# Student Environmental Protection Ambassador Scheme 2025/26 Application Guidelines and Training Schedule on

# "Basic Environmental Badge Train-the-Trainer Workshop" and "Environmental Training Workshops" for Teachers

#### (Updated on 1 September 2025)

## I. Basic Environmental Badge Train-the-Trainer Workshop

- ◆ The workshop aims to (i) equip teachers with the skills to be a Qualified Trainer; (ii) enrich teachers' ability in developing methodologies for teaching environmental knowledge and organising environmental activities; (iii) facilitate teachers in nurturing a sense of environmental awareness and leadership skills in students; and (iv) strengthen teachers' capability in implementing environmental education which echoes with government initiatives.
- ◆ Training includes seminar and field visit. Upon completion of the whole-day training, e-Certificates will be awarded to teachers. Qualified teachers are eligible to conduct school-based basic environmental badge seminars for their SEPAs.

Code	Section	Date	Time	Venue	Training Provider	Content
BEB1	Secondary	15 Nov 2025 (Sat)	09:00-17:00	Seminar: Favor Industrial Centre (Kwai Chung) Field Visit: Organic farm (Lam Tsuen)	Eco Institute	Enhance teachers' basic knowledge about environmental protection. Teachers will explore aquaponics, beekeeping, and organic farming while engaging in hands-on activities. Practical strategies for integrating sustainability into educational settings and everyday life will be provided
BEB2	Primary	6 Dec 2025 (Sat)	09:00-17:00	Seminar: Favor Industrial Centre (Kwai Chung) Field Visit: Lions Nature Education Centre (Sai Kung)		Enhance teachers' basic knowledge about environmental protection. Through interactive activities, teachers will understand more about local agriculture and the strategies to guide students in exploring sustainable food practices and participating in school greening initiatives

## II. Environmental Training Workshops (Half-day)

♦ The workshops aim to (i) familiarise teachers with general environmental knowledge; (ii) assist teachers in teaching different local environmental topics listed below; and (iii) strengthen teachers' capabilities in implementing environmental education which echoes with government initiatives.

Code	Topic	Date	Time	Venue	Training Provider	Content
H1	School Greening	29 Nov 2025 (Sat)	09:00-12:00	Swire Institute of Marine Science, HKU & Common Farms (Yau Tong)	Swire Institute of Marine Science, HKU	Empower teachers with a thorough understanding of urban farming, aquaculture, and sustainable food systems. Meanwhile, teachers will explore ways to integrate relevant concepts into STEM education, enhancing student engagement and fostering environmental stewardship

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Н2	Low Carbon Living	17 Jan 2026 (Sat)	09:00-13:00	Favor Industrial Centre (Kwai Chung)	Eco Institute	Introduce sustainable lifestyles and engage teachers in interactive activities. A guest speaker will be invited to share successful low-carbon initiatives and strategies for student engagement
НЗ	Food Waste Reduction	31 Jan 2026 (Sat)	09:00-13:00	Favor Industrial Centre (Kwai Chung)	Eco Institute	Explore food waste issues in Hong Kong and government initiatives through interactive activities. A guest speaker will be invited to provide insights and practical tips for reducing food waste in school settings
H4	STEM Training Workshop	28 Feb 2026 (Sat)	14:00-17:30	Mei Ho House Youth Hostel (Shek Kip Mei Estate)	InNordics	Introduce Finland's overall environmental protection concept and how the Nordic countries handle and reduce food waste. The research-based Finnish STEAM pedagogy will be demonstrated to teachers through interactive science experiments on food wasterelated topic

#### **Guidelines on Application**

- ◆ The training sessions are **free of charge** and open to all participating schools of the Student Environmental Protection Ambassador Scheme 2025/26.
- ◆ Training sessions will be conducted in <u>Cantonese</u>.
- ◆ Interested teachers should complete the enrolment form at <u>Appendix</u> and return the (.docx) files to the ECC Secretariat by email to <u>schools@eeb.gov.hk</u> <u>on or before 10 October 2025 (Friday)</u>.
- Priority will be given to teachers first, followed by teaching assistants on a first-come-first-served basis.
- ◆ Schools will be notified of the results and details of the training in writing no later than two weeks prior to the activities. For effective use of training resources, teachers/ teaching assistants who are <u>unable to attend</u> the allocated training sessions must inform the ECC Secretariat <u>in writing one week before commencement</u> of the training.