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Unfortunately, marine science and ocean literacy topics are poorly represented in school curricular across the world specifically in developing countries. We request the UNOC2022 and governments globally to enforce Ocean Literacy as part of federal education policy making it compulsory for community service requirements and education systems.

"Empowering an ocean community and young generation to be connected to the ocean through not only knowledge but personal experiences and field documentation is key to the successful development of ocean literacy.

The Young Environmentalists Programme Trust uses the concept of field trips to the Marine Ecosystem zones, interactive education by enhancing ocean education between different school and community generations on the sustainability of the ocean and coastal areas. Be it inside classrooms or outdoors we need the government to enforce Ocean Literacy as a compulsory school curriculum section to enhance Ocean conservation and marine pollution mitigation. "Voices Elsie Gabriel Founder Young Environmentalists Programme Trust, Co Founder Ocean School, Ambassador for India Ocean Quest Global and National Cordinator Oceans Climate Reality Project India.

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