

Topic :

Climate Change Awareness: More Important than Climate Actions

Outline

A. Introduction:

1. Climate change: a global problem
2. Actions speaks louder than words
3. Thesis Statement

B. Why Climate Change Awareness is More Important than Climatic Actions

1. Plastic pollution will be reduced if public is aware of its negative impacts;
 - a. 12 million tons plastic finds its way to ocean
2. Deforestation is one of biggest causes of climate change that is because of human activities mainly
3. To combat problem of urbanization, awareness is needed in community
4. Lack of education about the effects of solid waste, increasing this issue
5. People needs awareness about water waste management
6. The awarress is needed in people for climate ch justice;
 - a. Pakistan produce only 0.8% of total greenhouse gases but

it is 5th most vulnerable country

7. Political parties will add climate issues in their manifestos when general public is aware
8. Mitigation approaches for climate change are incomplete without public participations
9. Overexploitation by humans ^{is} causing climate crisis
10. Awareness is needed to combat wild fires
11. Overpopulation: a issue that needs awareness
12. Public needs awareness about international climate agreements
a. Loss and damage funds

C. Conclusion

Essay

Wildfires in the US, typhoons in Japan, devastating floods in Pakistan, and storms in Germany, are four natural disasters from four different corners of the planet. These incidents make for dramatic news pictures; however most of the people neglect these news and consider it as a distant tragedies. Since these disasters lack a clear villain, the people thinks that they are not affecting them directly. However, they are unaware of the fact that climate change is affecting their food in their plates, money in their pocket, sugar in their sweets, and even coffee in their mug. Although, governments and international organizations are taking actions to combat the potential negative impacts of climatic variations, general public is unaware about it and creating damage to climate by their activities.

People are unaware about the international climate treaties, agreements, or mitigation approaches. This lack of awareness underscores the statement that climate change awareness is more important than climate actions. Climate actions can help to reduce climate change impacts in many ways. Awareness about To begin with, awareness about plastic pollution can reduce the use of plastic that is not possible with actions.

Similarly, deforestation and urbanization can be stop by awareness. Moreover, the issues like water waste and solid waste needs awareness at local level. Likewise, the concept of climate justice and climate politics, needs awareness. Although, mitigation approaches are actions, it is incomplete without educating people about climate. In the same manner, awareness is needed to tackle problems, such as overpopulation, over-exploitation and overuse of resources, which are harmful for climate. In last, public needs awareness about international climate agreements. Climate change is a global issue which not only need actions but also awareness which is more important. Raising awareness is crucial than ever, as people fails to ~~recognize~~ recognized its negative impacts.

To begin with, plastic pollution will be reduce if people are aware about its impacts on environment and health. Plastic pollution generally refers as the pollution is caused by any type of plastic that is harmful to for oceans, air and its surroundings. Although, governments have taken many steps to combact this challenge, ⁱⁿ fact, the Chinese government in 2020 bans the usage of plastic in many areas, the result not came. Moreover, globally 12 million tons of ^{plastic} waste finds its way to the oceans. So, to solve this issue

public awareness is needed. Moreover, awareness about negative impacts will not only reduce the plastic pollution but also reduce the greenhouse gases emission which is produced by industries during the manufacturing of plastic materials. In short, it can be stated that, to control plastic pollution awareness plays an important role than actions.

Similarly, deforestation: a biggest cause of climate change needs awareness more than actions to stop. Deforestation can be described as the cutting down or clear the land of forest for any purpose. Moreover, deforestation not only disturbs the carbon cycle, but also impacts the biodiversity. Although, there is UNFCCC body named "Reducing emission from deforestation and forest degradation in developing countries" (REDD+), still the rate of deforestation is increasing. Therefore, to counter this problem awareness sessions are needed. Moreover, awareness is needed about urban farming, green belts, and reforestation is needed. To conclude, it is possible to state that deforestation can not stop by taking actions, it needs awareness.

likewise, urbanization is becoming a major problem for climate change that needs demands understanding rather than

interaction. Urbanization often indicates the process of making an area more urban. Furthermore, urbanization increases the greenhouse gases, waste and resources consumption. However, in COP27 one of the main objects was to tackle urbanization, but this problem does not stop. Hence, to counter the issue of urbanization, there is a need of educating the public. Moreover, awareness also give them voice to fight for their rights similar likes urban areas. So, that they don't need to migrate to urban ~~popul~~ population. To summarize, it can be suggested that urbanization can be tackle by creating awarness.

In the same manner, lack of knowledge about solid waste impacts is making the environment polluted. Waste products such as food, paper, glass or any type of type solid waste increases the greenhouse gases by contributing to the amount of methane and nitrous oxide.

The governments have taken many steps to control these solid wastes. However, if people gets awareness about recycling of waste material, it will controlled. Moreover, there is an example of Norway, which controlled 80% of its solid waste; however, to do first step the country was to educated public about reuse, recycle and reduce

the waste. To sum up, awareness about solid waste management can tackle the impacts of climate change more than actions.