

Attention all eco-warriors! Coaching sessions with green industry leaders up for grabs!

Our Green Skills Week is only days away now! It's packed with inspiring content to help get your students motivated to consider a career in a wide range of roles that will contribute to the green economy going forwards.

To give your students even more incentive for getting involved, Speakers for Schools has teamed up with one of the UK's leading employers – Man Group – to launch a nation-wide competition to investigate how green some of the world's biggest businesses really are.

What can your students win?

The winning team will receive coaching sessions from three influential industry leaders around green skills, sustainability, and the environment to help develop their knowledge further.

Plus, as winners they'll get to join the Speakers for Schools Green Skills Youth Council and have the chance to take part in one-of-a-kind social media takeover during the 26th UN Climate Change Conference of the Parties (COP26) in Glasgow this November.

What is the challenge?

We want your students to choose any five of the world's leading companies and do some digging to work out whether they're really as green as they say they are!

Who is it for?

Any of your students can enter, but our Green Skills Challenge makes an ideal project for Business, Geography or Economics students to gain a deeper understanding of how important Corporate Social Responsibility and Sustainability are in the current climate.

Students can enter as a team of up to six people. Schools can register multiple teams, but all participating students must attend the same school.

When is it? Key dates for your diary

Schools can register teams for the competition now! The deadline for registration is by 3pm on the 30th April 2021.

Once registered, teams will then have until 3pm on the 28th May 2021 to submit their final presentations via email.

Regional finals will take place in early June and the overall winning team will be announced as national green champions in mid-June.

How do your students enter?

Visit https://www.greenskillsweek.org/competition for more information, including full details on the challenge and how to register a team to take part.

