

Don Bosco Senior Secondary School, Nerul

Value Education Programme Report: 2025-26

Name of the Event: Value Education Programme

Grade: VII A and VII B

Sections: Middle School

Name of the Place: DBSS – Nerul, Multipurpose Hall 4th Floor

Conducted by: Tr. Deepa Alok & Tr. Diana Jimmy

Date of the Event: Wednesday, 9th July 2025

What did you learn?

The assembly emphasized that sustainability is a shared responsibility, beginning with each one of us. We learned that our everyday choices—be it saying no to plastic or planting a tree—contribute significantly to the health of our planet. The skit using the "Time Machine" metaphor powerfully illustrated how the past, present, and future are interconnected by our actions today. The session by the guest speaker on e-waste was particularly eye-opening, highlighting how careless disposal of electronic items harms both people and the planet.

Key takeaways:

- Every small action matters from carrying a cloth bag to switching off unused lights.
- Our choices today shape the future a cleaner, greener world or one filled with pollution and loss.
- Real change is possible through collective action and awareness, especially among youth.
- The guest speaker's insights on e-waste collection and recycling brought attention to an often-ignored area of environmental harm.
- We are not too small to make a difference young voices and actions can spark big change.

How is it relevant to your school context?

The assembly aligns deeply with our school's commitment to environmental education and value-based learning. The **garden project**, initiated by our Principal and showcased during the event, is a living example of how we are nurturing sustainability within our school environment — encouraging students to connect with nature and take ownership of their surroundings. The inclusion of the **guest speaker on e-waste management** brought in a much-needed, practical perspective, giving us actionable ideas on responsible disposal and recycling of electronic waste. This not only broadened our understanding but also inspired the suggestion of launching an **e-waste collection drive in collaboration with the speaker**.

Additionally, this assembly directly supports the **Sustainable Development Goals** (**SDGs**) that we are focusing on this academic year at Don Bosco —

- **SDG 13:** Climate Action by promoting awareness and action towards environmental conservation and reducing pollution,
- **SDG 15:** Life on Land through afforestation, garden projects, and protecting biodiversity,
- **SDG 4: Quality Education** by integrating global values like sustainability and civic responsibility into our learning experiences.

Through these focused efforts, we aim to not only educate but empower our students to become conscious and compassionate global citizens.

How will you apply it with students in the classroom/beyond?

- Encourage daily eco-friendly habits like switching off unused lights, avoiding plastic, and planting trees.
- Include reflection-based discussions on real-world environmental issues during classes.
- Organize discussions and projects linking environmental issues to curriculum topics.
- Start student-led campaigns on reducing plastic use, conserving water, and protecting greenery.
- Implement the suggestion from the guest speaker by launching an e-waste collection drive in school, involving students, staff, and parents.

What could have been better?

- The assembly could have included interactive segment to further involve the audience.
- A small exhibition or display on sustainable alternatives could have added a hands-on element.

What was done well?

- The skit was engaging, creative, and educational without being preachy.
- Positive affirmations helped anchor the message in personal responsibility.
- The inclusion of real-life heroes and their stories made the message inspiring and relatable.
- The guest speaker added practical depth and broadened our understanding of sustainability beyond nature to technology.

Do you have any suggestion?

- Start an E-Waste Drive in school, guided by the guest speaker, to collect used batteries, broken chargers, old phones, and electronics.
- Place clearly marked e-waste bins around the campus with student volunteers managing the drive.
- Plan for regular follow-up activities to reinforce lessons from assemblies like this one, ensuring long-term student engagement.

Rating: (Highlight in Green)

Choice of Topic 1 2 3 2 Speaker 1 3 Presentation 3 5 Engagement 1 2 3 5 Satisfaction Index 2 1 3 5

(1 being lowest, 5 being highest)

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