

GREEN Olympiad: Multistakeholders' Meeting

Introduction

GREEN Olympiad (GO) is TERI's flagship initiative for schools and was launched in 1999. This annual academic feature enhances knowledge and skills amongst students about environment and sustainability issues related to air, biodiversity, climate change, culture, energy, green skills, waste, water etc. The Olympiad follows tenets of Lifestyle of Environment (Mission LiFE), Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 and National Curriculum Framework for School Education (NCF-SE) 2023.

GREEN Olympiad is endorsed by the Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change and the Ministry of Education (GoI).

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The project is implemented by the Environment Education and Awareness Division of TERI.

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Date: June 05, 2026 | Time: 1200 – 1400 Hrs

Venue: Dr R.K. Pachauri Conference Room, TERI, Darbari Seth Block,
India Habitat Centre, New Delhi

Agenda

Time	Session Details
12.00 – 12.40 Hrs	<p style="text-align: center;">Inaugural Session</p> <p>Welcome Address <i>Dr Dipankar Saharia, Senior Director, Social Transformation & Strategic Alliance, TERI</i></p> <p>All about GREEN Olympiad <i>Audiovisual Screening</i></p> <p>Special Address: Evolving Integration of Environment Education in School Curriculum <i>Dr. Chong Shimray, Professor, Department of Education in Science and Mathematics, National Council of Educational Research and Training</i></p> <p>Keynote Address <i>Ms Leena Nandan, Distinguished Fellow, TERI and Former Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, GoI</i></p> <p>Vote of Thanks <i>Ms Taru Mehta, Senior Fellow and Associate Director, EEA, TERI</i></p>

Time	Technical Sessions
12.40 – 12.50 Hrs	Introducing GREEN Olympiad project <i>Dr Livleen K Kahlon, Director, Environment Education & Awareness (EEA), TERI</i>
12.50 – 12.55 Hrs	Testimonial from a Student GREEN Olympiad Achiever <i>Dhruv Bhardwaj, Student, Amity International School and GREEN Olympiad Scholar since 2020</i>
12.55 – 13.40 Hrs	<p>Conversational Roundtable with Ms Taru Mehta as Moderator</p> <p>Chairperson: <i>Prof. Yukti Sharma, Department of Education and Joint Director, Institute of Lifelong Learning, University of Delhi</i></p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Ms Naaz Rizvi, Director, National Museum of Natural History, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, GoI</i> • <i>Ms Manasa Priya Vasudevan, Adolescent and Youth Development Specialist, UNICEF</i> • <i>Mr Seep Agrawal, Lead- Civic Engagement Partnerships and Programs, YuWaah, UNICEF</i> • <i>Ms Sonali Nagar, Senior Scientist and Editor (Science Reporter), CSIR-National Institute Of Science Communication and Policy Research</i> • <i>Ms Anamika Das, Head – Advocacy and Strategic Programs, ESRI</i> • <i>Ms Adiba Faiz, Assistant Director, National Accreditation Board for Education and Training (NABET), QCI</i> • <i>Dr Shrabanti Sen, Director, Program Design, Delivery, and Impact, ChildFund India</i> <p>Leading Questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>How do multilateral organisations integrate environment education in their children centric programmes? How can programmes like GREEN Olympiad have an amplified impact?</i> 2. <i>What role do corporates play in promoting environment awareness?</i> 3. <i>What are recent advancements in environmental education wrt NEP 2020?</i> 4. <i>What role can eco-clubs and community programs play in encouraging youth participation in climate action?</i> 5. <i>Looking at GREEN Olympiad, which new attributes can be added to the programme?</i>
13.40 – 13.45 Hrs	Launch of GREEN Olympiad 2026 Registration Portal
13.45 – 13.55 Hrs	Demonstration of GREEN Olympiad Registration Portal <i>Ms Saumya Pant, Project Associate, EEA, TERI</i>
13.55 – 1400 Hrs	Feedback and Concluding Remarks <i>Ms Saumya Pant, Project Associate, EEA, TERI</i>
14.00 Hrs onwards	Lunch