



## **ACTION CHALLENGE GUIDELINES**

### **General information**

- Only **young people** between the age of **18 - 30 years old** from **Commonwealth member countries** are eligible to participate;
- To qualify for the Action Challenge, you must take ACTION 1 on the actions page;
- While taking action, observe all necessary [COVID-19 safety protocol](#) as recommended by the [WHO](#) and [CDC](#).
- Home page: <https://bit.ly/YL-SDG13>

### **Sign up**

- To enter into the action challenge, sign up **on or before 19th August, 2021 (9:00 PM GMT)**;
- Participants must provide at least 1 social media profile URL;
- Participants should have at least 50 active followers on any social media;
- During the signup, you will be required to write a 250-word paragraph and URLs about your past climate action;
- Sign up form: <https://bit.ly/YLSDG13-signup>

### **Take action**

- There are 13 Featured Actions in total following this structure:
  - Action 1
  - 4 thematic areas:
    - Women:
      - Action 2
      - Action 3

- Action 4
  - Climate refugees:
    - Action 5
    - Action 6
    - Action 7
  - Children and young people:
    - Action 8
    - Action 9
    - Action 10
  - People with disabilities:
    - Action 11
    - Action 12
    - Action 13
- There are 3 actions under each thematic area;
- Action 1 must be completed (taken and submitted) to qualify for the action challenge;
- To stand the chance to WIN PRIZES SPONSORED BY THE COMMONWEALTH, take and submit as many featured actions as you can;
- Download the Actions: <https://bit.ly/YLSDG13-Actions>

## **Submit action**

- You can only submit ONE action at a time via this form;
- To submit your next action, fill the actions submission form again;
- Actions submitted without signing up for the action challenge will not be considered;
- Do not submit the same action more than once. Submitting the same action more than once results in automatic disqualification;
- All actions should be submitted following carefully following the instructions for each action;
- Actions that are not submitted will not be considered. Therefore, submit every action you take with substantial proof/evidence of action (for example: clear screenshots, pictures, short videos, reports, links, etc.);
- Actions submission form: <https://bit.ly/YLSDG13-submit>

## **Judging**

- A judges panel will review, evaluate, and judge the actions based on established judging criteria and metrics.
- The review process would last for about a month or less depending on the volume of actions submitted.

## **Announcement of Winners**

- After the review and judging process, The Top 3 action takers based on our Judging Criteria will be announced and rewarded prizes sponsored by The Commonwealth