

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF EDUCATIONAL OFFICER, VELLORE
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Sub :	DOE &CC – United Nations Environment Programme – Tide Turners Plastic Challenge Registration – Necessary Action – Regarding
Ref :	Mail Received from Department of Environment and Climate Change, Panagal Building, Saidapet, Chennai.15

The Department of Environment and Climate Change has joined hands with United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) for implementing the "Tide Turners Plastic Challenge " in Tamil Nadu. The objective of the said programme is capacity building, community outreach and advocating ground level solutions against plastic pollutants.

The Tide Turners Plastic Challenge is an initiative engaging youth across the country to address the issue of plastic pollution threatening life in oceans, rivers and on land. This initiative offers an opportunity for school students to take leadership role to inspire and engage their peers in collective action within their communities or institutions to tackle the menace of Single use plastic.

This "Tide Turners Plastic Challenge" will commence by August 2023. The Tamil Nadu Government has committed to engage maximum number of students from schools in this initiative. Initially, a virtual Master Teacher Training workshop for all registered faculty will be held to enhance their knowledge about plastic pollution and for further co-ordination of the initiative . Subsequently, the teacher attendees are expected to learn about the campaign and implement the challenge within their school students.

In this connection, it is requested to all the schools to nominate two faculty per school as co-coordinators to register for the event in the link (<https://tide-turners.org/SignUpEC>) with in 30th July 2023. The faculty should register under group category along with the list of student volunteers from the school. The schools shall also forward the details of the registered faculty and students volunteer's to Department of Environment and Climate Change, Panagal Building, Saidapet, Chennai.15.

Chief Educational Officer,
Vellore..

To,
The Headmaster of All Schools Vellore District.

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