



Green Schools Campaign

Creating the Next Generation of Environmental Leaders

Green Schools Campaign: Intro

GreenLine is the Environmental Forum of the Don Bosco Development Society

It focuses on creating 'greener people' who in turn will create a 'greener world'





A major programme launched by GreenLine is the Green Schools Campaign

The Campaigns aims at 'creating the next generation of environmental leaders'

Green Schools Campaign: Process

Every scholastic year a new edition of the Campaign is launched

Invites are sent out to schools and those interested are asked to register





During the year the GreenLine team conducts:

Training Workshops for teachers

Sessions in schools for students

Fun events like nature trails etc

Green Schools Campaign: Sessions



Sessions are conducted in the participating schools every alternate month

4 sessions are conducted in a year

Each session is of 90 minutes duration

The session consists of:

A comprehensive input on the theme

An explanation of the activities to be carried out during the following month

Presentations by the students on the activities they have done



Green Schools Campaign: Year 1



The First Edition of the Campaign was held in 2010-2011

Total Participating Schools: 12

Theme for the Year: Greening the School's

Environment





Green Schools Campaign: Year 2



The focus of this edition was on:
Waste Management
Water Conservation
Energy Efficiency

The second edition of the Green Schools Campaign: 2011-2012

Total Participating Schools: 30



Green Schools Campaign: Year 3

The third edition of the Green Schools Campaign: 2012-2013

Total Participating Schools: 50





The theme for this edition is Biodiversity:

Green Cover Urban Fauna Biodiversity Threats

Leadership Promoting Strategies

- 1. Awareness that promotes Action
- 2. Activities that create Leadership Opportunities
- 3. Awards that Reinforce Leadership





Some Of Our First Outcomes

Outcome 1: School Environmental Policy

The Nature Club organized a brainstorming competition across all classes

A 'draft policy' was prepared and discussed with a few teachers

The reworked draft was presented by the students at the staff meeting and suggestions were invited

The final document was presented to the Management

The Environmental Policy has been printed in the School Handbook this year

Outcome 2: Engaging Neighbourhood Schools

The Nature Club 'adopted' a neighbourhood school

The sessions conducted by the GreenLine team were adapted/translated to suit the adopted school

The Nature Club members not only conducted the session, but also did a follow-up of the activities with the adopted school

Outcome 3: Adopting Housing Societies

The Nature Club selected a Housing Society in the neighbourhood

They met the Housing Society Committee, explained the concept they had in mind and solicited their cooperation

They conducted awareness programmes & other events to engage members of the housing society

Some of the issues they worked on were:

- Water & Energy Conservation
- Proper Waste Disposal
- Green Celebration of Festival
- Reduction of Noise Pollution

Thank You!



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