

There Are a Number of Organisations That Can Support Teaching

Earth Day is celebrated on April 22 annually. The day was born out of a massive oil spill in Santa Barbara, California and is carried forward today by the Earth Day Network. Earth Day was created to help bring awareness and support for environmental protection worldwide.

Sustainable Development Goal 13 aims to "take urgent action to combat climate change and its impact" while acknowledging that the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change is the primary international, intergovernmental forum for negotiating the global response to climate change.

Target 13.3 - Improve education, awareness-raising and human and institutional capacity on climate change mitigation, adaptation, impact reduction and early warning

Target 13.3.1 The extent to which (i) global citizenship education and (ii) education for sustainable development are mainstreamed in (a) national education policies, (b) curricula, (c) teacher education, and (d) student assessment.

Healthy Living Eco-Schools Green Flag

Covers a range of topics, including:

Eco-Schools Topics:

- Biodiversity cares for all plants, animals and insects.
- Energy, reducing energy use and investigating greener energy sources.
- Global Citizenship, working with others on local and global issues.
- Healthy Living, improving mental and physical well-being.

Primary Awards for Green Education in Schools (PAGES)

The Primary Awards for Green Education in Schools (PAGES) is a new awards scheme for primary schools in the United Kingdom. Eco-Schools <https://www.eco-schools.org.uk/ten-topics/healthy-living/>

Let's Go Zero 2030

Let's Go Zero 2030 unites schools working to become carbon-zero by 2030. That's a huge challenge - but transforming our schools will help safeguard the planet for future generations.

Our Plant2Plate Campaign

The campaign encourages schools to provide practical involvement in growing fruit or vegetables on whatever scale their circumstances allow – from windowsill to larger purpose-made plots – and provides free information such as the ‘Growing Food at School: Beginner’s Guide’ and the ‘Growing Guide Calendar’.

The Geography Quality Mark

- Through geography, quality mark young people have the opportunity to work on projects such as:
 - Weather: Young people could set up their weather station by making measuring equipment. Rain gauge, anemometer, barometer, weather vane, and cloud key.
 - Measure local weather conditions and patterns.
 - Young people can research local and global weather events and explore whether human activities have influenced these, for example, building on flood plains and damming rivers.