

Green Challenge - An initiative of GBCI Series 1: The Energy Challenge

Instructions - Terms and Conditions

The Energy Challenge is the first of a series under the Green Challenge Programme. GBCI® is the premier organization independently recognizing excellence in green business industry performance and practice globally through the administration of project certifications, professional credentials of LEED, EDGE, PEER, WELL, SITES, GRESB, Parksmart and Zero Waste. The Challenge is based on a web learning platform for teachers and students from Class 6 – 8 and covers several issues related to energy, environment and sustainability

Program Team Members

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Please read the following instructions carefully before filling up the Registration Form:

About the Challenge

- 1. The Challenge is open for schools affiliated to a recognized education boards/trusts.
- 2. This is the first of a series of annual challenge.
- 3. Schools that register for the first challenge series will be eligible to participate in the programme every year and will be identified as GBCI partner schools.
- 4. It is mandatory for registered schools to have internet connection and access to computers for respective teachers and students. Schools with internet connection in the classroom or smart boards will be preferred but it is not mandatory.
- 5. The school has to commit to participation of a minimum of 25 students in order to register for this challenge. There is no maximum limit to the number of students that can register
- 6. There will be one Nodal School which will receive the status of "Early Adopter's"
- 7. Once a school registers it will be provided access to the Energy section of the web platform "Learning Lab".
- 8. Each school would receive 5 log-ins available for the registered teachers.
- 9. Teachers are bound by confidentiality of the log-ins shared for the challenge.
- 10. There will be one identified coordinating teacher who would be the point of contact for the challenge.

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- 11. The registered teachers will access the content available on the web platform to facilitate their classroom teaching.
- 12. The content for the Challenge is available only for the duration of the challenge.
- 13. The registered teachers will share the knowledge with the registered students to facilitate their engagement in the challenge and provide them the required guidance during the period of the challenge
- 14. Project team would hold an in-person orientation workshop/training of registered teachers to ensure they are comfortable with the content and process.
- 15. The Challenge would have two levels of assessment which will be based on the Modules on Learning Lab: It's mandatory for all registered students to participate in both the levels.

Assessment Level: 1 - Project Submission (Mid: Term)

- a. For this level all registered students should form a team of minimum 5. (exception to this can be made at project team's discretion in written)
- b. All the projects would be required to be submitted online.
- c. The project submitted should be a model/working model.
- d. The project submitted should fulfill all the parameters of the challenge requirement. (Details would be shared with school post registration)

Assessment Level: 2 - Energy Quiz (End: Term)

- a. A multiple choice quiz based on the learning would be held.
- b. This would be judged on individual participation
- c. The quiz question paper would be sent to all the registered schools.
- d. Details of the logistics of the quiz would be shared in due course.
- 16. Schools will be assessed and graded on the individual performance result of each registered students from both the assessment levels.
- 17. Winning school would be identified through a rigorous grading system based on the performance of each level.
- 18. Grading of each school would be based on the results from the average of the Top 20 performing students.
- 19. One winning school from each city would be eligible to participate in the national level debate to be held in Delhi.

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- 20. The winning schools from each city would have to identify a team of 2 registered students who would participate in the national level debate in Delhi.
- 21. The team of registered Students would be accompanied by 1 teacher from each winning school.
- 22. The challenge champion team would be announced post the debate.

Registration and payment

- 1. Schools can register as many students with a mandatory minimum number of 25 students will have to register for a school to be eligible to participate in the challenge.
- 2. Schools registering more than 100 students would be eligible for a discount.
- 3. Each registered student would be charged a registration fee of Rs. 250, which is a non-refundable fee.
- 4. The school has to pay minimum registration fee of Rs 6250/ through a Bank Draft or Bank Transfer.

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Branch: Citibank, NA, New Delhi 5. No Cash/ cheque would be accepted.

6. Acknowledgement of all payments would be collectively sent to the schools through a Receipt.

Acknowledgement and Prizes

- 1. The participating school will receive a Certificate of Participation and a formal recognition as a GBCI partner school
- 2. The 'Coordinating teacher' representing each school will receive Commendation Certificates acknowledging their contribution to the Challenge
- 3. All participating Students will receive a 'Certificate of participation', 'Certificate of merit' or 'Certificate of distinction' in order of their individual performance in both the challenges cumulatively.
- 4. Additionally the winning team from each city participating in national debate would be acknowledged separately.

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- 5. The student from each city who scores the highest %age in the cumulative assessment of level 1 & 2 would receive a special award.
- 6. At the national level debate the winning team would be declared the challenge champion and awarded a trophy, certificates and a special prize.
- 7. At the national level debate the runner up team would also be awarded
- 8. The national debate would be covered on GBCI website globally and at GBCI Social Media platform
- 9. The winners would get free passes and also speaking opportunity at the Greenbuild India Conference, November 2-4, taking place in Mumbai.