



DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

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Environmental Project Competition for Primary Schools

The Department of the Environment, within the Ministry of Natural Resources and the Environment, is hereby announcing that the **deadline for the environmental project competition for primary schools is being extended to Friday, February 13, 2009**. Primary schools are invited to submit a proposal on a project that is environmentally-based and that they want to implement for their school. The school is required to submit a proposal detailing what the project is all about, what the students are required to do, what are the environmental (and otherwise) benefits of the project, the timeframe of the project, and its budget. The competition is geared towards providing students the opportunity to learn about their environment, be actively involved in its conservation and protection, and experience team work. The school and students will be benefiting from a project that they have designed and implemented. Prizes for winning project proposals include partial funding of the project and an encyclopedia set. For more information on the guidelines and limitations on the budget for the primary school environmental project competition, please contact the Department of the Environment at 822-2542 or 2816 or email us at envirodept@btl.net. Please note that the environmental poster competition for high schools has been closed.