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Kulosaaren Yhteiskoulu and Life Terra Join Forces for an Environmental Awareness Project in Finland

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Life Terra, one of Europe's largest climate action initiatives, is proud to announce its first tree planting event in Helsinki, Finland. On May 9, in collaboration with Kulosaaren Yhteiskoulu, 150 trees and bushes will be planted around the school's perimeter to enhance local biodiversity and engage students in hands-on environmental education.

The planting event will involve students and teachers from Kulosaaren Yhteiskoulu, who will actively participate in greening their surroundings and learning about the importance of restoring local ecosystems.

The planting will include a variety of native tree and shrub species, such as ash (*Fraxinus excelsior*), bird cherry (*Prunus padus*), rowan (*Sorbus aucuparia*) or juniper (*Juniperus communis*), among others, chosen to support local wildlife and boost biodiversity in the school's area.

With this, Life Terra kicks off its first activity in the country, expanding its presence to yet another European country. As the biggest climate action initiative in Europe, Life Terra continues to empower individuals and communities to take meaningful environmental action.

"At Life Terra, we believe that engaging the future generations and the local community is key to addressing the climate crisis. This project is a great example of how climate action, environmental education, and community involvement can come together to create lasting positive change," Sven Kallen, Founder at Life Terra.

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About Life Terra Foundation:

Life Terra is a nonprofit organisation based in Amsterdam and Barcelona, co-financed by the European Commission through the LIFE programme. Its commitment is to restore the relationship with nature and contribute to mitigating climate change through community-based tree-planting initiatives. Life Terra facilitates tree planting, educates future generations through its Terra Mission initiative, and develops tree registration & monitoring technology. [More information](#).

About Kulosaaren Yhteiskoulu

Founded in 1940, Kulosaaren Yhteiskoulu (Kulosaari Secondary School) is a private, bilingual institution located in the Kulosaari district of Helsinki. Known for its international focus, Kulosaaren Yhteiskoulu provides students with diverse academic pathways, including science and technology

tracks, and hosts the annual Helsinki International Model United Nations (HELMUN) event. The school fosters a vibrant community that emphasizes academic excellence, global citizenship, and environmental responsibility. [More information](#).