



## Al Gore's Climate Leadership Program

### The Climate Reality Project



In 2006, The Climate Reality Project Chairman and former U.S. Vice President Al Gore sparked an international conversation on climate change with his Academy Award-winning documentary, *An Inconvenient Truth*. It was just the beginning of a climate revolution, and a year later he founded The Climate Reality Project. At The Climate Reality Project, our mission is to catalyze a global solution to the climate crisis by making the urgent action a necessity across every level of society.

The Climate Reality Project has branches in 10 countries. The Climate Reality Leadership Corps has been training and empowering everyday people to become world changers – and then mobilizing them for action. Currently, more than 20,000 diverse and dedicated volunteers internationally called Climate Reality Leaders from over 150 countries have been trained. Every year, Climate Reality organizes 24 Hours of Reality and reaches millions of households and individuals in one day, via television, online media, personal communication to raise awareness and lead global climate conversation.

### The Climate Reality Project India



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Reality Project®**  
INDIA

The Climate Reality Project India is an independent branch of The Climate Reality Project (International) was established in March 2008 with the help of Al Gore and TERI. In 2009, it was incorporated as a trust in Mumbai with eminent Indians as trustees.

Apart from continuing to expand climate change training and presentations, Climate Reality India's work includes the climate change awareness and action programs to make a bigger impact, like Green Campus Program for schools and colleges aims to bring leadership to the future generation and help educational institutes in a transition towards a more clean and sustainable future.

Climate Reality has been working closely with partners and like-minded organizations, intending to strengthen India's Paris commitments. Some of the campaigns are tree plantation drives, 100% committed for clean energy, water conservation, rainwater harvesting, and support to electric mobility.

The India branch supports more than 550 trained Climate Reality Leaders who are taking climate actions at many levels, and more than 900 volunteers spread all over the country. Climate Reality India is developing new content to enhance community actions, both online and on the ground.

## Highlights of our Programs:



### High Impact Teachers Training Program

The Teacher Training Program on climate change and sustainable development goals is our flagship program running successfully since 2009. We have trained more than 6000 teachers from over 500 schools and colleges across India. We have reached out to schools in Delhi, Himachal, Uttarakhand, and Maharashtra. These teachers are supported by online training and teaching content through website and mobile applications.



### Green Campus Program

Green Campus Program (GCP) enables schools and colleges to conserve natural resources like water and biodiversity, optimize energy efficiency, manage waste and educate about climate change and sustainability while addressing the well-being of the students. We have awarded 10 schools in Delhi as Green campuses in 2019, and working with large and influential educational institutes like Deccan Education Society in Maharashtra.



### Tree Plantations

Forests are a critical tool for offsetting emissions, and to support India's NDC, Climate Reality India is supporting plantations through its partners and Climate Reality Leaders. Campaign One Million Fruit Trees has been started in Odisha in the Fani impacted areas. The mangroves plantation being critical to coastal regions, continuous efforts are being made to plant more trees to check erosion and support ecosystem.



### Water Conservation

Knowing climate change is and will continuously induce water stress in most of the country, Climate Reality India is promoting Rain Water Harvesting (RWH) through training and awareness programs. We have started with building RWH structures in Beed District of Marathwada region, one of the worst droughts hit region; RWH structures at more than 70 Pune Municipal Corporation buildings with the help of the local community, leaders and civic bodies.



### Climate Change Awareness and presentations:

Presentations, seminars and workshops are regularly organized with partners and on public demand. Businesses, commercial associations, government, media houses, educational institutions and resident communities have been engaged in climate change conversations in past.

**To support our initiatives / request a presentation / or get any other information, you may contact us at:**

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