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Live Coral Reef Diving

From Coral Sea, Queensland, Australia.

12th June 2020, Friday | 3:30AM to 4:30AM

I am very happy and honored to mention that Green Mentos in collaboration with BCC, CUNY embarked on multiple interactive virtual programs dissolving national boundaries. Hundreds of students in India enriched themselves with STEM activities.

I would like to express my deep gratitude to Consulate General of India Honorable Sandeep Chakravorty and President Thomas Isekenegbe for initiating this collaboration. Under the leadership of Dr. Neal Phillip and deep involvement of Prof. Paramita Sen, the collaborative events were a grand success.

I would also extend my gratitude to Provost Lester Rapalo for his support and endorsement.



Regards

Virendra Rawat
Founder - Green Mentors





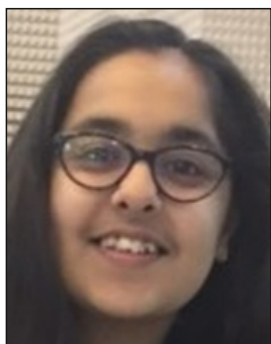
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Name - Yashaswi Jha

School - Vishwa Bharati Public School

Feedback- It was a great opportunity for me to be a part of this insightful and informative live interactive event on Coral Reef Diving from the Coral Sea, Queensland, Australia. The event very well focused on climate change and its effects on coral reefs and the marine population. It was an enjoyable and memorable experience for me. Thank you!



Name : Aashita Arora

School : Bal Bharati Public School, Dwarka, IX A

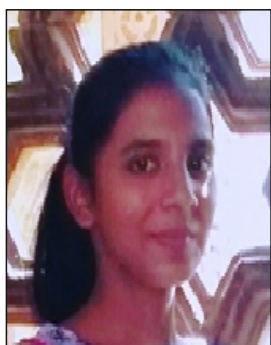
It was a great experience! Absolutely loved learning more about The Great Reef Barrier and its biodiversity. It was amazing to get a closer look of the Marine Life and to know about their habitat. Definitely looking forward to more of these knowledgeable sessions.



Name : Tanya Raina

School : Vishwa Bharati Public School

The Live Coral Reef Diving experience was mesmerizing for all of us as by just sitting inside our house we could have a peek of underwater. We gained a lot of knowledge about the corals and all the different species. Would definitely like to attend some more sessions like this.



Name : Shivani Sharma

School : Vishwa Bharti public school, New Delhi

It was a wonderful experience I really enjoyed it and I got to see different types of aquatic species.

Thanks for giving us this opportunity



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Name : Sanchita

School : Vidya bharati school

The webinar was amazing. It was a good opportunity to explore ocean life. Not only ocean life it was great to learn about impact of climate change on corals. The live diving activity made it more interesting. Thankyou for allowing me to attend an interactive coral reef diving event live from Australia. I hope you will give such opportunities again. Thank you & Regards



Name: Preyasi Goyal

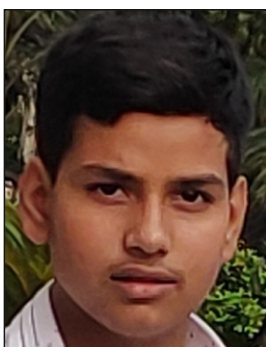
School : Vidya Bharati School

Just loved the webinar It felt like we were actually present in underwater....And for the first time we came to know so much about the different species of fishes and underwater plants....Really really loved the webinar....Hope you would do this webinar again ..



Name : Anmol Jha

I am anmol jha from india study in vishwa bharati public school .I would be very grateful to tell my opinion about webinar it was very wonderful . I get opportunity to attend this webinar. This webinar speciality is that it consists knowledge about coral . I like it and it was my wonderful first experience . I am very thankful to you to give me this opportunity to attend this session
Your very grateful



Name : Md Iftikhar

School : Vidya bharati school.

Today class was very nice I really enjoyed the class.

Thank you



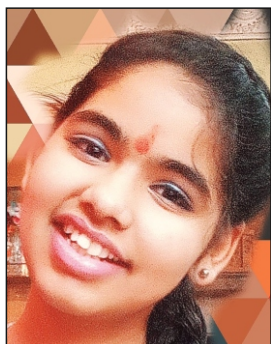
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Name : Aastha Sharma

School : Vishwa Bharati Public School, Dwarka

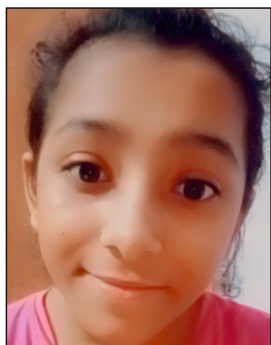
I am Aastha Sharma, a student of Vishwa Bharati Public School Dwarka Sec-6 class Xth. On my selection I was very excited to see coral reef diving live. It was an amazing experience for me as I got an opportunity to see different types of corals, star fish, zebra shark etc for the first time. I would like to request that such programme should be organise on regular basis.



Name : Hritvi Maheshwari

School : Vidya Bharati School, Delhi, India

Amazing Amazing Amazing Experienc
I'm very very grateful to get this opportunity. I have no words to express my feelings and no words to thank you as well.....
Experience to see beautiful aquatic animal so closely was incredible specially wonderful shark. Again thanking you for this amazing experience. Your sincerely



Name : Bhumi Sharma

School : Vishwa Bharati Public School, Dwarka

I am very Thankful that I got a chance to see the Marine beauty. It was an great experience for me to see the corals and other aquatic animals. I liked the Shark's Part the most as I would have never thought that I would get this Lucky chance to see this Live event.
Thank you Soo much for giving me this opportunity.



Name : Sauryansh Bhatangar

School : Holy child public school, Rewari,India.

Good afternoon sir. My name is Sauryansh Bhatangar . I am from Holy child public school, Rewari,India.

It was a great oppurtunity for me to see that event.I learned so many new things about Coral reefs.



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Name : jyoti Keshri

School : Vishwa Bharti public school.

I am thankful to the City University of New York and Australian great barrier reef authority to give me a chance to have live session with the marine divers.
It's my pleasure to have live session.
Thank you



Name : Samriddhi, 9th-A

I attended the Coral Reef diving live event. It was a very interesting experience for me and was very knowledgeable too. I enjoyed the live event. It was very informative and I learned a lot about deep sea life. In future I would like to join such events



Firstly I want to thank all my teachers and Drishtra team to give me this wonderful opportunity. It was my first experience to see Coral Reef moreover in Australia live till last night of this event I am very excited and can't sleep and wake up much more early. Really it was a good opportunity to learn about coral I learned many things about there formation and its type. I am very lucky that my name is being selected in this live session. Again a big thank to all who support me (my teachers, drishta team)
Thankyou to all



Name : khushi Khandelwal

School : vishwa bharati public school, 12th

the feedback is very nice its awesome I loved it



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Name : Vaishnavi Gupta

School : Vishwa Bharati Public School, IX, Dwarka (Delhi)

Respected sir/ma'am

I enjoyed as well as learned a lot about The Great Barrier Reef and Corals in today's meeting. I had a really nice experience and learned a lot from the underwater divers. The water tanks and the animals in it were really beautiful and spectacular. Thank you for giving me such a wonderful opportunity to meet your underwater friends. And thank you for giving me such an opportunity to represent my nation and meet people from different areas and learning new things from them. I really enjoyed and was surprised to see the underwater beauty. I gained so much knowledge and had a really nice time. It was really worth it and I am looking forward to attend another meeting like this and learn more about the Marine Park and The Great Barrier Reef and the aquatic animals in it. Thank you for answering my questions and doubts too. And for telling me about the different species of aquatic animals and their habitats. All in all it was a really awesome experience.

Regards



Name : Anjali

School : Holy Child Public School, Rewari, Haryana.

My experience for the Coral Reef live event was awesome. It's a great opportunity provided to us. I had never imagined of getting such an opportunity to feel the ocean life. It's really a realistic feeling when we are able to look at the fishes and corals and are able to know about them really more. As it was related to our subject and studies, it will definitely prove to be really useful for us. I was really happy to see the divers live who are putting great efforts to provide such useful details. I was amazed looking at such big reef. I was also very happy to see the sharks and gather information about them. It was such an excellent opportunity for which I would like to thank our school authorities and specially The Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority.



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Name : Sneha

School : Holy child public school Rewari, Haryana, India

I'm very glad that my name has been selected to participate in Live Interactive Coral Reef Diving event with the Australian Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority (GBRMPA) on Friday June 12, 2020 from 3:30 - 4:30 AM (India Time) on Zoom.

This event is one of the most unique experience I have. Live dive on the colourful reefs teeming with life and experience one of the most mesmerizing scenes of the underwater world.

The Great Barrier Reef is the largest and best known coral reef ecosystem in the world.

It supports an amazing variety of biodiversity, providing a home to thousands of coral and other marine life.

They told the climate change induced issues of coral reef bleaching and ocean acidification that is currently affecting the Great Barrier Reef in Australia.

I have received very satisfied reply of my questions from the team.

In the last I'm very thankful to the Department of Environment and Earth Science City University of New York for allowing me to attend an Interactive Coral Reef Diving event live from Australia.

Regards



Name : Anvi Pandita

School : Vishwa Bharati public school, Dwarka, New Delhi

The vr session was really amazing. It provided us with an opportunity to experience and know about the corals of the Australian Great Barrier Reef. It was really informative and helped us to experience the beautiful corals from our homes. We got to know a lot about the different types of corals for eg. the brain corals also called meandrina , the unique assemblage of fishes they support , how they protect and feed themselves and the ambient temperature and ph they thrive in. We also got to know about their defence mechanism. It was a once in a lifetime experience and I look forward to such vr sessions in future.



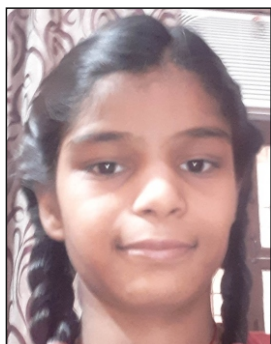
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Name : Dhruvika Yadav

School : G D Goenka Public School

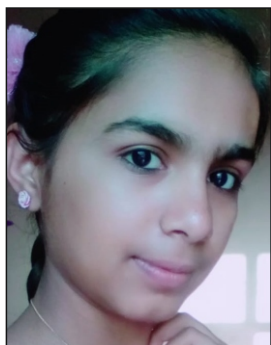
It was a wonderful experience for me , it helped us to know about the special and precious things under the ocean which we were not knowing before , a special thanks to the coral great barrer reef whole team for making us all aware of the things which we were not knowing before
Thank you so much



Name : Suhani Khandelwal

School : Vishwa Bharati Public School

sir the class was very amazing and awesome.



Name : Nikita

School : Holy Child Public School, 10th, Rewari.

This was the amazing experience which I had in my life. Through this I came to know many types of fishes and the life of sea animals. I want more session from your side.

Keep it up .

Thanks for giving me this great opportunity.



Name : Mahak, V

School : St. Joseph International school (Hisar)

It was an amazing experience for me and my family and never forget it. I am very lucky to got a chance to see and learn about the different types of living organisms. I am very very lucky to be part of this Coral Barrier Reef live event (Rhq home).

I am very grateful to my school (St. Joseph International school) (Hisar) ,Virtual Reality workshop (Abhishek Sir) and my family .At last , I have no words to explain this life time experience .



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Name : Jaanvi Kalra

School : Holy Child Public school Rewari , Haryana, India

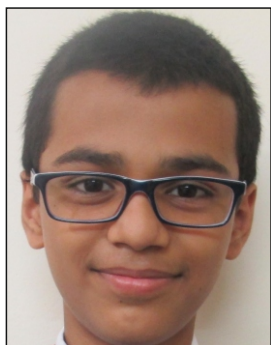
Thanks to all the authorities for giving me such an opportunity to attend such an adorable webinar which help us in exploring the underwater world by sitting at our home. I have learnt more about the corals and other organism many new things and also had an overview of such organisms that we have seen only in books till now and it was just an amazing experience and welcome to forsee such events again in the future across the world .



Name : Ananya, 10th

School : Holy child public school, rewari

We really enjoyed the session it's great experience to see live diving and came to know about different types of fishes climate.



Name : Krishna Bohare

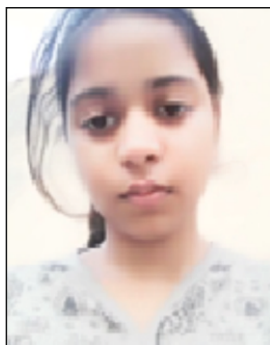
School : Vishwa Bharati Public School, Dwarka, Sector 6, New Delhi

I enjoyed this event with a lot of fun. There were fishes and sharks of various types, so colourful and amazing.





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Name : Tuhina Shrivastava

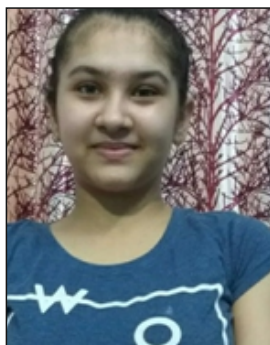
Schools : Muni International School Mohan Garden New Delhi, Delhi

Respected instructor sir and all team,
I really enjoyed the class of coral reef diving events. It would be awesome to see the enormous species of fishes and the observation that how coral reef are doing.

After attending the very rich and effective lecture I come to know that coral reefs are some of the most diverse ecosystems in the world. Thousand of species rely on reefs.
I also enjoyed a lot to see and learn about The shark fish, the most fascinating water animal and their sophisticated senses.

My heatist thanks to the team who designed to provide the latest science and strategies for managing coral reefs.

With Regards



Name: Punya Verma

School : GD Goenka Public School

First of all I'll thankful to GBRMPA to give this opportunity to me. That was an wonderful experience to watch the amazing aquatic species under water.....
I want to join that session once more....



Name : Yuvraj Singh

Yes it was a very great opportunity for me as I love water animals to much and I have got a lot of knowledge from these live lessons I have learned so many things about corals and different types of fishes found in great Australian barrier reefs and I want to thank all those who have given me opportunity to attend these live lessons from india thank again



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Name : Muskan

School : Student of Holy Child Public School)

I'm very glad that my name has been selected for participation in coral reef diving live event from Australia. It was a wonderful experience for me. It's quite difficult to imagine such a vast and colourful biodiversity under the water. It was a wonderful moment to see each of those creatures. It provided me a lot of valuable knowledge. Thanks a lot to the team.

Regards



Name : Tanishq

School : Holy child public school, Rewari

It was very interesting as we saw that the corals were alive and how they were performing different functions. We also saw the fight and fun that the fishes did. Also saw the zebra shark and polyps for first time.



Name : Prachi Burman

School : Vishwa Bharati Public School, Sector-06, Dwarka.

It was simply "WOW" to be a part of Coral Reef Diving Live Event @03:30 hrs IST, which was full of fun and learning. It was great to witness the underwater activities displayed by divers which was fantastic. Herein, forwarding a note of thanks to the organisers. It's unlike anything we've ever seen before. Simply superb and amazing. Kudos.



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Name: Manya pachbhav

School : Vishwa Bharti public school

I Really liked the underwater experience! It was wonderful to see all the coral reefs and different kind of fish species and sharks! They explained it so well! I liked it very much!



Name : Urvasi Yadav

Sir the session was amazing I loved it.
There were so many fishes of different colours.
They were telling about corals .

At some time I am not able to understand what the diver was saying but the lady was clear. The session was really interesting.



Name : Ishita Singh, 8-B

School : vishwa Bharati public school

Sir The class Amazing



Name : Gourav Gupta, 9th Sapphire,

School : Holy Child Public School

Me and my family enjoyed a lot by watching the live streaming under ocean water. I learned many new things and it also help in my studies. I get information about many fishes and coral reefs. It was really a memorable experience and thank you to for giving us such an opportunity.



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Name : Sneha Chauhan,

School : Holy child public school rewari.

I enjoyed the beautiful marine life ..
I did not see living corals like never before.
I gathered lot of knowledge about coral ..
How they are formed
How diff.types of fishes work diff.functions..
it was a great opportunity for me..



I had an amazing experience in today's VR .

I was very happy after the session as it was totally live and I could imagine myself there .

Thanks for this experience and to make me acknowledge about the coral islands



Name : Ishita Singhm, 8-B

School : vishwa Bharati public school

Sir The class Amazing



Name : Parul Verma

School : Vishwa Bharti Public School

My thoughts about it.. It was an amazing experience.



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Name : Ishita Singh

School : vishwa Bharati public school

Sir The class Amazing



Name : Parth Bansal, 8th

School : Sarvottam international school, Greater Noida, UP

It was an amazing experience to participate in a live interactive coral reef diving session.

The live video was completely engaging and mesmerizing. The queries were answered very well and descriptively. Overall it was an enriching one hour session which gave us a feel of being present under the sea on our own. It certainly strengthens the resolve to protect and preserve our beautiful planet so that global warming and pollution doesn't do any more harm to it's natural beauty and it's flora and fauna.

Hope to be a part of more such programs in the future.

Thanks 'The Green Mentors' for giving me this opportunity and the organisers for this wonderful and enriching experience.



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