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Small moments. Lasting impact. A legacy of learning.



Spark # 28

WIND FOR WINGS: A NATIONAL NEST-MAKING CHALLENGE FOR SCHOOLS

CATEGORY:
School Engagement

OBJECTIVE: To foster environmental awareness and responsible action among students by engaging them in a creative, hands-on activity that highlights the importance of protecting sparrows and promoting sustainable practices through reuse and recycling.



TIMELINE & SCOPE

When: March 20 (World Sparrow Day)
School-level participation with digital submission via Google Form.

STAKEHOLDERS & FORMAT

Who: Students and Teachers
Format: Offline creative activity; digital submission via Google Form

NATURE OF THE SPARK

A hands-on initiative promoting sustainability and creativity through recyclable nest-making.

HIGHLIGHTS & IMPACT

- Schools actively participated in the World Sparrow Day Nest-Making Challenge.
- Creative nests using recyclable/waste materials.
- 1- minute video and 1 photo submissions received via Google Forms.
- Strong engagement from students and teachers across schools.
- Promoted awareness on sparrow conservation and biodiversity.
- Encouraged hands-on, experiential learning through sustainability-focused activity.
- Strengthened collaboration and participation in environmental initiatives.

ENDURING VALUE

When creativity meets compassion, small actions take flight - building not just nests, but a future rooted in care, coexistence, and sustainability. Such meaningful, hands-on experiences inspire awareness about sparrows and their habitats, deepen responsibility towards nature, and foster collaboration, confidence, and a lasting commitment to environmental stewardship.

"When creativity meets compassion, learning becomes awareness, responsibility, and a commitment to protect nature."

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Seventy-Five celebrations by the United Schools Organisation of India (USO) highlighting milestones, moments, and initiatives shaping the future of education.