



A Report On Celebration of the World Ozone Day-2024



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World Ozone Day has been celebrated since 1994 and was established by the United Nations General Assembly. It is celebrated on 16th of September every year to spread awareness and bring attention to the depletion of the ozone layer. The Vienna Convention to protect the Ozone layer was adopted right on the 22nd of March 1985 and it was then followed by the signature of 28 countries. The countries signed the Montreal Protocol on 16th of September 1987 and it was done to highlight the International Day with the sole motive of preserving the Ozone layer. The Montreal Protocol, finalized a global agreement to protect the stratospheric ozone layer by phasing out the production and consumption of ozone-depleting substances (ODS). It celebrates the anniversary of the day the Montreal Protocol came into effect.

This year's theme is: Montreal Protocol: Advancing Climate Action, it highlights the positive impact of the Montreal Protocol in promoting the recovery of the ozone layer and addressing climate change. The day also marked to remind individuals and governments about the importance of the ozone layer to our survival on earth. It is a layer that exclusively prevents the Earth from all the unwanted rays of the Sun. In short terms, it can be termed as an international treaty that has plans for shielding the ozone layer through the reduction of the substance production that is accountable for depleting the ozone layer.

DESKU Environmental Information, Awareness, Capacity Building and Livelihood Programme (EIACP), Programme Centre –Resource Partner (PC-RP) on Environmental Biotechnology, University of Kalyani, celebrated World Ozone Day-2024 through school awareness programme. On 11th September, 2024 the day was celebrated at Belgharia School, Kolkata, West Bengal. Prof. Kausik Mondal, DESKU EIACP Coordinator and EIACP staff (Mr. Sourov Banerjee, IO, Mr. Tanmoy Acharjee, ITO and Mr. Subham Dutta, DEO) were present in this programme.

The programme was inaugurated by the school principal and also felicitated the Prof. Kausik Mondal, EIACP Coordinator, University of Kalyani. Then the technical session was conducted by the Coordinator, Prof. Kausik Mondal. He gave the theme lecture of Ozone Day through power point LCD presentation. Quiz competition on world ozone day was also arranged for the participants. The whole programme was conducted by the EIAC staff. Students from different classes (class VI-X) were present in the Programme and also actively participated in the quiz session. Winners of the competitions were felicitated by gift. More than 150 students were participated in this programme.

At the end of the programme Mr Tanmoy Acharjee, IT Officer DESKU EIACP RP gave the vote of thanks. He gave the specially thanks to principal, teacher and staff of Belgharia School, Kolkata, Prof. Kausik Mondal, EIACP Coordinator, EIACP staffs, school students and MoEF & CC for their support



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Felicitation of Prof. Kausik Mondal, EIACP Coordinator, by the school principal



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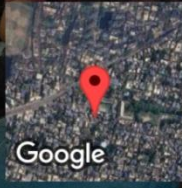
Theme of the World Ozone Day was given by Prof. Kausik Monal, Coordinator, EIACP



Students and EIACP Coordinator discussing on theme of the day in the technical session



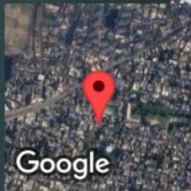
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