

# CEEC – Council for Environment Education and Culture

## Annual Report

### Environmental Initiatives in 2024-25

**"Conservation is a state of harmony between men and land." - Aldo Leopold**

Let's strive for harmony with nature through sustainable practices, preserving biodiversity, and protecting our planet for future generations. The CEEC aims at educating and inspiring young minds to take small steps towards environment conservation through various meaningful activities.

Students of classes III-V participated in **'Save a Watt' Awareness Walk** on March 28, 2024, emphasizing the importance of conserving electrical energy. Through innovative slogans they suggested simple ways to reduce energy wastage to their peers.

Junior Wing celebrated the **Earth Day (April 22, 2024)** by watching thought provoking videos, a street play on 'Planet vs Plastics,' followed by creative activities like clay mementos, Mosaic Earth posters, and reusable organizers.

A **Tree Plantation Drive** was conducted on 23rd July 2024 wherein the Director Principal, Ms. Aditi Misra planted saplings along with the students, promoting environmental responsibility through a fulfilling experience.

As part of the Ministry of Education's week-long celebration, 'Shiksha Saptah,' a plantation drive was organized on 27th July 2024 under **#Plant4Mother**, marking the 4th anniversary of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. Some students with their mothers planted saplings, promoting ecological awareness and family bonding, with the tagline, '*ek ped maa ke naam*'.

To celebrate the **World Ozone Day (September 16, 2024)**, Classes IV and V watched informative presentations and participated in crosswords and quizzes to promote ozone layer awareness.

Classes IV and V celebrated the **World Rivers Day (September 22, 2024)** as part of the Bagless Day. Students watched informative videos and participated in group activities, such as writing slogans, a JAM session on the intriguing topic, 'If there were no rivers', and role-plays, to raise awareness about the condition of rivers today and the importance of working in unison towards conservation.

Ecoverva Recycling conducted **E-Waste Awareness Sessions** for classes IV and V on September 3 and 10, 2024, reiterating the environmental impact of e-waste, and its recycling.

Under the **Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat** project, on 28th September 2024, students learned about water conservation practices of the paired states, Haryana and Manipur, and drafted heartfelt 'Pani ki Chitthi', urging responsible water usage to the people of both states. A group of selected students created a thoughtful podcast, 'Pani ki Chitthi' for the CBSE portal.

Class V Health Council led a **Green Diwali Walk** for classes IV and V, echoed simultaneously by Class III Health Council with creative slogans. It was a pre-Diwali initiative, which aimed at promoting eco-friendly festival celebrations.

**Jal Itihaas Project** was introduced to Class V students, aiming to educate them about water conservation through engaging activities, discussions and creative projects, encouraging them to become water stewards.

**Eat Healthy Be Healthy:** Activities like ‘Eat a Rainbow’- Salad Decoration for Class V and a ‘Tricolour’ Salad Decoration for Class IV conducted on 7<sup>th</sup> December 2024, helped the students learn the importance of eating nutritious and fibre rich food.

