

FAQS for Youth For Earth Campaign 2023

Who can participate?

Youth (school and college students under 30 years of age) can participate.

Are there any categories of participation?

Yes. Students can participate in two categories competing within their respective categories:

- Junior: Classes from 9th up to 12th (Schools)
- Senior: Graduation/ Post Graduation (Colleges & Universities) and groups from independent organizations can participate. Note that anyone above 30 years of age cannot participate.

Can anyone participate individually?

No. Since, works towards sustainability and the betterment of the planet can be done collectively we have designed this campaign only for Team participation of 5 or more members.

How can we participate?

- Step 1: Give your team a name and an interesting challenge for the Youth for Earth campaign 2023, and must nominate a team lead to represent your team.
- Step 2: Register your team [here](#).
- You have to choose a topic which connects with SDG 13: Climate Action and do a project on-ground to show us the report by July 2023 in a reporting format that we will mention at a later stage, once the registration closes.

What are the topics of participation?

There are no specific topics for participation. The projects must align with **SDG 13: Climate Action**. The projects are subject to innovation from the youth.

Can we create a team of members from different institutions/ colleges?

Yes. You need to provide the names and details of the team members and the names of institutions each one of them is from at the time of report submission.

Is there any process for creating a team of members from different academic institutions?

Firstly, give a name to your team. Secondly, register your team through the registration link. Thirdly, your team must have a name and one valid address. For example, if the students staying in the same residential society, but are from different educational institutions are willing to come forward as a team to participate in Youth For Earth, then they must mention the address of that society.

What are the parameters of judgment?

Need of the project in that place; the importance of the project; how that project could bring in positive impacts on the environment and society; team's contribution, and the operations, are some of the parameters that a project's/ activity's performance will be judged on.

What are the rewards for winning teams?

5 winning change-makers each from Junior and Senior teams will be awarded cash Prizes:

1st Prize – INR 50,000

2nd Prize – INR 30,000, and

Commendation 3rd, 4th and 5th rank holders will be awarded with a cash prize of INR 25,000.

The awards will be felicitated to the team by showcasing them in our physical program: International Conference for Sustainability Education in September in New Delhi.

A merit certificate and entry pass will be awarded to all the selected participants to attend ICSE 2023.

Certificate of Recognition/Participation to an Institute will be awarded if the team members are from the same university or School.

Winning teams' activities/projects and other interesting projects will be highlighted and promoted by Mobius Foundation and The Climate Reality Project through its social media platforms and website.

[Will all the participating teams get participating certificates?](#)

Certificates will be provided to all the participating teams and their members.

[Will the participating schools/ institutions be provided with a participating certificate?](#)

Yes, in addition to providing a participating certificate for all the members, we will also provide a certificate to the participating school or any institution if all the team members of that team are from the same school/ educational institution.

[Only ongoing activities to be submitted or completed projects?](#)

Both ongoing and completed projects can be submitted for the campaign. Do keep in mind the submitted project/activity should be your own and as per the mentioned themes, SDG goals. The Completed projects/activity can be tweaked/ modified as per the Y4E guidelines and requirements before submitting.

[How many projects/ teams can one school register?](#)

One team can take up only one single project whereas multiple teams can participate from the same school and university.

[Any Do's or Don'ts?](#)

Stick to the guidelines and deadlines. In case of any queries, reach out to us at: india@climatereality.com and icse@mobiusf.org.