WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY 5TH JUNE 2022

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We have #OnlyOneEarth...



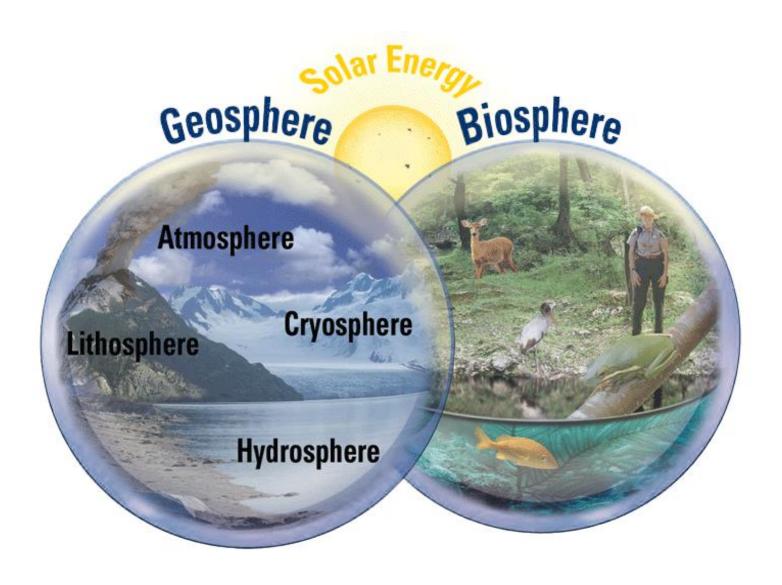
Why is world environment day celebrated??

- World Environment Day 2022 is the biggest international day for the environment. Led by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), and held annually, it has grown to be the largest global platform for environmental outreach. It is celebrated by millions of people across the world.
- World Environment Day 2022 is hosted by Sweden. "Only One Earth" is the campaign slogan, with the focus on "Living Sustainably in Harmony with Nature". 2022 marks 50 years since Stockholm Conference which led to the designation of 5 June as World Environment Day.
- After UN general assembly designated 5th June as World Environment Day in 1972, the Day has also become a vital platform for promoting progress on the environmental dimensions of the Sustainable Development Goals. With the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) at the helm, over 150 countries participate each year. Major corporations, non-governmental organizations, communities, governments and celebrities from across the world adopt the World Environment Day brand to champion environmental causes.

What is environment?

- Environment is our surrounding. It naturally comprises of both biotic (living components such as plants, animals) and abiotic (non living components such as air, soil, water) factors. It is an external factor/stimuli/resource wherein organisms develop, interact, survive.
- When organisms interact with its surrounding, an ecosystem is formed. Natural and Artificial are the 2 types of environment. Based on the components, the environment may also be classified into:
- HYDROSPHERE: aquatic environment (marine, such as oceans and seas, and freshwaters, such as lakes and rivers),
- 2. LITHOSPHERE: terrestrial environment (land), and
- 3. ATMOSPHERE : atmospheric environment (air).

Together they form the BIOSPHERE.

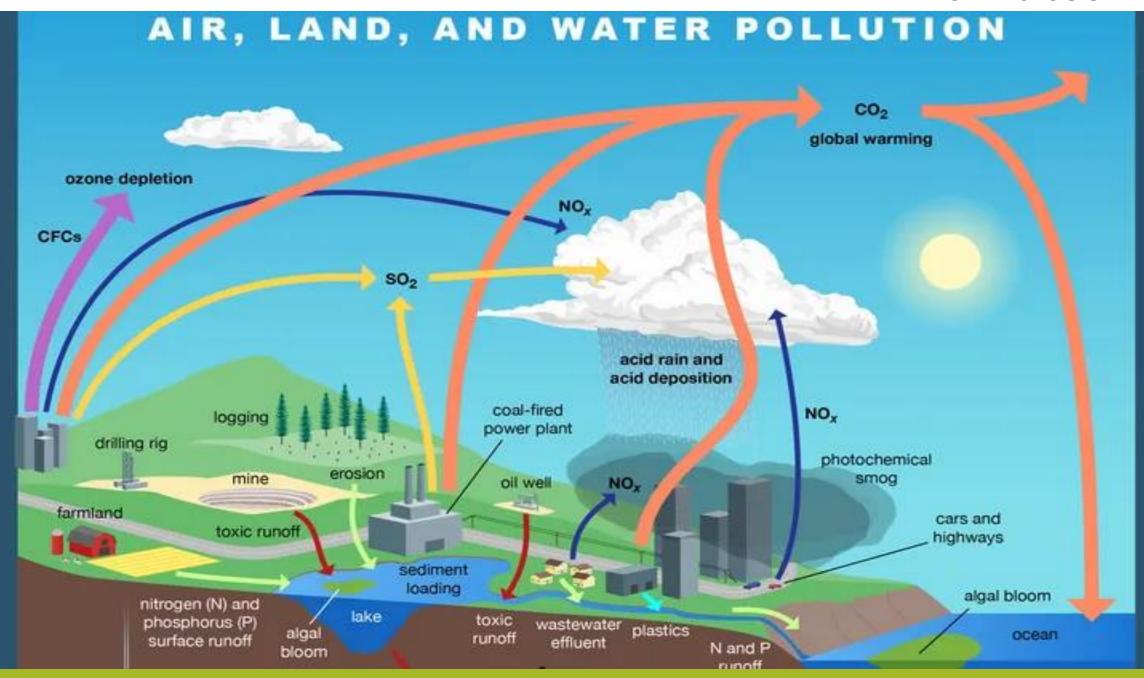


What is environmental conservation?

- Environmental conservation is a practice that paves the way for protecting the <u>environment</u> and <u>natural</u> <u>resources</u> on the individual, organizational as well as governmental levels.
- THE THREATS: There are various core environmental issues that are taking a heavy toll on human lives. Ranging from overpopulation, hydrological issues, ozone depletion, global warming to deforestation, desertification and pollution, all these issues pose a severe threat to the existence of species including humankind.

Why do we need to conserve the environment?

- To reduce <u>air</u>, <u>water</u> and <u>land pollution</u>
- To facilitate the conservation of natural resources for our future generations
- To ensure the protection of biodiversity
- To implement <u>sustainable development</u>
- To restore the ecological balance
- To save our planet from harmful repercussions of global warming





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EFFECTS OF DEFORESTATION

- Droughts
- Wildfires
- Increase in temperature
- Animal death and/or extinction
- Vegetation and Resources lost

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<u>LIVING SUSTAINABLY IN HARMONY WITH NATURE – OUR ROLES AND</u> RESPONSIBILITIES

- WHAT IS SUSTAINABILITY?
- environmental sustainability is the practice of interacting with the planet responsibly. We do it to avoid depleting natural resources and compromising the future generation's ability to meet their daily needs.

Reduce + Reuse + Recycle + Compost









WHAT IS COEXISTENCE?

• Coexistence - when populations of several species that utilize the same limiting resources manage to persist within the same locality . coexistence helps people share the landscape with wildlife and using innovative tools to reduce the conflicts that often occur with wildlife in their natural

habitats.



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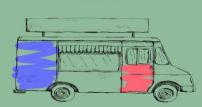
CHOOSE

we can make a **CONSCIOUS decision** on whether we buy a product or not



RESEARCH

find out where the item comes from & what ETHICAL stance the company holds



SHOP LOCAL

this helps support small businesses & jobs, & can have LESS impact on the environment



to

START LIVING

SUSTAINABLE

LIFE



START SMALL

small changes right now can make a big difference.

ENCOURAGE those around us to start the change



QUESTION

ask ourselves if we really need it. Give ourselves 10 minutes to REFLECT



SWAP

our friends often have items we can **EXCHANGE** which saves us buying new things



OFFSET

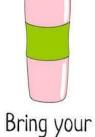
if we can't buy it sustainably right now, how can we offset its impact? Get

CREATIVE



ZERO WASTE TIPS



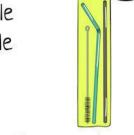


own cup





Use your own eco bags



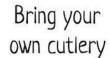
Use reusable straw

Use glass jars



Bring your own

shopping bag

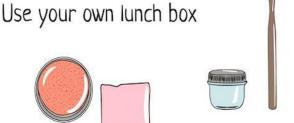


Use stainless

safety razor



Make your own products



Use bamboo tooth brush



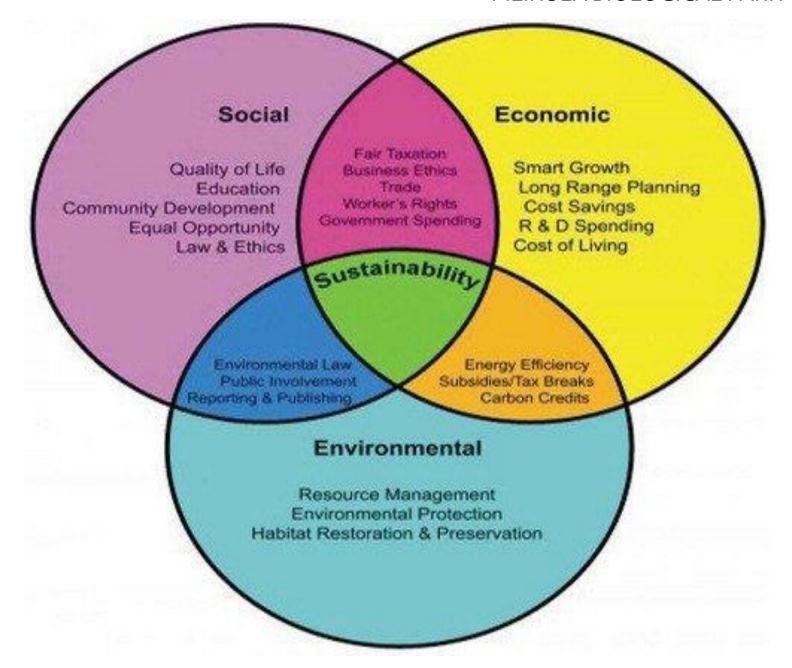
Try plastic free alternatives





CLEANING DRIVES ANTI PLASTIC DRIVES AWARNESS PROGRAMS **CREATING AWARNESS** THROUGH ART WORK, AND THEATRE **INTERACTING AND** HELPING LOCAL **COMMUNITIES NATURE CLUBS** SUSTAINABLE LIVING **PRACTICES HELPING OTHER SPECIES...**

CAN YOU NAME A FEW METHODS TO HELP OUR ENVIRONMENT??



Activity – eco brick, bottle plant holder







HOW TO MAKE AN ECOBRICK

STEP 1

Collect clean and dry plastic waste at home



STEP 2

Find a clean, dry 2-litre cooldrink bottle with a lid



STEP 3

Compress waste into the bottle with a stick



STEP 4

Pack tightly throughout the process to ensure it is compressed



STEP 5

Put the lid back on and your EcoBrick is ready to be built with





THANKYOU









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