



Youth Climate Conclave – 3rd Edition

In order to facilitate engagement, education and empowerment of Indian youth about the challenges of Climate Change, the 3rd edition of ‘Youth Climate Conclave’ (YCC) is being organized. YCC is being held under the SPIPA (Strategic Partnership for the Implementation of the Paris Agreement) project with Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, GoI as the nodal ministry. The SPIPA project is being implemented by the Delegation of the European Union to India, in close cooperation with GIZ-India. The YCC activity is being implemented by TERI in partnership with GIZ-India and CEEW. This conclave is envisaged as a competitive and an educative mode of action, wherein youth from across the country will come together to join hands and address the issues of climate change.

Guidelines for Blogging Contest

1. Each person can submit only one entry on any of the themes:
 - **Sustainable Lifestyles: A Need of the Hour**
 - **Local Actions for Global Impact**
 - **Role of Youth for Climate Action**
2. Entries can be submitted in the following age categories:
 - a. **13 – 18 years and**
 - b. **19 – 25 years**
3. Only one entry per student will be accepted; however there is no limit to number of students who can apply from each school / college.
4. Blog writings can be in form of an opinion, a story, or a case study and must relate to the theme. The maximum word limit is 500 words per entry and can be composed either in English or Hindi.
5. Selection will be based on following parameters:
 - Originality of content
 - Presentation style
 - Factually correct information
6. Blogs should reflect positive actions and composed as original and creative write-ups highlighting how youth of today can help in resolving the Climate Change Issues. Blogs should also highlight aspects related to interlinkages between Climate Change and Renewable Energy, Agriculture, Water, Energy, Waste, Resource Efficiency and Sustainable Lifestyles and Indigenous Knowledge.



7. Entries must not contain any vulgar, obscene, defamatory, pornographic or violent content or content detrimental to national interest of any country, region and personality.
8. By entering the contest, applicant represents, acknowledges and warrants that the submitted blog is an original work created solely for this contest. If an entry is found to be copied, the applicant will be expelled from the contest immediately.
9. Upon selection, the candidate should agree to his / her work to be edited at discretion of the organizers. Blogs will be credited to the blogger wherever published.
10. Deadline to submit the entry is **15 November 2021**.
11. Please go through the contest details on the website link- https://wsds.teriin.org/ycc_v3/youth-climate-conclave-3.php and mail your filled in application form at youthclimateconclave@gmail.com.
12. Selected blogs will be converted into a monograph.
13. Winners will receive e- certificates along with other exciting prizes.
14. Jury decision will be final.

For further queries, please write to us at youthclimateconclave@gmail.com