasore on 31.03.2024





Govt. High School, Avana, Balasore at Attaspur Sea Beach on 11.02.2024





Laxminarayan High School, Dunguripali, Bargarh at Nrusinghanath on 20.03.2024





Bania High School, Bania, Bhadrak at Hadagarh & Gadchandi on 21.02.2024





BSC Govt High School, Chandbali, Bhadrak at Hadagarh Dam & Chakratirtha Waterfall on 05.03.2024





Sarala High School, Chandbali, Bhadrak at Olasuni Mountain, Jajpur on 05.03.2024





Sindol Panchayat Uchcha Vidyapitha, Bhadrak at Olasuni Gumpha, Jajpur on 05.03.2024





Panchayat High School, Phulkimunda, Bolangir at Harishankar on 21.03.2024





Rengali High School, Bolangir at Gandhamardhana Hill Range Heritage Site on 29.02.2024





Vidyaneeketan UP School, Tusura, Bolangir at Bhim Pahad, Bolangir on 24.02.2024





Rebadevi Sovaniya Sikhyashram, Cuttack at Anshupa Lake on 02.02.2024





Sai Saraswati Sishu Bidya Mandir, Gopinathpur, Cuttack at Obsuni, Balichandrapur on 15.02.2024





Biswanahakani SSD High School, Tangi, Cuttack at Ekamrakanan Park, Bhubanes war on 23.03.2024





Gopabandhu Girls High School, Khuntakata, Cuttack at Saptasajya, Dhenkanal on 07.02.2024





Lakheswar Women H. Sec. School, Phulnakhara, Cuttack at Ekamrakanan Park, Bhubaneswar on 06.02.2024





Nehru Nodal Uccha Bidyapitha, Nayabazar, Cuttack at Anshupa Lake on 11.02.2024





Sachala Devi Girl's High School, Brahmapura, Banki, Cuttack at Debagiri Hill on 17.02.2024





Tangi Higher Sec. School, Cuttack at Ekamrakanan Park, Bhubaneswar on 10.02.2024





KG High School, Mahendragarh, Gajapati at Gandahati Waterfall on 11.02.2024





Khandadeuli High School, Ganjam at Budhakhol, Singasini on 29.03.2024





National High School, Dura, Ganjam at Saluapalli Nature Camp, Bhanjanagar on 17.03.2024





Hajirahimian Govt High School, Brahmabarada at Mahavinayak, Chandikhol on 17.03.2024





Mahaveer High School, Dala, Jajpur at Ashok Jhar, Kapilash, Saptasajya on 11.02.2024





Muralidhar Memorial GP High School, Chikana, Jajpur at Olasuni Gumpha, 11.02.2024





Panchayat High School, Rampur, Jajpur at Ashokjhara on 29.03.2024





P.K.S.S Higher Secondary School, H.Katapali, Jharsuguda at Debrigarh on 20.03.2024





Police High School, Bhawanipatna, Kalahandi at Bhagirathi Park, Phul rijharan on 25.02.2024





Govt High School, Nediapadar-B, Phiringia, Kandhamal at Daringibadi & Mandasaru on 05.03.2024





Govt U.G. High School, Budaguda, Kandhamal at Daringibadi on 23.03.2024





Balunkeswar Nodal High School, Balabhadralur, Kendrapara at Bhitarakanika on 11.02.2024











SKC High School, Patrapur, Kendrapada at Bhitarakanika on 11.02.2024





Beena Bharati Vidyamandir, Bharatpur, Bhubaneswar at Ekamrakanan Park, Bhubaneswar on 04.02.2024





Jeypore City High School, Koraput at Upper Kolab on 11.02.2024





IRC Village High School, Bhubaneswar at Chilika Lake on 11.02.2024





Saras wati Sishu Bidyamandir, Nirakarpur, Khordha at Magalajodi, Chilika on 03.02.2024





UG High School, Dhanpur, Koraput at Punjishil Waterfall on 11.02.2024





Govt High School, Gadapadar, Koraput at Punjishil Waterfall on 11.02.2024





Ramakrushna Sikshyakendra, Jayadev Vihar, Bhubaneswar at Ansupa Lake on 11.02.2024





Netaji High School, Thuba, Koraput at Rani Duduma, Mandapur on 14.03.2024





Malkangiri Junior College at Chitrakonda Eco-Park on 11.02.2024





Govt High School, Bhursani, Mayurbhanj at Similipal Wildlife Sanctuary on 18.02.2024





Is warchandra Govt High School, Kherna, Saraskana, Mayurbhanj at Kandia Waterfall on 01.03.2024





Raghunath High School, Raikama, Mayurbhanj at Bounsha River Bank, Jahata on 23.02.2024





Saraswati Sishu Vidya Mandir, Saraskana, Mayurbhanj at Meru Math, Similipal on 24.02.2024





Dandakaranya Adarsha Vidyalaya, Umerkote, Nabarangpur at Sanakhadaka Reserve Forest on 21.03.2024





Government Higher Secondary School, Jamrunda, Umerkote, Nabarangpur at Bhaskel Dam on 21.03.2024





KC Bidyapitha, Gania, Nayagarh at Jogijogiani, Khandapada on 09.02.2024





Sri Aviram Nodal Bidyapitha, Karamala, Puri at Baliharichandi Sea Beach on 18.02.2024





Barunei High School, Patapur, Puri at Balighai, Konark on 21.02.2024





Puri Zilla School at Tortoise Project Centre, Puri on 27.02.2024





Ramakrushna Sishu Mandir, Mahadevabasta, Kakatpur, Puri at Ganga Devi Muhana, Astarang on 09.03.2024





Saraswati Sishu Vidyamandir, Chandanpur, Puri at Nuanai Nature Camp on 08.02.2024





Govt High School, Kalyansinghpur, Rayagada at Bijipur Waterfall on 18.02.2024





Govt UG High School, Badaalubadi, Rayagada at Pitamahal Forest Area on 17.03.2024





Imphal Campus High School, Therubali, Rayagada at Swarnagiri, Panasapadar on 18.02.2024









DAV Public School, Unit-8, Bhubaneswar at Chandaka Wildlife Sanctuary, Bhubaneswar on 12.03.2024







Students at Baisipali Sanctuary on 31.03.2024





Balugaon College Students at Nabbana Wildlife Sanctuary on 22.03.2024





Nalini Vidya Mandir Bariguda, Raygada at Gadgada Waterfall, Kurli on 03.03.2024



Manoharpur High School, Keonjhar at Gonasika on 11.02.2024



Dadhibaman High School, Bausuni, Sonepur at Patali Srikhetra on 11.02.2024





Govt (CoE) High School, Kutra, Sundargarh at Sarafgarh Nature Camp on 17.03.2024

### **CAMPAIGNS:**

More than 4000 campaigns through eco-clubs were organized with the theme of "Elimination of Single-Use Plastics", "Energy Conservation", "Development of Kitchen/Rooftop Garden", "Nursery Raising", "Medicinal Garden", "Plantation Technique", "Water Conservation", "Swachhta", "Waste Management" and "Vermi-Composting". Interested eco-clubs from all districts were assigned to conduct different activities on above themes.

During the implementation of EEP in Odisha, CES received significant support from District Authorities, Schook, and Colleges. In addition to the assigned activities under EEP, schools and colleges also supported other programs aimed at promoting Sustainable Lifestyles, such as circulating posters compiled by the Ministry on LiFE and conducting awareness programs to convey the messages described in the posters through classroom teaching and rallies.

# Few snapshots of campaign on Elimination of Single Use Plastics conducted by schools of different districts:





Jubar aj High School, Talcher, Angul





Govt. UP School, M.Katapali, Bargarh



Yasobantapur UP School, Bhadrak



R.J. Ucha Bidyapeetha, Lodhani, Parjang, Dhenkanal



Saraswati Sishu Vidyamandir, Balikuda, Jagatsinghpur



Govt. Upper Primary School, Buromal, Jharsuguda



Govt Girls High School, Boudh



Govt. High School, Champakhandi, Ganjam



AC High School, Phabpur, Jajpur



Narsingh High School, Chhualiberena, Jharsuguda





Govt. UP School, Pandaripathar, Jharsuguda



Govt. UP School, Rengali, Jharsuguda



Govt. UP School, Kudaloi, Lakhanpur, Jharsuguda



GP High School, Gayalmunda, Anandapur, Keonjhar



Duaghat High School, Saharpada, Keonjhar



Govt. UP School, Bausenpali, Keonjhar



NJ Bidyapitha, Uchabali, Champua, Keonjhar



Govt High School, Sudung, Laikera, Jharsuguda



Govt. High School, Brajarajnagar, Jharsuguda



Bhagabati High School, Belarpur, Kendrapara



Badajamupasi G. P High School, Ghatagaon, Keonjhar



NAC Govt. High School, Brajarajnagar, Jharsuguda



Govt. UG High School, Nedipadar, Kandhamal



Govt. Vocational Higher Sec. School, Pipilia, Keonjhar



Dhabaleswar Govt. High School, Deojhar, Keonjhar



R.P. Girls' High School, Bhimpur, Keonjhar



Laxminarayan Higher Sec. School, Pipili, Keonjhar



BJEM School, Satyabhamapur, Bhubaneswar



Balika Vidyalaya, Khetrajpur, Sambalpur



Panchayat Girls High School, Taratara, Keonjhar



Govt. SSD Girls Higher Sec. School, Raidiha Keonjhar



Higher Secondary School, Malkangiri



Govt High school, Sikarapai, Raygada

# Few snapshots of campaign on **Energy Conservation** conducted by schools of different districts:





Panchayat High School, Jokhipali, Bargarh



Govt. High School, Dhenkanal



Khandadeuli High school, Khandadeuli, Ganjam



SM High School, Balasore



Panchayat High School, Kamakhya Nagar, Dhenkanal



Govt High School, Medical Campus, Berhampur, Ganjam



Aryakanya Gurukul, Tanarada, Ganjam



Ananta Prasad Govt. High School, Anji, Balasore





Govt. High School, Damsal, Dhenkal



Panchayat Govt High School, Kutumdola, Bolangir



Korua Govt. High School, Kendrapara



Panchayat High School, Goleipur, Jajpur



AC Govt. High School, Phaapur, Jajpur



Gopal Jew Govt High School, Muraipur, Jajpur



Ersama High School, Jagatsingpur



Govt. High School, Purna, Jharsuguda



Govt. Girls' High School, Phulbani, Kandhamal



Surendranath Nodal High School, Puri



Bidhan Chandra Govt High School, Baliapal, Jajpur



Govt. High School, Kirmira, Jharsuguda



Bhagabati High School, Belarpur, Kendrapara



Bhaleri Govt. High School, Chasangara, Khordha



Govt UG High School, Jeypore, Koraput



Govt. UG High School, Ampavally, Koraput



Niladrinagar High School, Malkangiri



Gopinath High School Sunaisikuan, Nuapada



Govt. Girls High School, Puri



Maa Bhuasuni High School, Hantasura, Puri



Govt. Higher Secondnary School, Khuntagaon, Nuagaon, Sundargarh

# Few snapshots of Exposure Visit Under the campaign on Energy Conservation conducted by schools of different districts:





DivyaJivan High School Kandasar, Angul





Palsada Govt High School, Palsada, Paikamal, Bargarh





Palsada Govt High School, Palsada, Paikamal, Bargarh





Govt. UG High School, Randa, Balangir





Radha Raman High School, Jhadabhumi, Ganjam





Sridhar Govt. High School, Borasingi, Surada, Ganjam





Ajo Govt. High School, Phulbani, Kandhamal





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Utkalmani Govt. High School, Puri





Budharaja Govt. High School, Sambalpur





Govt. High School, Khuntagaon, Sundargarh





Govt. High School, Sec.-6, Rourkela, Sundargarh

# Few snapshots of campaign on Kitchen Garden conducted by schools of different districts:



Govt. UG High School, Antulia, Angul



B.N. Academy, Jamalpur, Balasore



Barabati Govt. Girls' High School, Balasore



Banshidhar Bidyapitha, Kuligan, Babsore



Barabati Govt High School, Balasore



Gangadhar High School, Saras watipur, Balasore



Govt. SSD Girls' High School, Badasimulia, Balasore



Lau didarha Ashram School, Bargarh





Kusapada Ashram School, Cuttack





Kundapitha High School, Kundapitha, Deogarh



Govt UP School, Dangakhol, Deogarh



Dhobalipathar UG U.P. School, Tileibani, Deogarh



Govt. UP School, Kalkath, Deogarh



Govt. U.P. School, Satakiari, Reamal, Deogarh



Govt. UG High School, Kuspanga, Deogarh



UP School, Budhapal, Deogarh



OAV, Ankarantipur, Odapada, Dhenkanal



Kankadahad GP High School, Sadar, Dhenkanal



Sri Jagannath Govt. High School, Nuagarh, Dhenkanal



Srima Aurobindo High School, Ana, Dhenkanal



Govt. High School, Sankarpur, Dhenkanal



GMR Varalakshmi DAV Public School, Dhenkanal



PG High School, Suniamaru, Dhenkanal



UG High School, Marlaba, Gajapati



Govt. High School, Tarajanga, Jagatsinghpur



Govt. High School, Kuliamal, Kalahandi



RJA Uchha Bidyalaya Haladikundi, Dhenkanal



Mahamahima High School, Jagatsinghpur



Kapteswar Bidyapitha, Dhinkia, Jagatsinghpur



Govt. UG High School, Nedipadar, Kandhamal



Koro Panchayat Nodal High School, Kendrapara



RJA Uchha Bidyalaya Haladikundi, Dhenkanal



Govt. High School, Pujariput, Koraput



Govt. High School, Bahalda, Mayurbhanj



Saraswati Sishu Vidya Mandir, Nuagad, Nabarangpur



Hariswardev Vocational Higher Sec. School, Puri



Kunjapali Ashram School, Subarnapur

#### Few snapshots of campaign on Medicinal Garden conducted by schools of different districts:



Santarabandha High School, Chhendipada, Angul



Ratnakar Town High School, Balasore



Mission Girls High School, Balasore



S.C.D. Govt. High School, Bagpunji, Balasore



Govt. UP School, Khalinali, Deogarh



Higher Secondary School, Sankarakhol, Dhenkanal



Govt. High School Purna, Jharsuguda





AJO Govt. High School, Phulbani, Kandhamal



Bhagabati High School, belarpur, Kendrapara



Govt. High School, Bhurungasob, Mayurbhanj



Govt. High School, Sikarapai, Rayagada



Women's Higher Secondary School, Rairakhol



SPS Govt. High School, Kechhupani, Sambalpur



Govt. High School, Kutarimal, Sambalpur

## Few snapshots of campaign on Plantation Drive conducted by schools of different districts:



Govt. High School, Godibandha, Angul



GBD Yuvajyoti High School, Bamur, Angul



DAV School, Kalinga Area, Talcher





RR UP School, Kinerkela, Kesinga, Kabhandi



Nadiabarai Govt. High School, Kendrapara



Govt. U.G. High School, Badakumuli, Nabarangpur



DAV Public School, Puri



Nagpada U.G. U.P. School, Bargarh



RCD Nodal Govt High School Nabarangpur



Kartang High School Sonepur



Dhobali Pathar UG UP School, Deogarh



Govt. Nodal High School, Jamrunda, Nabarangpur





Chichaigu da Govt. High School, Kalahandi



Govt. UG High School, Kandhamal



Govt. UG High School, Nedipadar, Kandhamal



Govt UG High School, Bada Alubadi, Raygada



Govt. High School, Kutarimal, Sambalpur

### Few snapshots of campaign on Swachhta & Healthy Environment conducted by schools of different districts:





Dasapalla Girls High School, Nayagarh





Gopinath High School, Sunarisikuan, Nuapada



Satyabhama Govt. High School, Badakhandi, Ganjam



JN High School, Badmal, Sambalpur



Govt High School, Kirmira, Jharsuguda



RR UP School, Kinerkela, Kalahandi



Govt. Primary School, Khajuridarh, Deogarh



Aryakanya Gurukul, Tanarada, Ganjam



Govt. Co E High School, Sec-6, Sundargarh



Govt. Girls High School, Puri



Town Govt. High School, Bhabanipatna, Kalahandi



Govt. SSD Girl's High School Podagada, Koraput



Govt. High School, Ambapala, Angul



Gram Panchayat Govt. High School, Pithagola, Keonjhar

### Few snapshots of campaign on Vermi Composting conducted by schook of different districts:



DMB Govt. High School, Balasore





GN High School, Gaisilat, Bargarh



BD High School, Ganiapali, Bargarh



AA High School, Paharsrigida, Bargarh



Odisha Adarsha Vidyalaya, Ambabhona, Bargarh



Govt High School, Manijanga, Jagatsinghpur



Jajpur Zilla School, Jajpur



Jagabalia High School, Patrapur, Dharmasala, Jajpur



Mugpal Govt High School, Jajpur



Govt. Girls High School, Mangalpur, Jajpur



Laxmi Narayan High School, Pobal, Jajpur



Kadambini Pal Womens College, Rajatota, Jajpur



AC Govt. High School, phalapur, Jajpur





Govt. UP School, Khaliapani, Nuapada

#### Few snapshots of campaign on Waste Management conducted by schools of different districts:



Radhashyam Anchalik High School, Bilaisarda, Bolangir



Grampanchayat High School, Chhatapipal, Bolangir



Jarasingha Higher Sec. School, Jarasingha, Bolangir



Grampanchayat High School, Maharapadar, Bolangir



Govt. Boys High School, Titilagarh, Bolangir



Panchayat High School, Badibahal, Bolangir



Anchalik High School, Jamgaon, Bolangir



MSS Bidyapitha, Joranda, Athgarh, Cuttack



Lachhamam High School, Barada, Dhenkanal



Durbandha UP School, Durbandha, Ganjam



AC Govt. High School, Phabpur, Binjharpur, Jajpur



Anchalika High School, Jamgaon, Jharsuguda



Govt. High School, Champakeswar, Kendrapara



Govt. UP School, Jorajam, Khordha



Govt Girls' High School, Phulbani, Kandhamal



Govt Girls' High School, Rayagada



Govt High School, Birbira, Sundargarh



MS Govt. High School, Bondamunda, Sundargarh



Govt. SSD Girls' High School, Chhoteanga, Sundargarh



Panchayat High School, Gairbahal, Sundargarh



Govt High School, Khuntagaon, Sundargarh



Govt. Higher sec. School, Khuntagaon, Sundargarh



Govt. Higher Sec. School, Rourkela, Sundargarh



DAV Public School, Kansbahal, Sundargarh

# Few snapshots of campaign on Water Conservation conducted by schools of different districts:



Uchadiha Primary School, Basudebpur, Bhadrak



Adani DAV Public School, Bhadrak



Dhamarai Govt High School, Bhadrak



Padmabati Nodal High School, Erada, Bhadrak



Govt. U.P. School, Kamalpur, Boudh



J.B. High School, Maulsinga, Boudh



Balakrushna Govt. High School, Jignipur, Cuttack



Biswanahakani Higher Sec. School, Tangi, Cuttack



Khannagar Govt. High School, Cuttack



Saraswati Sikshya Mandir, Station Bazar, Cuttack



Rebadebi Sovaniya Sikhyashram, Cuttack



Jagadalpur High school Gunthapada Aska, Ganjam



Daffodils Public School, Cuttack



L.R. DAV Public School, Cuttack



Radha Raman High school, Jhadabhumi, Ganjam



Makarajhola High school, Hinjilikatu, Ganjam



N.Prusty Nodal High School, Pailipada, Ganjam





Juania Govt Girls High School, Kendrapara



Akhua Odanga Govt High School, Marshaghai, Kendrapara



BJEM School-II, Satyabhamapur, Khordha



Government High school, Narayanpatna, Koraput



Govt. Girls High School, Bonaigarh, Sundargarh



Badasahi Govt High School, Mayurbhanj

#### ELECTRICAL SAFETY AWARENESS PROGRAMME

Electricity is a familiar and essential part of everyday life, but negligence can kill severely injure and cause damage to property. Raising awareness about safe practices and safety guidelines can greatly reduce the number of incidences. With this objective Electrical safety awareness programme was held in 5 schools of different districts of Odisha. This was special programme organised by Centre for Environmental Studies (CES), Department of Forest, Environment & Climate Change, Govt. of Odisha. Spearhead this annual campaign to educate key audiences about the steps that can be taken to reduce the number of electrically related fires, fatalities, injuries, and property loss etc.

Various activities were conducted among students on electrical safety such as Drawing, Essay

and Slogan writing competitions, Rally with placard and banners to nearby village to sensitize local people about electrical safety, Nrutya natika on energy conservation & electrical safety, Cleanness programme with students teachers in nearby areas, Pledge taking by all teachers and students and Awareness meeting on Electrical safety was organised. Judgement of competitions conducted by school teachers and other delegate persons. Winners were awarded with certificates and LED night lamp. Drawing paper, pens, Jute bags, T-shirt and caps were distributed to all participants.



#### Details of activities given below:

1. To mark the celebration on dated **06.12.2023** at Maa Bhubasini High School, Samantrapur old town, Bhubaneswar, Khordha with a gathering of 200 students and teachers. Jute bags, T-shirt and caps were distributed to 120 participants. An Electrical safety pledge was taken by all teachers and students. About 120 students under the guidance of teachers took out rallies holding placards and banners to sensitize local people about electrical safety. A cleanliness drive was also organised by teachers and students to make the school campus and nearby areas clean and garbage free. An awareness meeting was held wherein 200 no of students were made aware of electrical hazards and safety practices. Apart from these, various activities were conducted among students on electrical safety such as Drawing, Essay and Slogan competitions and prizes were distributed among the winners.

Student participated in different competitions			
Drawing & Painting	Essay	Slogan	
37	30	30	

Winners of Drawing Competition:			
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class
1.	First	Meghana Tripathy	9 <sup>th</sup>
2.	Second	Adyasha priyadarshini Pati	10 <sup>th</sup>
3.	Third	Bisakha Priyadarshini	8 <sup>th</sup>
Winners o	f Essay Competitio	on:	
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class
1.	First	Lipsita Priyadarshini Das	10 <sup>th</sup>
2.	Second	Itishree Pandi	10 <sup>th</sup>
1.	Third	Om Behera	10th
Winners of Slogan Competition:			
Sl. No	Position	Name of the Student	Class
1.	First	Sohan Swain	8th
2.	Second	Rajendra Saho o	10th
3.	Third	Biswajit Behera	8th















Photographs of different activities at Maa Bhubasini High School, Samantrapur Old Town, Bhubaneswar on 06.12.2023

2. Another programme was organised on dated **7.12.2023** at Sachala Devi Girk highschool, Brahmapura, Banki, Cuttack with a gathering of 400 students and teachers. Electrical safety pledge was taken by all teachers and students. Jute bags, T-shirt and caps were distributed to 120 participants. About 120 Students under the guidance of teachers took out rallies holding placards and banners to sensitize local people about electrical safety. A cleanliness drive was also organised by teachers and students to make the school campus and nearby areas clean and garbage free. An awareness meeting was held wherein the students were made aware of electrical hazards and safety practices. Nrutya natika were staged by students to highlight the need for implementation of electrical safety policies in homes and workplaces. Apart from these, various activities were conducted among students on electrical safety such as Drawing, Essay and Slogan competitions and prizes were distributed among the winners.

Student participated in different competitions			
Drawing & Painting	Essay	Slogan	
43	38	32	

Winners of Drawing Competition:				
Sl. No	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Priyadarshini Sahoo	10th	
2.	Second	Jyotirmayee Pradhan	10th	
3.	Third	Ishita Nanda	10th	
Winners	of Slogan Compe	etition:		
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Rajeswari Ghadai	9th	
2.	Second	Rajeswanee Parida	10th	
3.	Third	Subhalaxmi Hati	10th	
Winners	Winners of Essay Competition:			
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Laxmi Parimanik	10th	
2.	Second	Pritilata Palei	9th	
3.	Third	Priyanka Priyadarshini Behera	10th	



Photographs of different activities at Sachala Devi Girls High School, Brahmapura Banki, Cuttack on 07.12.2023

3. Another programme was organised on dated 19.12.2023 at Khandadeuli High School, Ganjam with a gathering of 250 students and teachers. Electrical safety pledge was taken by all teachers and students. Jute bags, T-shirt and caps were distributed to 120 participants. About 120 Students under the guidance of teachers took out rallies holding placards and banners to sensitize local people about electrical safety. A cleanliness drive was also organised by teachers and students to make the school campus and nearby areas clean and garbage free. An awareness meeting was held wherein the students were made aware of electrical hazards and safety practices. Apart from these, various activities were conducted among students on electrical safety such as Drawing, Essay and Slogan competitions and prizes were distributed among the winners.

Student participated in different competitions			
Drawing & Painting	Essay	Slogan	
36	34	34	

Winners of Drawing & Painting Competition:				
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Chss	
1.	First	Sitesh Sahu	10th	
2.	Second	S. Lipsarani Reddy	10th	
3.	Third	Girija Nandini Jena	8th	
Winners o	of Essay Compe	tition:		
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Pragyan parimita Dash	10th	
2.	Second	Sruti Sitha	9th	
3.	Third	Jagruti Muduli	8th	
Winners o	Winners of Slogan Competition:			
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Baiya Babu Sahu	10th	
2.	Second	Simaran Swain	10th	
3.	Third	Kakun Gouda	8th	

















Photographs of different activities at Khandadeuli High School, Ganjam on 19.12.2023

4. Another programme was organised on dated 20.12.2023 at Gopabandhu Girk High School, Khuntakata, Athagarh, Cuttack with a gathering of 250 students and teachers. Electrical safety pledge was taken by all teachers and students. Jute bags, T-shirt and caps were distributed to 120 participants. About 120 Students under the guidance of teachers took out rallies holding placards and banners to sensitize local people about electrical safety started from school to village temple. A cleanliness drive was also organised by teachers and students to make the school campus and temple areas clean and garbage free. An awareness meeting was held wherein the students were made aware of electrical hazards and safety practices. Nrutya natika were staged by students at village temple which attract a huge gathering of 500 local people to highlight the need for implementation of electrical safety policies in homes and workplaces. Apart from these, various activities were conducted among students on electrical safety such as Drawing, Essay and Slogan competitions and prizes were distributed among the winners.

Student participated in different competitions			
Drawing & Painting	Essay	Slogan	
30	23	36	

Winners of Drawing Competition:				
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Arnnapurna Pradhan	10th	
2.	Second	Laxmijoriya Sahoo	10th	
3.	Third	Rajalaxmi Rout	10th	
Winners	Winners of Essay Competition:			
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Swagatika Senapati	10th	
2.	Second	Ranjeeta Sahoo	8th	
3.	Third	Lopamudra Pattanaik	10th	
Winners	Winners of Slogan Competition:			
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Smrutee Pragnya Beura	9th	
2.	Second	Chinmayee Sahoo	9th	
3.	Third	Swarna Jayanti Khatua	10th	



Photographs of different activities at Gopabandhu Girls High School, Khuntakata Athagarh, Cuttack on 20.12.2023

5. Another programme was organised on dated 21.12.2023 at Sarah High School, Chandabali, Bhadrak with a gathering of 350 students and teachers. Electrical safety pledge was taken by all teachers and students. Jute bags, T-shirt and caps were distributed to 120 participants. About 120 Students under the guidance of teachers took out rallies holding placards and banners to sensitize local people about electrical safety started from school to village temple. A cleanliness drive was also organised by teachers and students to make the school campus and temple areas clean and garbage free. An awareness meeting was held wherein the students were made aware of electrical hazards and safety practices. Nrutya natika were staged by students to highlight the need for implementation of electrical safety policies in homes and workplaces. Apart from these, various activities were conducted among students on electrical safety such as Drawing, Essay and Slogan competitions and prizes were distributed among the winners.

Student participated in different competitions				
Drawing & Painting	Essay	Slogan		
26	42	20		

Winners of Drawing & Painting Competition:					
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class		
1.	First	Reealy Satapathi	10th		
2.	Second	Puja Sahu	9th		
3.	Third	Sushree Sangita Mahalik	10th		
Winners	of Essay Compet	tition:			
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class		
1.	First	Smruti Ranjita Barik	9th		
2.	Second	Smrutirekha nayak	10th		
3.	Third	Rojalin Sahoo	9th		
Winners	of Slogan Compe	etition:			
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Chss		
1.	First	Laxmipriya Sahoo	9th		
2.	Second	Badal Kumar Nayak	10th		
3.	Third	Mrutyujaya Barik	8th		



Photographs of different activities at Sarala High School, Chandabali Bhadrak on 21.12.2023

6. Another programme was organised on dated **28.03.2024** at **Government High School Gandamunda**, **Bhubaneswar** with a gathering of 120 students and teachers. Electrical safety pledge was taken by all teachers and students. T-shirt and caps were distributed to 120 participants. An awareness meeting was held wherein the students were made aware of electrical hazards and safety practices. Apart from these, various activities were conducted among students on electrical safety such as Drawing and Essay competitions. Winners were awarded with certificates and LED night lamp.

Student participated in different competitions			
Drawing & Painting	Essay		
55	45		

Winners of Drawing & Painting Competition:				
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Kuni Beshra	8th	
2.	Second	Priyanka Dhaudia	8th	
3.	Third	Bishnupriya Samantaray	6th	
Winners	of Essay Compet	tition:		
Sl. No.	Position	Name of the Student	Class	
1.	First	Gungun Jena	8th	
2.	Second	Subhasmita Khatei	9th	
3.	Third	Sabitri Nayak	6th	













Photographs of different activities at Government High School Gandamunda. Bhubaneswar on 28.03.2024

# STATE LEVLE FLOWER SHOW-2024

The Centre for Environmental Studies (CES), Department of Forest, Environment & Climate Change, Odisha, made a significant impact at the recent two-day State Level Flower Show held at the Botanic Garden of Regional Plant Resource Centre in Bhubaneswar on dated  $13^{th}$  &  $14^{th}$  Jan 2024. The stall attracted nearly 20,000 visitors and offered a variety of engaging activities to promote environmental awareness.

#### **Spreading the Green Message:**

• **Eye-catching Selfie Points:** CES created two unique selfie points: "I'm with Nature" and "Mission LiFE-Prakriti." These selfie stations provided a fun way for visitors to capture memories and showcase their commitment to a greener environment.







Shri Debidutta Biswal, IFS, PCCF & HoFF, Odisha; Shri Suresh Pant, IFS, PCCF-cum-Chief Executive, RPRC; Dr. K. Murugesan, IFS, Director, CES & Ms. Rituparna Mohapatra, OAS, Administrative Officer, RPRC taking pictures with #MissionLiFE\_Selfie









• **Educational Materiak:** CES distributed informative leaflets and booklets covering a wide range of environmental topics, including energy conservation, Mission LiFE (Lifestyle for Environment), vermicomposting, plantation techniques, and water conservation.





• **Engaging Activities for Students:** To make learning fun, CES conducted environmental quizzes for student visitors. Participants who answered correctly received a sweet treat, making environmental education both rewarding and enjoyable.





# Waste Not, Want Not: Upcycling Workshop

CES hosted a captivating workshop led by master trainers from three districts. These experts showcased their talent for creating beautiful decorative items using everyday waste materials. This workshop not only provided practical skills but also inspired visitors to embrace a more sustainable lifestyle by reducing waste and reusing discarded materials.













## **Knowledge Shared is Knowledge Gained:**

A master trainer from the Cuttack District offered an informative session on plant propagation and grafting techniques. This valuable knowledge was shared in a clear and accessible manner, empowering the public to care for their plants more effectively.



Overall, the CES stall at the State Level Flower Show was a resounding success. By offering interactive activities, informative materials, and inspiring demonstrations, CES effectively raised environmental awareness and empowered visitors to adopt greener practices in their





#### SAVE WETLANDS CAMPAIGN

Life is sustained on planet Earth by various kinds of natural resources. With the growing and flourishing economy, the vital natural resources are excessively used which causes the depletion of natural resources. It is increasingly being realized that with fast depleting natural resources threatening the very existence of many ecosystems, planet Earth is facing grave environmental problems. Wetlands are considered as one of the most important threatened ecosystems.

Recognizing the importance of protecting such waterbodies, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEFCC) has taken up wetland conservation programme in close collaboration with concerned State Governments. In Odisha, Centre for Environmental Studies organised different activities regarding wetland restoration with the help of following 10 school teachers, students and local peoples.



06.01.2024: Acharya Harihar Higher Sec. School, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar

07.01.2024: S.S.Vidya Mandir, Tangi, Cuttack

10.01.2024: Harihar Bidyapitha, Asarala, Khordha

11.01.2024: Ramakrushna Sishumandir, Mahadev Basta, Kakatpur, Puri

13.01.2024: Vivekananda Sikhya Kendra, Benupur, Balianta, Khordha

17.01.2024: Biswanahakani Govt. SSD High School, Tangi, Cuttack

17.01.2024: Biswanahakani Higher Secondary School, Tangi, Cuttack

18.01.2024: Damodar Govt. High School,
Achyutpur, Dharmasala, Jajpur

20.01.2024: Sai Saraswati Sishu Vidyamandir, Gopinathpur, Salepur, Cuttack

02.02.2024: Rebadevi Sovaniya Sikhya Shram, Bidanasi, Cuttack



Rally

Cleanliness Drive



**Pond Cleaning** 





Pledge Taking





Plantation

















Photographs of different activities at Acharya Harihar Higher Secondary School, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar on 06.01.2024

















Photographs of different activities at Saraswati Sishu Vidya Mandir, Tangi, Cuttack on 07.01.2024

















Photographs of different activities at Harihar Bidyapitha, Asarala, Bolagarh, Khordha on 10.01.2024

















Photographs of different activities at Ramakrushna Sishumandir, Mahadev Basta, Kakatpur, Puri on 11.01.2024

















Photographs of different activities at Vivekananda Sikhya Kendra Benupur, Balianta, Khordha on 13.01.2024

















Photographs of different activities at Biswanahakani Govt SSD High School Tangi, Cuttack on 17.01.2024

















Photographs of different activities at Biswanahakani Higher Secondary School Tangi, Cuttack on 17.01.2024

















Photographs of different activities at Damodar Govt High School, Achyutpur Dharmasala, Jajpur on 18.01.2024



Photographs of different activities at Sai Saraswati Sishu Vidyamandir, Gopinathpur, Salepur, Cuttack on 20.01.2024



Photographs of different activities at Rebadevi Sovaniya Sikhya Shram Bidanasi, Cuttack on 02.02.2024

# AWARENESS CAMPAIGN FOR PLASTIC FREE PICNIC CHALLENGE

Centre for Environmental Studies (CES) as Nodal Agency for Eco-club Programme have instructed all eco-clubs to carryout different activities along with sensitizing the people for the "Plastic Free Picnic Challenge", a special activity under the theme "Elimination of Single-Use Plastic".

As per reports in raising awareness receive so far from eco-clubs many awareness campaigns have been organized in following places to aware people about "Elimination of Single Use Plastics" in Picnic Spots:

- Sapua Dam, Dhenkanal
- Hadagarh Dam, Keonjhar
- Naraj Dam, Cuttack
- Uchabali
- Dhauli, Bhubaneswar
- Hanuman Vatika, Rourkela
- Jahania, Puri
- Chandrabhaga, Konark
- Langudi Buddhist Site, Jajpur
- Koilighugur, Jagatsinghpur
- Olasuni Hill, Cuttack
- Saptasajya, Dhenkanal
- Ansupa, Cuttack



N.J.Bidyapitha, Keonjhar at Rupa kund Picnic Spot



Muralidhar GP High School, Jajpur at Olasuni Picnic Spot



Jharsuguda M.G. Govt. High School, Kadamdihi at Koilighugar Picnic Spot



Adishakti High School, Purujoda, Keonjhar



Govt. Nodal High School, Podagada, Koraput at Punjisil Picnic spot



Govt. UP School Pandaripathar, Jharsugida



Surendranath Nodal High School, sundar, Astarang, Puri at Jahania Picnic Spot



BJEM School-II, Bhubaneswar at Dhauli Picnic Spot



Govt. High School, Naba, Keonjhar



Making decorating items from waste plastic-Govt. High School, Gediapalli, Khurda



Nandinidevi Govt High school Kanpur, Keonjhar at Hadagarh Dam Picnic Spot



Live interaction with schools conducting awareness at Olasuni and Saptasajya



Awareness through Drama at Govt. UPS IB River Colliery Brajrajnagar, Jharsuguda

# AWARENESS CAMPAIGN ON "ELIMINATION OF SINGLE-USE PLASTICS"

"Elimination of Single Use Plastic Campaign", Centre for Environmental Studies organised different activities in following Schook. All Students & Teachers took "Green Pledge" to become global citizens and work for the cause of sustainable environment. Under "Elimination of Single Use Plastic Campaign", Centre for Environmental Studies (CES) organised various activities such as pledge taking, webinars, public awareness through audio-visual/ newspaper advertisement/ hoardings/ social medias etc. for eco-club schook & general public. All Eco-clubs were advised to take pledge on not to use single use plastics and they will also create awareness on ill effects of Single-use Plastics. Eco-clubs are taking steps in this direction.



Students of Sri Aurobindo Integral Education Centre, Khatiguda, Nabarangpur are taking a pledge not to use Single-use Plastics on 27-03-2024

CES organised awareness campaign on "Elimination of Single Use Plastic Campaign" in following 32 nos. of eco-club schools in different districts.

- 03.07.2023 Govt. High School, CRP, Bhubaneswar
- 04.07.2023 S.N. High School, Patia, Bhubaneswar
- > 08.07.2023 Vivekananda Sikhya Kendra, BDA Colony, CS Pur, Bhubaneswar
- > 11.07.2023 Laksheswar Womens Higher Sec. School, Phulnakhara, Cuttack
- > 11.07.2023 Panchabati High School, Balianta, Khordha
- > 15.07.2023 Rajkishore Bidyapitha, Arisal, Jatani, Khordha
- > 11.08.2023 Garhbanikilo Higher Secondary School, Nayagarh
- > 11.08.2023 Garhbanikilo High School, Nayagarh
- 20.08.2023 Vivekananda Sikhya Kendra, Sailashree vihar, Bhubaneswar

- > 11.09.2023 Kapila Prasad Govt High School, Sundarpada, Bhubaneswar
- 14.09.2023 Government High School, Unit-1, Bhubaneswar
- 15.09.2023 Government High School, CRP-Barmunda, Bhubaneswar
- 21.09.2023 Vinamandir Vidyapitha, Bharatpur, Bhubaneswar
- 22.09.2023 Govt High School, Damana, Bhubaneswar
- 30.09.2023 Lakheswar Junior College, Phulnakhara, Cuttack
- > 11.11.2023 Tulasi Women's College, Kendrapara
- > 31.01.2024 Damo dar Government High School, Achyutpur, Dharmasala, Jajpur
- > 31.01.2024 Hajirahimian Govt. High School Brahmabarada, Rasulpur, Jajpur
- 01.02.2024 Panchayat Government High School, Rampur, Bari, Jajpur
- 01.02.2024 Ajanbana Sovaniya Sikhyashram, Meduakul, Bari, Jajpur
- > 06.02.2024 St Xavier's High School, Bhakurguda, Rayagada
- > 06.02.2024 Nalini Vidya Mandir, Bariguda, Bissamcuttack, Rayagada
- > 07.02.2024 Bachapan & Academic Height's Public School, Rayagada
- > 07.02.2024 Imfal Campus High School, Therubali, Rayagada
- > 08.02.2024 Govt. UG High School, Gadapadar, Koraput
- > 08.02.2024 Govt. UG High School, Dhanapur, Koraput
- > 09.02.2024 Govt. High School Ambaguda, Koraput
- > 09.02.2024 City High School, Jeypore, Koraput
- > 27.03.2024 Government UG High School, Pujariguda, Nabarangpur
- > 27.03.2024 Sri Aurobindo Integral Education Centre, Khatiguda, Nabarangpur
- > 28.03.2024 Govt Higher Secondary School Jamrunda, Umerkote, Nabarangpur
- 28.03.2024 Dandakaranya Adarsha Vidyalaya, Umerkote, Nabarangpur



At SN High School, Patia on 04.07.2023



At Panchabati High School, Balianta, Khordha on 11.07.2023



At Vivekananda Sikhya Kendra, BDA Colony, Chandrasekharpur on 08.07.2023



At Rajkishore Bidyapitha, Arisal, Jatani, Khordha on 15.07.2023



At Tulasi Women's College, Kendrapara on 11.11.2023



At Garhbanikilo Higher Secondary School, Nayagarh on 11.08.2023



At Garhbanikilo High School, Nayagarh on 11.08.2023



At Laksheswar Womens Higher Secondary School, Phulnakhara, Cuttack on 11.07.2023



At Panchayat Government High School, Rampur, Bari, Jajpur on 01.02.2024



At Hajirahimian Govt. High School, Brahmabarada, Rasulpur, Jajpur on 31.01.2024



At Damodar Government High School, Achyutpur, Dharmasala, Jajpur on 31.01.2024



At Ajanbana Sovaniya Sikhyashram, Meduakul, Bari, Jajpur on 01.02.2024



At St Xavier's High School Bhakurguda, Rayagada on 06.02.2024



At Nalini Vidya Mandir, Bariguda, Bissamcuttack, Rayagada on 06.02.2024



At Govt Higher Secondary School, Jamrunda, Umerkote, Nabarangpur on 28.03.2024



At Government UG High School, Pujariguda, Nabarangpur on 27.03.2024



At Sri Aurobindo Integral Education Centre, Khatiguda, Nabarangpur on 27.03.2024



At Dandakaranya Adarsha Vidyalaya, Umerkote, Nabarangpur on 28.03.2024







Both Students & Teachers are taking pledge "Not to Use Single Use Plastics"

#### **WEBINAR**

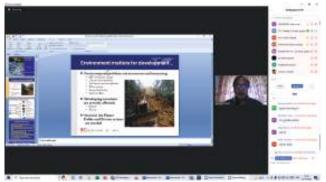
Centre for Environmental Studies (CES), Bhubaneswar is conducting webinars to create awareness among the school teachers and students under the awareness campaign of "Elimination of Single-use Plastic", "Alternatives to Single Use Plastic items", "Adopting 3R (Reduce, Reuse & Recycle) principles" and "Climate Change Issues". During the webinars, CES shares the ill effects of plastic and suggests using alternatives to plastic. Centre for Environmental Studies and State Climate Change Cell are jointly organizing regularly on different topics.



Presentation by Dr. B.K. Pattnaik, IFS (Retd.), Former PCCF(Wildlife), Od isha



Address by Shri Uma Shankar Dash, Scientist-C, IMD, Bhubaneswar



Address by Dr. GK.Panda, Former Emeritus Prof. Geography Department, Utkal University



Presentation by Er. Deepak Kumar Sahoo, Regional Officer, Berhampur from SPCB, Odisha



Address by Prof. Sanjay Ku. Satapathy, Vice Chancellor, Kalahandi University



Presentation by Prof. Dr. Anil Kumar Biswal, Former HOD, Department of Botany, North Odisha University, Odisha

#### AWARENESS THROUGH NEWSPAPERS:

Centre for Environmental Studies has published following advertisements with awareness message on "Banned single use plastic items" & "Elimination of single-use plastics" in local daily Odia & English newspapers to create awareness of eco-clubs and general public.









# **VISIT OF ECO-CLUBS BY MOEF & CC OFFICIALS**

#### Report on Visit to Eco-clubs to assess the impact of EEP

Visited 7 no. of ECO-CLUBs of Puri & Khordha districts during the period from 26.02.2024 to 28.02.2024 to assess the implementation of EEP. Implementation sites were visited along with discussion with teachers and students.

It was informed by the IA, Odisha that 10 themes related to 75 LiFE Actions have been selected and ecoclubs of different districts have been suggested to carry out activities on one theme only. Kitchen Gardening and Elimination of Single Use Plastics though assigned to Puri & Khordha districts respectively, however ecoclubs have been given to select any theme out of 10 themes.

#### Visited 3 eco-clubs of Puri district.

#### 1. Ramakrushna Sishu Mandir, Mahadevbasta, Kakatpur, Puri.

#### Activities - Kitchen Garden, Pond Cleaning and Plantation













## 2. Ramakrishna Sishu Mandir, Alangpur, Astarang, Puri

#### **Activities - Vermi-Composting**





3. Surendra Nath High School, Astarang, Puri Activities – Kitchen Garden





Visited 4 eco-clubs of Khordha district.

#### 1. Buxi Jagabandhu English Medium School, Bhubaneswar.

Activities - Decorative items from Waste, Herbal Garden, Plantation in the name of Freedom Fighters, Valuable Plant Species such as Rudrakh, Making School completely free from plastic use and activity information in school website.









## 2. Vivekananda Sikshya Kendra, Balianta, Khordha

## **Activities - Decorative items from Waste, Pond Cleaning**







3. Suraj Vidyamandir, Gadakana, Khordha

Activities - Kitchen Garden, Vermi-Composting and large no of banana plantation









4. IRC Village High School Bhubaneswar Activities - Kitchen Garden

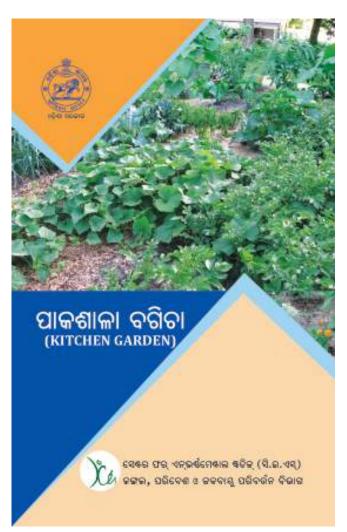




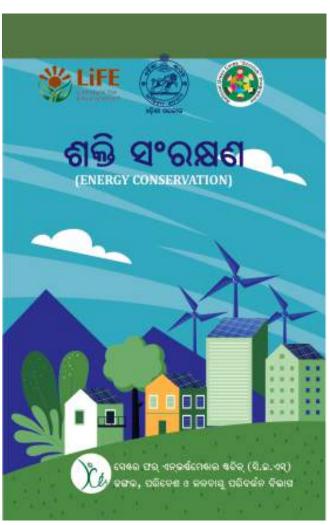
# **PUBLICATION**

Centre for Environmental Studies (CES) published a booklet on "Mission LiFE – Based on 75 LiFE Actions"; a report on "Models exhibited by the Eco-club Students on the theme of World Environment Day-2023" and a Book on "Articles of Solutions to Plastic Pollution".

CES also compiled seven booklets on "Kitchen Garden", "Water Conservation", "Energy Conservation", "Plastic Free School", "Plantation Techniques", "Waste Management" and "Vermi Composting" for Eco-club Schools to guide their activities on the above themes. CES is also publishing quarterly newsletter for eco-club programme.



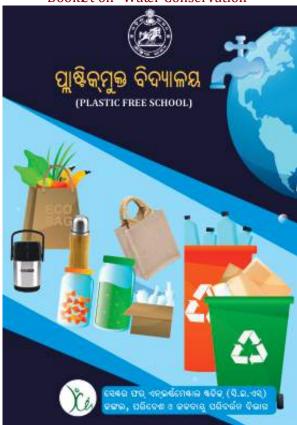
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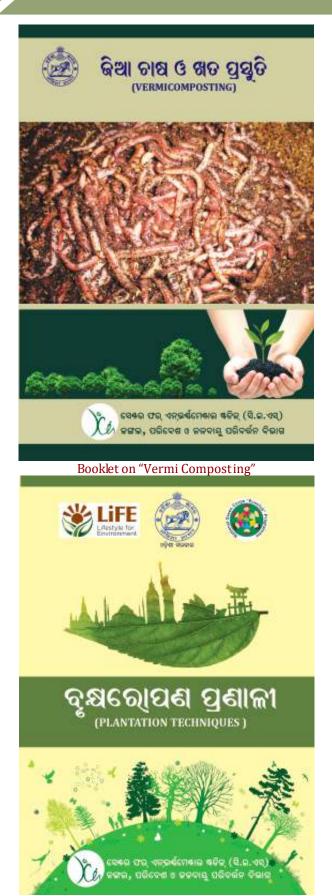
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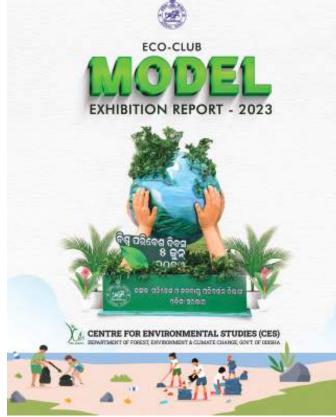
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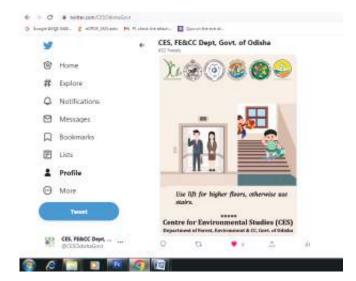
# AWARENESS THROUGH SOCIAL MEDIA

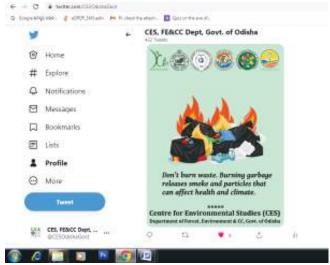
Public Awareness is also being created by CES through regular posting of information/infographic images/ videos on "Elimination of Single-Use Plastics"; "Mission LiFE" and "Conservation of Environment" in Social Medias.

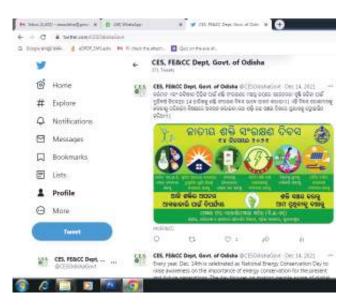
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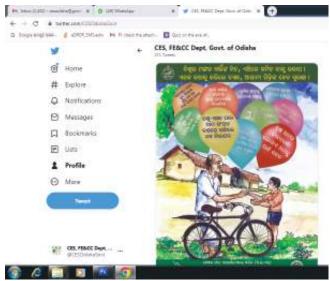


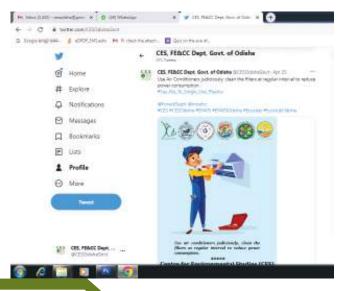


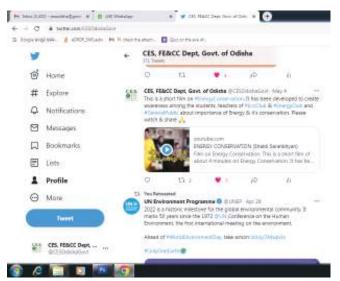














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