

SEAMEO RECSAM 2025 TRAINING PROGRAMMES AND COURSES

Title of the Programme	Training of Trainer (TOT) Program - Penang Green School
Date, Time & Venue	14 - 17 July 2025 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM SEAMEO RECSAM
Trainer/Facilitator and Institution	Penang Green Council, SEAMEO RECSAM, SEAMEO SEARCA, Water Watch Penang, JA Malaysia, Green Educators' Workgroup (GREW), PETRONAS, BABA Garden
Programme Overview	The Penang Green School Award Program is an annual environmental audit program involving all schools in Penang, except private schools. This program was launched by the Penang State Government in 2010 in collaboration with the Penang Island City Council (MBPP) and the Seberang Perai City Council (MBSP). Since its implementation, a total of 121 primary schools and 44 secondary schools have participated in this initiative. However, various challenges such as increased academic workload, changes in leadership, and a lack of sustained motivation have made it difficult to implement the program consistently. To address these challenges, the Penang Green School Award will be upgraded and restructured into the Penang Green School Program, with its official launch scheduled for 2026, adopting a Star Rating System. To ensure schools are well-prepared before the implementation of the star rating system, Penang Green Council (PGC), in collaboration with the SEAMEO Regional Centre for Education in Science and Mathematics (SEAMEO RECSAM), will conduct a Training of Trainer (TOT) Program (Penang Green School). The year 2025 will serve as a preparation phase where teachers will be guided and provided with comprehensive training to strengthen their understanding of sustainability education.
Key Learning Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To empower educators with knowledge and skills to integrate green school initiatives into the curriculum • To establish a mentorship framework, enabling trained educators to support schools in implementing sustainable practices and ensuring long-term ecological responsibility • To increase participation of both existing and new schools in the Penang Green School Program. • To conduct a research survey to assess the effectiveness of the training and develop a standardised training module that can be used for future training sessions.
Why should you attend?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gain Practical Skills in Green School Management & Entrepreneurship. • Expand Your Network & Collaborate with Experts. • Empower Your School & Students for a Sustainable Future
Fee (MYR)	Free of Charge for all public schools in Penang; open to other schools subject to availability.
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