

FINAL SHOWCASE INFO PACK



Young Environmentalist Awards Final Showcase & Awards Ceremony

The Final Showcase and Awards Ceremony is the highlight of the 2025 Young Environmentalist Awards, where all finalist projects come together to showcase their incredible work and celebrate their achievements. This event is a testament to the passion, dedication and creativity of young environmentalists across Ireland.

We are immensely proud of the inspiring efforts of this year's participants and look forward to welcoming you to an exciting day of sharing ideas, of learning from each other and of well-deserved recognition!

Date: Thursday 8th May, 2025

Time: Set up and Showcase 10:00am - 13:30pm & Award

Ceremony 2:00pm - 3:45pm

Venue: The Convention Centre Dublin, Spencer Dock, North Wall Quay, Dublin 1,

D01 T1W6. Click <u>here</u> for Google Maps.



Before the Day

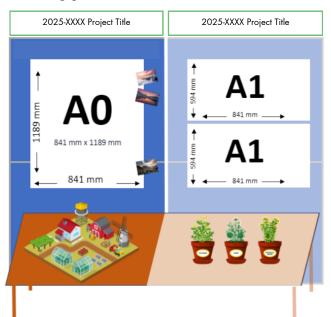
RSVP'ing

Once you know if you can attend, please RSVP <u>here</u> letting us know a few additional details.

Preparing Your Display

Your display will act as a representation of your project at the Showcase, before the Awards Ceremony. You don't need to display everything, but add the highlights and make it eye-catching!

- Each group will receive a display board and a table labelled with a location number upon arrival.
- The **approximate dimensions** of the display board will be 1000mm in width x 2000mm in height. Therefore, preparing equivalent to 1 x A0 or 2 x A1 pieces will be perfect to best make use of the space!*
- Plug points will not be available at your stand, so if bringing any electronics
 make sure to charge them up in advance.
 - *Please note the dimensions of the display boards are subject to change and we will update accordingly.



Important

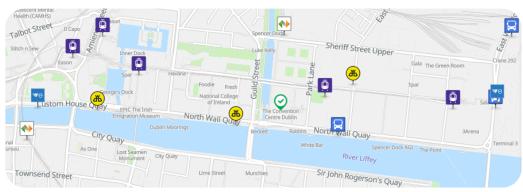
- All groups must be accompanied by a mentor.
- Due to capacity limits, we kindly ask that no more than 8 young people attend per group, unless otherwise agreed with us.

Planning Your Journey

Please ensure to arrange travel arrangements in advance of the day and try to use active transport, public transport, or car sharing where possible and if this is available to you.

- Car- and Buspooling Initiative: To try and make transport options more
 sustainable and more affordable for your group, we are encouraging you to
 have a look at the finalist organisations here to see if there is a
 neighbouring organisation near you that may be willing to carpool! If you
 need help in reaching out let us know.
- Car Parking Spaces: If you plan on driving, there is paid underground car
 park at The CCD, with limited car spaces including disabled and electric
 vehicle charging spots. Additional nearby parking includes the National
 College of Ireland, Point Village, and IFSC Car Park, all within walking
 distance. On-street parking is also available nearby. Spaces are subject to
 availability, and rates may change. For more information, see here.
- Loading Bay for Bus/Coaches: There is a loading bay for any buses and coaches by the venue where guests can be dropped off.
- Public Transport Options:
 - Luas: The Red Line stops at Mayor Square NCI and Spencer Dock, both a 5-minute walk from The CCD.
 - DART: The nearest stations are Connolly Station (15-minute walk) and Pearse Station (20-minute walk).
 - Irish Rail (Intercity & Commuter Trains): If arriving at Heuston Station, take the Luas Red Line towards The Point and disembark at Mayor Square - NCI or Spencer Dock.
 - Dublin Bus: Routes 4, 60, 151, and G2 stop nearby at North Wall Quay and Guild Street.





On the Day

The Schedule

10:00am Project Registration & Stand Set Up

Projects can begin to arrive from 10:00am to register and set up their stand.

10:30am Showcase Officially Begins

After all projects have arrived and set up, it's time for the Showcase to begin! The Showcase will be open to the public via tickets that will be available on Eventbrite. During this time projects will also be visited by judges and a variety of workshops and interactive sessions will be held.

13:30pm Lunchtime & Project Take Down

Time to take take projects down and get ready for the awards ceremony!

14:00pm Award Ceremony

At 2pm sharp the Award Ceremony will take place, where we'll recognise the achievements of all participants. Winner will be announced, and trophies and awards will be presented on stage.

15:30pm Wrap-Up Time

Time to gather your belongings, say your goodbyes and take any final photos before the event wraps up.

15:45pm Event Finishes

What to Bring

- Your knowledge, energy, and enthusiasm, be ready to share your project and engage with others.
- Any materials needed to display your project within your team's designated space.

Food and Drink

Some limited food and drink options will be available on site, and please note that only card payments will be accepted. There are some great options to go for lunch such as <u>Boca Cafe</u> (2 minutes walk), <u>Rockets</u> (4 minutes walk), and <u>Tesco Express</u> (3 minutes walk). We strongly encourage you to bring reusable water bottles and cups to help us reduce waste.

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