

Proposed Work Plan on “Phasing out of Single-Use Plastic Items” Drive
(An Initiative by Tripura State Pollution Control Board)

Sl. No.	Type of Activity	Proposed Activities by Non-Governmental Organizations/Voluntary Organizations	Proposed Activities by Educational Institutes (Schools/Colleges)
1	Awareness Activity	1. Miking on (i) encouraging traditional way of paper packaging of grocery and fruits among the shop vendors. (ii) Ill effects of use of Single use plastic and encouraging the use of jute/cloth bags for shopping. (iii) Importance of safe disposal of any type of garbage and waste in dust bin or at designated point. (iv) Curbing of Single use Plastic products highlighting its harmful effects. 2. Avoid littering of garbage and waste anywhere and everywhere. 3. Significance of proper collection and handing over of domestic waste to the Local bodies and encourage the practice of using the Dust Bin. 4. Avoid all kinds of SUP in Festivals. 5. Other relevant Activities.	1. Rally 2. Quiz Competition 3. Essay Competition 4. Slogan Competition 5. Seminar 6. Awareness among students through videos and films. 7. Awareness Programmes in the nearby market areas. 8. Door-to-door Campaign 9. Street drama 10. Short trip to important Plastic recycling Units of Tripura. 11. Declaring premises and adjacent areas “Single-Use Plastic Free”. 12. Periodical Self Auditing of SUP Items. 13. Other Relevant Activities.
2.	Action Activity	1. Regular Cleaning of particular areas of important River Stretches of the State. 2. Installation of Dust Bin for plastic waste only and its regular management at major markets/commercial places in collaboration with the concerned Urban Local Bodies. 3. Cleanliness drives of the nearby market area followed by handing over the waste to the nearest Local Body. 4. Collection of plastic waste from the neighbourhood and handing over the same to the nearest Local Body for proper disposal or recycling. 5. Organize Workshop to provide ideas regarding re-cycle and re-use of plastic waste. 6. Other relevant Activities.	1. Cleaning Drives in nearby market areas and water bodies followed by handing over the waste to the nearest Local Body. 2. Exhibition of products made from wastes of single-use plastic items. 3. Workshop on making daily use items from natural resources. 4. Survey on amount plastic waste found in market areas, river banks and neighboring areas. 5. Collection of plastic wastes by School students from individual homes for handing over to School Authority for final disposal to local bodies. 6. Other relevant Activities.