

**ST. XAVIER'S INSTITUTE OF EDUCATION, MUMBAI**

**STUDENT ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY (SEA)**

Online Session on

*Understanding and Addressing UN Sustainable Development Goals through Films*

*Resource Person: Ms. Alisha Sadikot*

**Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2020**

**Session attended by 47 Student Teachers**

In 2015, 193 countries adopted a vision for the world in 2030. The vision is ambitious: a world of peace and prosperity built on a foundation of a healthy natural environment. A world of improved health, access to quality education, good jobs and reduced inequalities among others aspirations.

As we are aware COVID-19 has unravelled our way of life and finding the path forward from here may be even more challenging than before. In this 'New Normal' it's time to look at the world, understand the possibilities for change and take action to make that change happen.

Films are often considered as one of the strongest modes of communicating a message which can bring in transformative change in the society. Nowadays films with the social impact are proving to be a driving force to motivate and mobilise young learners for effective and innovating actions. Hence young teachers need to be oriented about how to use films in accelerating the process of implementing Sustainable Development Goals. This will surely help them in creatively educating and engaging young minds.

Objectives of the session :

1. To make student teachers understand the UN SDGs
2. To help student teachers about how to address UN SDGs through films
3. To promotes awareness of contemporary scientific, technological and environmental issues through international films
4. To explore various activities for the hope filled future of mankind.
5. To promote activities by reviewing films for the care for common planet earth.
6. To inspire young teachers to be the change.

The session started with a warm welcome to the Principal, Staff, Students and the resource person by Dr. Elvina Pereira, Staff coordinator

After which Dr. Pereira gave a brief introduction of the resource person, Ms. Alisha Sadikot and also spoke about the theme of the session.

After a brief introduction Ms. Alisha Sadikot took the session forward. Ms. Alisha started the session by welcoming the students as well as thanking the college for giving her this opportunity. She then started the session by talking about various online resources which can be used in classroom as well as how we can make use of such resources. She gave a brief overview of such resources.

Ms. Alisha spoke about the film festival in Brazil, in which people prepare videos or documentaries on the topic or the theme decided for that particular year. She explained very beautifully how films can be brought into the classroom environment and how they can be used effectively to teach particular concepts, thereby making the lessons interesting for the students. She then went on to show how can we access to such resources by providing a link in which we have to register for free and then we get access to a number of films uploaded by a number of individuals throughout the globe. Each of the films is linked to some or the other course.

Ms. Alisha then showed two films from that site about waste management and how can waste be upgraded so that it can be used for some or the other purpose. She showed a film in which it showed how much plastic is generated from one-time shopping. It was really shocking for the student teachers to know how much plastic do we humans use in day-to-day life. After that film, she asked the students ways in which we can reduce plastic waste. The students then contributed by giving a number of suggestions or alternatives in which plastic use can be reduced.

The session was then continued by Ms. Alisha talking about how plastic harms the environment. She also suggested some ways in which we can reduce the use of plastic in our everyday life. She talked about a concept called “Upcycling,” in which we have to use the waste in such a manner that it will not harm the environment and at the same time can be reused.

In here concluding remarks Ms. Alisha spoke about how children can bring about social change and why we should educate them about such problems when they are young. Dr. Elvina Pereira then concluded by appreciating the efforts taken by the speaker for the session as well as the students and staff members who attended the session. The session was very enriching as the student teachers came to know about a number of ways in which sustainable development can be promoted. Student teachers also came to know about the various online resources and how they can use these resources effectively to make the young learners aware of various problems in the environment.

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# SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

1 NO POVERTY	2 ZERO HUNGER	3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING	4 QUALITY EDUCATION	5 GENDER EQUALITY	6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION
7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY	8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH	9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE	10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES	11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES	12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION
13 CLIMATE ACTION	14 LIFE BELOW WATER	15 LIFE ON LAND	16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS	17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS	SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



Zoom Meeting

Renita Lobo Elvina Pereira Sosamma Samuel Dhanya sophiya Lemos ADELAIDE

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A screenshot of a Zoom meeting interface. The main video feed shows Alisha Sadikot speaking. The top bar lists other participants: Renita Lobo, Elvina Pereira, Sosamma Samuel, Dhanya, sophiya Lemos, and ADELAIDE. The bottom toolbar includes controls for Unmute, Start Video, Participants (50), Chat, Share Screen, Record, Reactions, and a red Leave button.



# Teaching Resources

An essential part of the Science Film Festival is curating activities that supplement the themes explored in the films, through hands-on experiments, projects or learning games offered for young audiences at the screenings. Festival partners from all participating countries exchange and adapt ideas for educational activities, which supplement the films at an international workshop and subsequent national workshops. The Science Film Festival offers an effective and enjoyable learning environment through this multidisciplinary approach.

In this section, facilitators, teachers and parents can find activities that connect to early learners, primary and secondary school films at the annual Science Film Festival. These include learning games, projects and hands-on experiments that can be done before or after visiting the festival to enrich the experience.

- ✓ GOAL 1: No Poverty
- ✓ GOAL 2: Zero Hunger
- ✓ GOAL 3: Good Health and Well-being
- ✓ GOAL 4: Quality Education
- ✓ GOAL 5: Gender Equality
- ✓ GOAL 6: Clean Water and Sanitation
- ✓ GOAL 7: Affordable and Clean Energy
- ✓ GOAL 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth



**Zoom Group Chat**

From Pramila to Everyone: 02:49 PM  
Thank you Ma'am  
We are working on FAQ video for innovative containers now. Have info ready but not had time to make it.

From Joslin Cardoza to Everyone: 02:49 PM  
This was an amazing idea👍

From Joslin Cardoza to Everyone: 02:56 PM  
Wow food safety can be taught with this video👍

From Alisha Sadikot to Everyone: 02:58 PM  
I'll cut this short in a minute. sorry but i know we are running lat <https://vimeo.com/showcase/7520459?page=2>  
Password: #SFFIN20

From Kalpana Chavan to Everyone:  
children can bring about social change much faster - catch them young

From Joslin Cardoza to Everyone:  
Food safety

From ADELAIDE to Everyone:  
The community fridge initiative that I have heard about

From Kalpana Chavan to Everyone:  
awareness about which food spoils other food faster.. what combo can be avoided

To: Alisha Sadikot (Privately) File

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