

## **WIPRO- Earthian Programme**

### **Introduction:**

Wipro Earthian is a Sustainability Education program of WIPRO foundation organised by C.P.R. Environmental Education Centre, Chennai all over India. The programme involves innovative project submission on sustainability of Water, Biodiversity and Waste Management by group of students guided by teacher. The WIPRO Earthian National jury selects the best projects received from all over India. The National level winners will receive one lakh cash prize and a unique opportunity to participate in three years continuous engagement programme.

### **Objectives:**

1. Earthian program involves a series of knowledge building activities that connect the environment, students, teachers and subject matter experts
2. Earthian program aims at providing exposure to multiple perspectives, within the students peer group & the world around.
3. Earthian works towards developing an interconnected understanding of the Environment, Education and Life.

### **Outcome:**

Two Teachers Training workshops were organised for South Goa and North Goa Schools teachers on 29/08/2019 and 30/08/2019 at Ravindra Bhavan Margao, Goa, and Institute Menezes Braganza, Panaji respectively. The project preparation guidelines were explained to the Teachers in length. 77 teachers from South Goa and 43 teachers from North Goa schools attended the workshop.



Resource person Ms. Romaine San Francesco, Environmental Consultant, delivering lecture during South Goa TTW, and participants during the workshop



Resource person Mr. Sidhant Dessai, an Engineer from SWMC, delivering the lecture at North Goa TTW and participants during the workshop

As per the guidelines of the WIPRO-Earthian, 36 institutions submitted the projects on the theme “Sustainability of Water, Bio-diversity and Waste Management”. After detail scrutiny of all the projects at National level by WIPRO, nine schools from Goa were shortlisted for Regional level recognition and one school “St. Joseph Educational Institute, Chandor, Salcete-Goa, was shortlisted at National Level and awarded cash prize of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The participants from all the ten schools along with guide teachers were felicitated during the Regional Recognition Event held on 29/01/2020.



Students of “St. Joseph Educational Institute, Chandor, and Mahalaxmi High School, Kudne, being felicitated by Chief Guest Dr. Saran Kumar, Scientist from N.I.O. and Shri U. T. Arasu, Asst. Director from C.P.R.E.; Chennai during the Regional Recognition Ceremony





