Oil Industry Safety Directorate (OISD) celebrated the World Environment Day on 5th June 2019. “Beat Air Pollution” was the theme for World Environment Day (WED) – 2019, which inspires us all to consider how we can make changes in our everyday lives to reduce the serious risk of air pollution on our environment and human health as well as our natural places and wildlife.

The programme commenced with fruit bearing tree (like guava, mango and black berry) plantation by Acting In-charge ED-OISD followed by pledge taking by all executives and staff of OISD office.

Speaking on the occasion, Acting In-charge ED-OISD shared his thoughts about the imminent danger of air pollution in the World and particularly in India mainly due to industry, vehicle emission and household waste. He emphasized that although it is not possible for mankind to live without industry and vehicle at the current age of human civilization, yet to combat the menace of air pollution, each of us can contribute positively through changes in our day to day living style such as avoiding car for short distance movement, adoption of car pool system to the extent possible, planting of tree saplings and subsequent nurturing of the plants, avoiding air conditioners to the extent possible. He also urged all of employees to avoid polythene bags, other plastic items, choosing alternative environment friendly items and also by reusing plastic to the extent possible. He also stressed that these efforts should not be limited to just a few days beyond the world environment day; but should be a sustained journey for a healthy environment for mankind as well as flora and fauna.

Several activities were organized to commemorate the occasion. These included Quiz competition, slogan completion and poetry recitation.
Tree plantation by ED OISD on World Environment Day

OISDians taking pledge to protect environment on World Environment Day.
OISDians celebrating World Environment Day.