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Fwd: Invitation to Disseminate Youth Opportunity – Young People 4 Climate (YPC-2025) | Registration Deadline: 15 September 2025

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Dear Rector's and Vice Chancellor's

I am pleased to share that the Young People 4 Climate (YPC-2025) initiative has been launched under the joint leadership of the Ministry of Climate Change and Environmental Coordination (Mocc&ec), UNICEF, NUST, and the Prime Minister's Youth Programme (PMYP).

This flagship competition, also known as *COP in My City 2025*, is designed to empower Pakistan's youth (aged 12–24) to take a leading role in climate action, innovation, and advocacy.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Students aged 12–24 years
- Students from Schools, colleges or universities in Pakistan
- Motivated to contribute to climate action, innovation, and youth advocacy

Benefits for Selected Participants:

- Capacity-building training on climate diplomacy, policy, and solutions
- Opportunities to participate in provincial conclaves and the national grand finale in Islamabad
- A chance to represent Pakistan at international forums and climate networks

Action Requested:

We kindly request your support in disseminating this opportunity widely across your university departments so that motivated students may register and take part.

Registration Deadline: 15 September 2025

Registration Link: https://forms.gle/PW4QSFXGHYGU6zXW7

Y4C Social Media Handles: Instagram, LinkedIn, Facebook

For your convenience, I am also attaching a short presentation outlining the objectives, process, and value of the YPC-2025 program.

Together, we can ensure that Pakistan's youth are equipped with the skills and platforms needed to become effective leaders in tackling climate challenges.

Thank you very much for your kind support.

Warm regards,

Zia ur rehman

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Government of Pakistan

Ministry of Climate Change

Young People 4 Climate (YPC- 2025) & Environmental Coordination (MoCC&EC)

Pakistan



Why It Matter?

Pakistan Outlook

- Over 60% of Pakistan's population is under 30, one of the largest youth cohort.
- Children and youth are among the most affected by floods, heatwaves, and air pollution.
- Youth-led initiatives on tree planting, waste reduction, and clean energy advocacy
- Young entrepreneurs increasingly engaging in green startups and climate-tech solutions

Global Outlook

- Young leaders are shaping climate diplomacy at international forums.
- Children's right to a safe climate is now a key part of international climate discourse.
- Expansion of climate literacy, eco-clubs, and youth climate networks across the world.
- multilateral policies. Youth mobilizations highlight their ability to influence governments, businesses, and

Young INTRODUCTION limate 2025 People

What is Young People 4 Climate (YPC)?

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prelude to CoP26, where young leaders from across the globe provided policy recommendations. The United Nations hosted the Youth4Climate: Driving Ambition Summit in Milan, Italy (Sept 2021), a

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Pakistan, empowering youth to drive climate solutions and shape policy dialogue. Inspired by this, UNICEF and MoCC&EC launched the Young People for Climate (YPC) Initiative in



Enable meaningful participation of children and youth in climate policy and decision-making.



Build climate knowledge and capacity for children and youth, especially those from vulnerable, underprivileged and rural backgrounds.

OBJECTIVES



Align all activities with

(UNICEF Declaration).

children's rights

Provide a national platform for voices of children and youth in climate policy and forums.



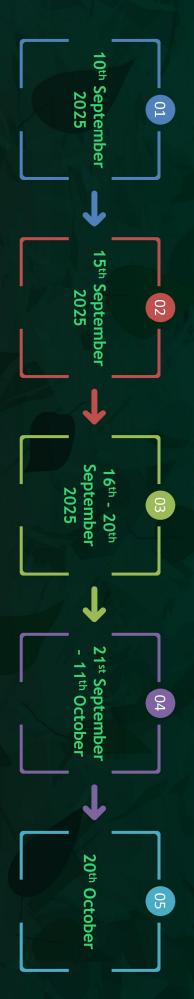


Empower local communities, especially youth and children, through sustainable practices and policy advocacy.



Foster leadership and advocacy skills for systemic change, and drive innovative, grassroots climate solutions

Timeline Young People 4 Climate (YPC - 2025)



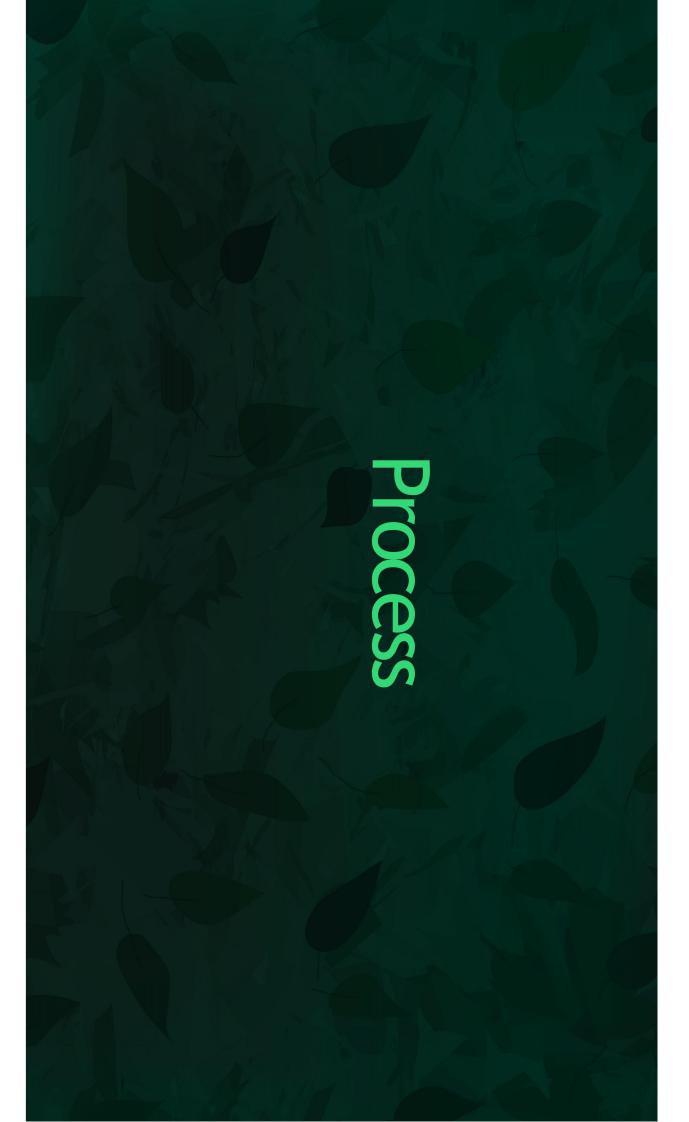
Application Deadline (Young People 4 Climate)

Selection of Applicants (Young People 4 Climate)

Tailored Capacity Building (Youth + Children)

Provincial Conclaves

National Grand Finale at Islamabad



Process (Children) Young People 4 Climate (YPC - 2025)



Engage Provincial Secondary

Education Departments
YPC - 2025 team connects with
provincial & district secondary
education departments;



Select Schools

- Both public and private schools included.
- Each school appoints a Focal Point teacher.



Student Registration

- Children register online at school during school hours.
- Parent/guardian consent required.



- Short inspirational essay or 2-minute speech.
- Scoring based on knowledge creativity, and communication.
- Select students for capacity building, keeping gender balance, and giving opportunity to vulnerable group.



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Capacity Building (School Level)

In-person sessions at schools during timings.



Provincial/District Competition

- Shortlisted students compete.
- Best students selected for finals.



Final Competition

National Grand Finale held in Islamabad.



Announcing Winners

Announcement of Winning Candidate for YPC - 2025.

Process (Youth) Young People 4 Climate (YPC - 2025)

















Registration Forms YPC - 2025 team Disseminated

Youth register for this year's edition of YPC. Youth Registration

disseminates YPC - 2025

dedicated social media registration forms on

platforms.

Capacity Building (Youth)

Tailored Capacity

youth selected for YPC building sessions for

Provincial Conclaves

style debate format. Provincial conclaves British Parliament-

 Evaluate candidates overall communication clarity of effectiveness. viewpoints, ability to collaborative for the grand finale on participation, express spirit, ideas,

> **National Grand Finale** Final Competition

held in Islamabad.

Winning Candidate for **Announcing Winners** Announcement of YPC - 2025.

Regions Engaged for Participants



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Assessment, Selection and Transparency

- 01 Schools will take the main lead in Registration and Onboarding Process of the Children
- 02 Google forms submitted don't have credentials mentioned to ensure a transparent process
- 03 observers and evaluators Potential participation from esteemed departments such as HEC, Universities, UN Women etc. as



TRAINING SESSIONS

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- Fundamentals of Climate Change
- Paris Agreement, BUR, NDCs &UNFCCC
- Conference of Parties
- COP and Youth
 Participation/ Role of youth in COP

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- Loss & Damage
- Climate Resilience
- National Adaptation Plan
 (NAP) and Doubling

adaptation efforts

03

- Just Transition
- Decarbonization and Net-Zero
- Climate Finance

04

- Digitizing the youth
- Adaptation based on local and traditional knowledge
- Pakistan--Gender Considerations in Climate Change

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development

Policy Brief

Climate Journalism

How Comms can help?

- 01 Amplify youth & children's voices in climate \rightarrow Drive registrations, boost media visibility
- 03 02 Promote impact & objectives → Share deadlines and milestones Champion inclusivity \rightarrow Highlight gender, youth & children as the drivers
- Create engaging content → Catchy visuals, hashtags, and outreach campaigns

REGISTERED NOW Get TOUTHCLIMATEPAKISTAN CLIMATE LEADER Be a future SCAN TO REGISTER W Y4C_PAK 1 Y4CPAK TO YOUTHCLIMATEPAKISTAN

