

Student Name
School
Address
City
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Name of MP
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AUSTRALIA

Dear Name MP,

Re: Invitation to Repower our Schools pledge event

(What school do you go to and what year are you in? What community / sporting clubs do you belong to? Why do you like living where you live?)

(For example)

I am a year 10 student from Parramatta High school. I have lived in the area all my life and enjoy playing soccer at my local footy club and spending time with friends.

(Details about your Repower campaign and what you have been doing at school (ie events, petition signing etc)

(For example)

At school, we have been working in our Environment Club on a campaign to repower our school with renewable energy as a way of taking action on climate change. We have been working hard over the past term to build momentum in our school through having lunchtime stalls, educational movies in assembly and meetings with decision makers about our plan to install solar panels.

(Key ask for politician - invitation to pledge event)

(For example)

i/We are writing to invite you to a Repower our Schools pledge event on (insert day, date and time). This event involves our Principal and school community signing the Repower pledge which demonstrates 2 important commitments:

1. Our school supports Australia being powered by 100% renewable energy
2. We are committed to taking action on climate change through developing a sustainability action plan including (insert details of your Repower campaign ie. installing solar panels, doing an energy audit)

As our local political representative, we would love you to come along to our pledge event, and share with you about our plans for a more sustainable future for our school, powered by renewable energy.

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*(Why does climate change matter to you? Why do you care about repowering your school?)
(For example)*

Recently I learned about the devastating impacts that burning fossil fuels is having on the Great Barrier Reef, with 95% of the reef being affected by coral bleaching. As a young person, it's our future that will be affected and that's why I'm part of our environment group campaigning for more renewable energy at my school.

The Repower our Schools campaign is an initiative of the Australian Youth Climate Coalition's Switched on Schools program. You can find out more about the campaign at www.switchedonschools.org.au/repower.

We hope you can attend our Repower pledge event on (insert details again) and support our campaign for a more sustainable future powered by renewable energy.

I look forward to hearing from you,

Thank you in advance,
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