

St Louis Walk for Water

Our Transition Year and 5th year students recently participated in the Eco Unesco 'Walk for Water' initiative as part of their 'Learning to Change Programme' and to coincide with UN World Water Day which was celebrated on March 22nd.

This involved walking 8KM with 2 litres of water. The main objective of the event was to raise awareness- that adults and children in poorer countries have to travel long distances for water, to carry out small tasks such as washing, cleaning and even for a supply of drinking water. Kids in poorer countries have to walk an average distance of 6KM to get drinking water, while for us drinking water is just a few steps away.

The event undoubtedly raised awareness among the students as it was during the walk the students realised how those in poorer countries suffer severely with lack of water services and sanitation.

