



**Report on Sensitizing
Citizens for World ozone
day
2024**

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1. Lecture on World Ozone Day 2024.

Dr. Neel Talati, Information Officer at CERC EIACP PC RP, conducted an informative awareness session on World Ozone Day, 16 September 2024, at Sheth Amulakh Vidhyalaya, Gota. The session, attended by 60 students from Standard 9, aimed to educate students about the significance of ozone conservation. He covered various topics, including the layers of the atmosphere, the ozone layer's formation and depletion, the causes and impacts of the ozone hole, and global efforts like the Montreal Protocol. The session also included an interactive discussion on current research and strategies to protect the ozone layer, nurturing a greater understanding and awareness among the students.



2. Quiz on World Ozone Day 2024.

To celebrate World Ozone Day 2024, a quiz competition was organized to raise awareness about the ozone layer and its importance, with the goal of sensitizing the youth to this crucial environmental issue. A total of 209 participants across various age groups took part in the quiz, which was open for five days. The quiz focused on key concepts related to ozone conservation, its depletion, and global efforts to protect it. 175 Participants, who scored above 70%, were awarded e-certificates, encouraging further engagement and understanding of the importance of safeguarding the ozone layer for future generations.



3. Newsletter (Green Insight) prepared on - "Invisible Protectors: Understanding Ozone and Ozone Depleting Substances (ODS)"

A newsletter on the World Ozone Day 2024 awareness campaign emphasizes educating the public about the importance of protecting the ozone layer and the dangers posed by ozone-depleting substances (ODS). The campaign aimed to inform people about how chemicals like CFCs and HCFCs damage the ozone layer, leading to increased ultraviolet radiation, which can cause health issues like skin cancer and cataracts, and harm ecosystems. The initiative also highlighted global efforts such as the Montreal Protocol to phase out ODS, and showcased companies adopting eco-friendly alternatives. This was generated for the awareness of Citizen to take action in protecting the environment and reducing the use of harmful substances. This issue will be published on 1st October 2024 online on the CERC-EIACP website in English, Gujarati and Hindi languages.

