

Leadership in Action: Climate Protection Project with myclimate in Cambridge, UK

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Who is myclimate?

myclimate is a leading climate protection organisation that aims to promote effective climate protection through educational programmes.



More information about myclimate:

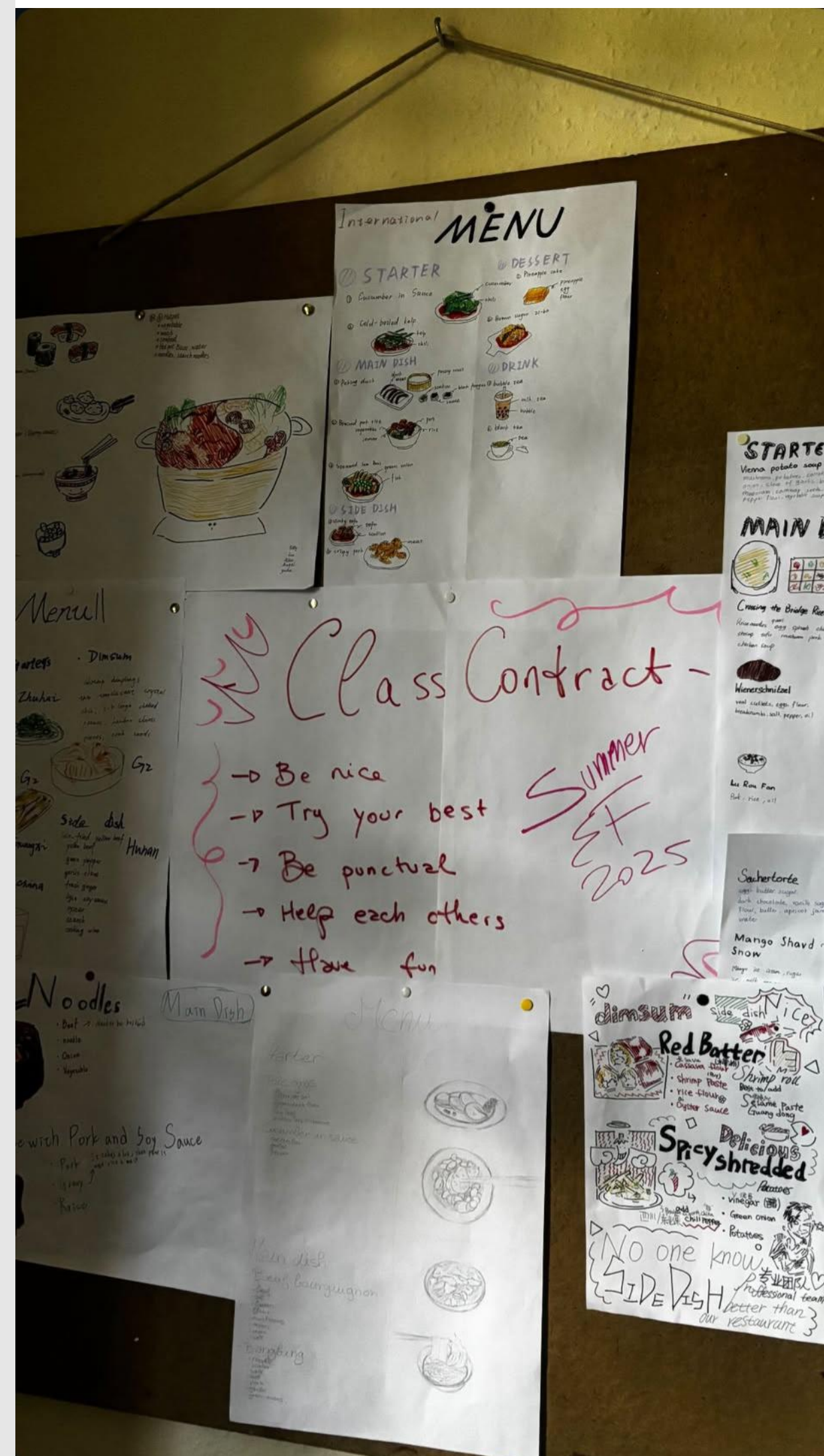
Myclimate was established in 2002, and one of their main goals is to promote climate change through educational programmes to secondary school children. Their approach to advocating for climate change places an emphasis on the idea of delivering impact- and solution-orientated knowledge of climate change. Guided by the principles of education for sustainable development (ESD) and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), myclimate focuses on promoting not only a sustainable thinking but also more importantly, sustainable actions that motivates them to actively leverage their individual scope for action.



Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts

What are my roles within the organisation?

This summer I became a volunteer at myclimate where they partnered with a summer school that is located in Cambridge, UK. One of the summer school's main focuses is to advocate for climate sustainability through delivering creative educational programmes. My role includes helping the teaching team organise short trips, classroom activities and teaching materials that can motivate students to take initiatives to care for our planet.



This picture shows one of the lessons planned and delivered by me that focuses on promoting sustainable eating habits, reducing food waste and raising awareness about the environmental impact of choices. These are the menus the students created.



We also launched a second-hand market at school. One of the things I found really interesting was this 'reduced plants' corner. The students wanted to convey the idea of promoting sustainable consumption.

We planned a "trashashion show" where students needed to use the trash they collected to dress me up for a fashion runway. The photos below on the left was me and the students. The one on the right shows more fashionable desian from the students.

