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Escuela de Los Algarrobos

Taking environmental education to the next level!

Environmental project report

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Projects of 2022-2023 school year!

The latest updates

It has been an exciting year for Escuela de Los Algarrobos! We've been able to introduce exciting new curriculum augmenting our school's dedication to educate our students about the world around them! Our foundation's goal of educating future global citizens though understanding our relationship to the natural world has been a success thanks to the generosity of our doners on the Global Giving platform.

Thanks to the support of the Global Giving community Los Algarrobos has created ongoing environmental education projects since the beginning of the 2022 school year. The school has hosted regular beach cleaning events integrating our curriculum of the role of plastics in ocean health for our costal community.

Additionally we have further integrated our small Ecuadorian costal community with our environmental goals by creating a public garden space. Where students began learning about the food production system organic gardening and the importance of community participation.



After a day of instruction on permaculte the students take a photo with the founder of Rio Muchacho Organic farm Darío Proaño-Leroux.



Stdents gather in the community of Rio Muchacho to aid in reforestation efforts

Ongoing commitment to environmental education

Education is the key to changing the world.

Students have dedicated time and effort to long term educational projects throughout the school year. One such endeavor is an ongoing educational journey through food production and after the community garden project we were fortunate enough to organize a field trip to Finca Organica de Rio Muchacho. A dedicated and knowledgeable resource for our students to learn not only about permaculture and sustainable food production but the dedication it takes to build a community changing project on a grand scale.



Culture and the environment

The latest updates

Inti Ramana and understanding cultural ties to environment.



Student in traditional outfit for the Inti Ramana festivities at Los Algarrobos.

Environmental awareness education

The latest updates

Reduce Reuse and Recycle



Making up games with discarded objects while cleaning the beach.

Understanding nature through art

The latest updates

Integrating art in environmental education



Student recycled art installation.