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“Temvelo” Awards Program
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The Environmental Awards Programme is facilitated by the Swaziland Environment Authority, through a collaborative effort undertaken on a voluntary basis by members of the Clean and Beautiful Swaziland Forum, which includes people from Swaziland Trust Commission, government departments, city/town councils, NGOs, traditional authorities, business people and private citizens.

CLEAN AND BEAUTIFUL SWAZILAND FORUM

The Swaziland Schools Environmental Awards Programme

“Temvelo – young people in action”



Information about the Temvelo Awards 2012

The Temvelo Awards is a **School Environment Award Program** with the **goal** is to raise environmental awareness and participation among youth, in particular secondary and high school student.

Objectives

- To promote the participation of youth in environmental protection projects/activities
- To encourage projects that address existing environmental concerns in the schools and in the communities
- To encourage the application of environment-friendly practices
- To demonstrate the commitment of government entities to environmental issues

(3) individual student.

Entry forms are filled out and sent to the Swaziland Environment Authority. Each project requires a separate entry form. A school can submit as many entries as it likes (the more the better).

During the Program

Regional Teams (members of the Clean and Beautiful Swaziland Forum) to orient teachers. They will also assist participants with the filling in of entry forms, networking and with the implementation of their projects. After collecting entry forms, Regional team members will visit the projects to encourage applicants and verify participation.

Prize Presentation Ceremony

The awards ceremony will celebrate the achievements of all participants and highlight the most creative projects. Prizes will be awarded to the winning projects and certificates of participation are granted to all contestants. The ceremony might also include an exhibition about the projects, or a performance of plays, songs, or poems with environmental themes.



Possible projects

- Tree Planting
- Adopting a roadway to keep clean/beautiful
- Reducing carbon foot print in the school
- Waste management project (including recycling)
- Water harvesting project
- Resource management project (reducing energy, water, paper use)
- Conservation Project (e.g. protecting a wetland, or rehabilitating a donga)
- Developing an "environment friendly" school grounds
- Removing alien invasive plants
- Research project on an environmental topic
- Identifying a community environmental problem and taking action to address it.
- Compose a song, drama, and/or poem with an environmental theme
- Make and implement a plan to reduce the carbon footprint of yourself, your home or your school