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“Voices for the Planet” Debate Competition 2025

The poster features a light green background with a forest scene at the bottom. At the top left is the college logo. The central text is arranged in a hierarchy: college name, accreditation, and the event title. A large circular graphic contains the theme and event name. Below this are icons for climate change and recycling. A central graphic shows a hand holding a microphone. At the bottom, there are call-to-action boxes, event details, and an illustration of two debaters at podiums.

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OSHIWARA JOGESHWARI (W) MUMBAI-400102
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UNDER ENVIRONMENT CELL & DLLE
ORGANIZES
DEBATE COMPETITION

THEME: CLIMATE CHANGE 2025
Voices For The Planet

Think smart
Speak loud!!

DATE: 12TH OCTOBER, 2025
VENUE: 501, HKCE CLASSROOM

I/C PRINCIPAL:
DR. VARSHA MARU

EVENT INCHARGE:
DR. AVANI KANAKIA

VISION: SHAPING THE PUPIL TEACHER TO SHOULDER THE RESPONSIBILITY OF SHAPING THE FUTURE YOUTH OF THE NATION

*Speak for Nature.
Argue for the Future.*



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Report on “Voices for the Planet” Debate Competition 2025

Date: 12th October 2025

Venue: 501 classroom

Time: 10:00 am onwards

Introduction:

The Debate Competition titled “Voices for the Planet” was organized under the Environment cell and Dlle of Humera Khan College of Education on October 11, 2025 By Dr Avani Kanakia Dlle coordinator, DLLE student Manager- Ms.AqsaJairajpuri and Ms.Lubna Shaikh. The competition aimed to provide a platform for students to express their views on issues concerning climate change, environmental sustainability, and eco-friendly living.

The event encouraged participants to think critically, reason logically, and communicate persuasively while discussing real-world environmental challenges. The debate served as a powerful reminder that awareness and action go hand in hand when it comes to preserving our planet.

Objectives:

- To create awareness among students about environmental issues and sustainable solutions.
- To encourage research-based and logical thinking through healthy debate.
- To develop public speaking, confidence, and communication skills among students.
- To promote teamwork, leadership, and respect for differing viewpoints.
- To motivate students to adopt eco-conscious practices in everyday life.

Significance:

The Voices for the Planet Debate provided an opportunity for student-teachers to express their opinions on global environmental concerns in an informed and constructive manner. The event emphasized the value of open dialogue in fostering awareness and action toward sustainability. It also encouraged future educators to integrate environmental education into classroom practices and to inspire others toward mindful living.



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Content:

The competition began with a warm and enthusiastic welcome by the student manager, Aqsa Jairajpuri and Lubna Shaikh, who set an engaging tone for the event. The judges for the event were Dr Varsha Maru ma'am, Dr Avani kanakia ma'am, Prof. Shenaz Khan ma'am.

The debate was conducted in 5 rounds, with 10 groups competing against one another. Each round featured a unique and thought-provoking topic related to environmental and sustainability issues.

•The list of topics and participants is as follows:

Round 1

Topic: Online Learning Reduces Carbon Footprint

- FOR: Team Eco Visionaries
- AGAINST: Team Wise Voices

Round 2

Topic: Eco-Friendly Products Are Worth the Extra Cost

- FOR: Team Vox Veritas (Voice of Truth)
- AGAINST: Team Eco Defenders

Round 3

Topic: Tourism Does More Harm Than Good to the Environment

- FOR: Team Eco Warriors
- AGAINST: Team Eco Voice

Round 4

Topic: Green Lifestyle Is Just a Privilege for the Rich

- FOR: Team Quadrant
- AGAINST: Team voice rise

Round 5



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Topic: Fast Fashion: A Trend or a Threat to the Planet?

- FOR: Team Voices of Change
- AGAINST: Team Young Voices, Big Impact

Each team displayed remarkable energy and preparedness. Their arguments reflected extensive research and genuine concern for environmental issues.

The audience responded enthusiastically, creating an engaging and intellectually vibrant atmosphere. Judges assessed participants based on content, clarity, confidence, and rebuttal skills. Every team displayed strong coordination and sportsmanship, symbolized through a friendly handshake at the end of each round.

All debaters received Eco Warrior badges, and the event concluded with heartfelt appreciation for the participants, organizers, and coordinators who made the competition a grand success.

Learning Outcomes:

The Voices for the Planet Debate provided a valuable learning experience for all participants. Students learned to research, analyze, and articulate their viewpoints effectively. They developed confidence in public speaking and gained awareness about how everyday choices impact the environment. The event encouraged them to think critically, respect diverse perspectives, and work as a team. It also encouraged environmental consciousness among future educators, motivating them to advocate sustainability in their professional and personal lives.

LIST OF WINNERS:

1ST PRIZE:

KAZI AISHA SHAMSUDDIN MUMTAZ

GHALTEY FATIMA ANWARKHAN SALMA

SAYYED AIMAN MOHAMMAD WASI ANEESA

KHAN MEHREEN VAKIL AHMED MAHAZABEEN

2ND PRIZE:



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SHAIKH SONI MOHD UMAR FAROOK NOOR JAHAN

SHAIKH FARHANA SHERALI SANJIDA BANO

YADAV KIRAN GANESH: SARITA

KUSHWAHA POOJA RAHUL



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Rules & Regulations

VOICES FOR THE PLANET

- **Team Composition:** Each team must have 4 members (including one leader).
- **Positioning:** Teams will argue FOR or AGAINST the given topic.
- **Topic Disclosure:** Topics will be communicated in the official WhatsApp group two days prior to the event.
- **Debate Flow:**
 - **Team Leaders:** 3 minutes each
 - **Other Members:** 2 minutes each
 - **Rebuttal Round:** 10 minutes (max 45 sec per speaker)
 - **Summing Up:** 2 minutes per team
- **Participation:** All team members must speak at least once.
- **Certification:** All participants will receive E-Certificates.

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Glimpse of “Voices for the Planet” Debate Competition 2025



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Group 1 & 2



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