

## Green Environment Education European Network

Newsletter

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### GREEN is ...

a 3-year project funded by the Lifelong Learning Programme COMENIUS that seeks to promote the effective integration of climate change education into educational programmes and school curricula, on the one hand, and to promote creativity in science education, making science education more tangible, innovative and attractive to the youngest generation through a centrally important issue, on the other hand.

### GREEN Award



After the successful European storytelling award with a wonderful award ceremony in Stockholm, the GREEN team is happy to announce the second GREEN school award.

### Take action on climate change!

There is climate action happening everywhere. Each of us can engage in climate actions and make a difference. The GREEN team is inviting European school students to show us their projects and

ideas that contribute to this momentum for change. We are looking forward to seeing young people's innovation, the climate change solutions they are developing in their schools or communities.

### Make the difference!

The GREEN network invites you to submit projects, concepts or ideas on engaging in climate action, key outcomes of your action, and its success in meeting the climate change challenge locally.

You can describe a project that has already been carried out or is still in the planning process. You can also describe a concept or idea that could potentially be carried out if you had the chance to do so.

In any case, you should:

- 🍃 show how far your project or idea makes a difference;
- 🍃 follow scientific principles (testing, evidence/data, analysis, etc.)
- 🍃 describe the impact of your project or idea.

### Who can participate?

The competition is targeted towards 14-19 year-old students currently attending a school in Europe. Competition entries can be submitted by individuals, small groups or school classes. The winning teams will be invited to the award ceremony in Stockholm. Up to four people per nominated story will be able to attend the award ceremony in Stockholm.

### How to participate?

The seven steps to Kassel:

1. go to our website [www.green-eu.net/award-3](http://www.green-eu.net/award-3) and read all information and the FAQs
2. describe your project or idea by using the submission sheet that you will find on this website
3. illustrate your project or idea by means of a 3-minute video
4. upload the video on You Tube
5. insert the link in the submission sheet
6. submit
7. maybe win?

By submitting your project you agree to have it published on the GREEN website and the GREEN Facebook page.

For more information please contact us at our award office [award@green-eu.net](mailto:award@green-eu.net) or via our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/GREEN.Europe>.

## When is the closing date?

The competition entries are to be submitted by July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

## And the award goes to...

Your story will be evaluated by an independent jury according to the following criteria:

- Scientific approach
- Impact
- Feasibility
- Transferability
- Innovation

The best projects and ideas will be published on our GREEN Facebook page. The public vote (50%) and the jury's vote (50%) will decide on the winners. The more likes your project gets the more likely it is that it wins!

## What can you win?

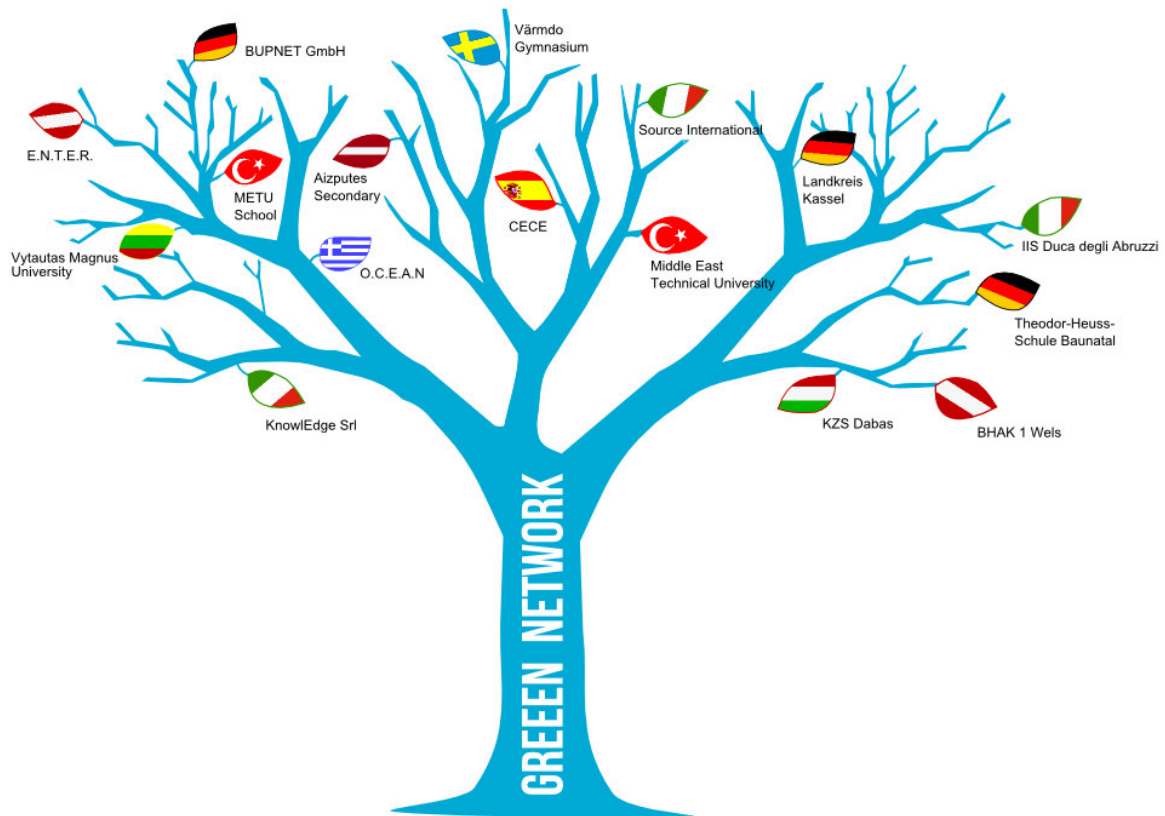
The winners will be invited to present their project at the GREEN-conference in Kassel, Germany, on 10./11.October 2016.

## GREEN final conference

The GREEN conference will take place in Kassel in the premises of the Landkreis Kassel and will include seminars and workshops for the students, as well as the GREEN award ceremony. The students will get the opportunity to get to know both Kassel and the winners of the other European schools. Furthermore, appreciative awards and certificates of participation will be assigned. The conference programme will be made available soon on our website.

[www.green-eu.net](http://www.green-eu.net)

## Project Consortium



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