

# Celebrating 2018 UNEP WED With Students & Teachers of Sacred Heart Seminary

**BEAT  
PLASTIC  
POLLUTION**



**WORLD  
ENVIRONMENT  
DAY**



**INDIA  
2018**

**UN**   
**environment**

**June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Slogan: If you cant reuse it, refuse it**



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# OUTLINE OF KEY ACTIVITIES

- ❑ Recognition and Award to Winners of EarthDay Essay Competition (30 Mins)



- ❑ Debate Contest (1 hour)

- ❑ Inauguration of an Environment, climate solutions & biodiversity conservation club-

The Laudato Si Club (1 Hour)

□ An Introduction to 2018 World Environment Day- A Watch & Learn Audio-visual Approach ( 15 Minutes)



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WED @ Sacred Heart Seminary -SHS, 2013



WED @ **Jesuits Memorial College**, 2014 and Inauguration of **HABITAT Club** with symbolic tree planting

The schools and classrooms play an important role in nurturing core ecological values. Environmental education is particularly vital, as it shapes how our younger generation cares for our common home. *(Taken from Catholic Earthcare , Australia)*

## **In Laudato Si', Pope Francis highlights the important role that education plays:**

***“There is a nobility in the duty to care for creation through little daily actions, and it is wonderful how education can bring about real changes in lifestyle. Education in environmental responsibility can encourage ways of acting which directly and significantly affect the world around us, such as avoiding the use of plastic and paper, reducing water consumption, separating refuse, cooking only what can reasonably be consumed, showing care for other living beings, using public transport or car-pooling, planting trees, turning off unnecessary lights, or any number of other practices. (211)***

## **What Benefits can be derived from the club:**

This club will stimulate you to take actions to protect our environment and natural habitat

***Let us recall that in 2015 the Holy Father, Pope Francis released his Encyclical letter which was centered mainly on issues bothering climate change and environmental sustainability.***

**The encyclical “LAUDATO SI’- focusing on “Care for our Common Home”.**

- ❖ This club will provide and make available to students quality learning and study resources for climate change and environmental sustainability. Thereby stimulating individual and personal actions to curb climate change and promote sustainable livelihoods
- ❖ The club will enhance your knowledge and understanding on this global but contemporary “hot topic” about climate change- the impacts and possible solutions.
- ❖ It will help Science students to have better understanding of the science of nature like geography especially from dedicated interactive sessions and watching of latest films.
- ❖ It will build ecological leaders, environmental conservation and climate solutions champions from amongst you for resilient and sustainable futures.

## □ Debate Contest (1 hour)





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□ It is better to Re-use & Recycle Plastics than to Refuse the use of plastics

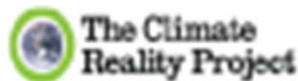
Group A: To Argue For ( Re-use and Recycle plastic Waste)

Group B: To Argue Against Group A's proposal but to Argue for and insist on outright refusal of plastics.

□ Investment in Renewable Energies is better than investment in Fossil fuel energy

Group A: To Argue For ( Investment in Renewable Energy)

Group B: To Argue Against Group A's proposal but to Argue for and insist on continuous investment into fossil fuel energy



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