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Earth Day 2023 at GLS

14 April 2023

Dear Parents,

Each year Earth Day is celebrated on 22nd April to raise awareness and promote active engagement of the wider world community in mitigating climate change and protecting earth's natural resources for future generations. The theme for Earth Day 2023 is 'Invest In Our Planet', focusing on each one of us doing our part and taking accountability for protecting our planet.

As we approach Earth Day 2023, we would like to invite the GLS community to join us in several phase-wise initiatives in the next few weeks commencing 17th April to promote sustainable living.

The Earth Day Warriors of Kindergarten:

The Kindergarteners are all set to celebrate the Earth Day in exciting ways engaging themselves and their family members in planting seedlings and recycling materials to create bookmarks and bird feeders. They will also enjoy balloon painting recording their little Earth Day messages and will sort trash with their peers at school. Our little Earth Day Warriors will envision and construct their own green world and will express their dreams about their sustainable world. They will undoubtedly keep themselves and you busy until the World Environment Day in June, making sure that we all do our little bit to save our planet.

Details and timelines of these activities will be shared by the respective class teachers.

The Earth Day Crusaders of the Primary:

The Primary students will amplify their voices against climate change through talk shows and interviews engaging their families and the wider community in building collective responsibility towards our environment. They will actively engage in growing herbs and plants in their homes. These responsible Earth Day Crusaders will constantly remind you to conserve energy and water at home and will encourage you to save the earth's resources and of course your electricity and water bills. They will lead change in their eating habits (and perhaps yours too) by compelling you to pack salads and fruits for their second break every single day.

Details and timelines of these activities will be shared by the respective class teachers.

The Earth Day Ambassadors of Middle School:

Students from Middle School will lead their family members in their campaign - '**Fight Climate Change with Diet Change.**' The families will bond together educating themselves about sustainable diet, trying out recipes that are healthy for themselves and the planet and most importantly enjoy the new learning experience.

The unstoppable Earth Day Ambassadors of Middle School will collectively create an encyclopaedia of a self-clicked photograph or artwork on grade specific themes related to the birds, animals and plants on earth. They will compile and curate their own content related to the earth's flora and fauna researched by them, thus canvassing the need to save earth's valuable natural resources.

Details and timelines of these activities will be shared by the respective class teachers.

We believe that a series of such simple actions can have a significant impact on reducing our carbon footprints and we sincerely hope that you will join us in making a positive difference. We earnestly request the GLS community to actively engage in these Earth Day initiatives to sharpen our collective consciousness towards building a sustainable future for generations to come. We urge you to engage yet again in H.O.P.E. – Helping Out Possibly Everyone – by taking these small steps towards saving our only planet!

Thank you for your support and cooperation!

Warm regards,



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