



Join the International Eco-Schools Programme

Offered by
Centre for Environment Education
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Adapted for India
for Primary Level (Classes I - V)



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The five core thematic areas

1. Biodiversity – birds, garden, food
2. Energy – sources, usage and conservation
3. Waste – generation, segregation, composting
4. Water – drinking water, dependence on water
5. Healthy Living – my body, sanitation, nutrition, hygiene

Online access to different modules and reporting formats will also be provided. Schools would require to document all project-based learnings, interactions with other schools, documentation of activities in the form of a portfolio with reports, photographs, meeting minutes, etc.

School teachers will receive orientation, and a Resource Kit at the start of the academic year.

School Principal/ Headmasters would also receive an orientation about the programme.



Evaluation and Certification

Schools may apply to be certified as an Eco-School through an annual certification process. Schools will receive Handprint flags for the themes they complete. A minimum of three Handprint flags have to be achieved by the school for becoming eligible for the International Green Flag Certification.

Green Flag would be awarded only after physically ascertaining the achievements of a school.

Re-award: Green Flag once awarded will be valid for 2 years. The schools can use Eco- School logo on their stationery for the award period.



Biodiversity



Energy



Waste



Water



Healthy Living

The Foundation for Environmental Education (FEE) and the Centre for Environment Education (CEE) India jointly offers the International Eco-Schools programme in India. This sustainable schools programme helps school students to connect and take action on environmental issues of concern to the school and the immediate community.

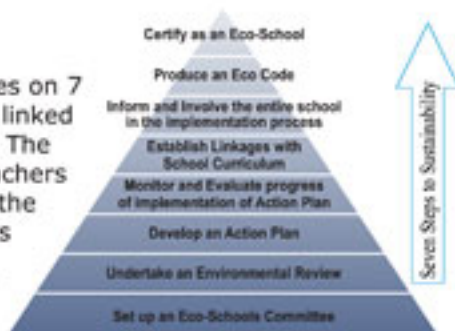
Eco-Schools Programme

Eco-Schools is an International Certification programme offered in 64 countries that helps schools develop environmental consciousness and practices, and enables students to become environmentally responsible citizens.

It provides schools and teachers with a platform to exchange environmental practices nationally and globally. Schools can gain access to international funding, opportunities to participate in international events, along with international certification.

Programme Details

Eco-Schools programme emphasizes on 7 steps for project-based curriculum linked learning in various thematic areas. The projects would be facilitated by teachers as part of teaching. Depending on the projects to be undertaken, students might be required to put in one to two hours of work a week on their project.



Programme Themes and Material

Schools would receive modules and worksheets in select thematic areas. Schools will require to submit a framework of action for each thematic area they wish to undertake for classes 1-5. Based on this framework, schools would be required to undertake projects and curriculum linkages.



Registration Details

Schools can register by paying a registration fee applicable for three years. Schools earn the International Green Flag on completing a minimum of three Handprint projects over a period of a year.

Benefits of the Programme

- The International Eco-Schools certification.
- Member of the global community of Eco-Schools network.
- Hands-on experiential teaching and learning.
- A sustainable school engaged in promoting environmental consciousness and behaviour.
- Sustainable practices could help save financial resources.
- Associate with other national and international Environment Education programmes.



To join this exciting international programme please contact

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