Strong islands. Strong future.

Pacific islands are extremely vulnerable to climate change.

Coral reefs and mangroves can buffer storm surges and sea level rise. The stronger they are, the greater the protection to your island home.

This World Environment Day, give back to the coral reefs and mangroves. Give back to the environment that sustains our livelihoods.

- Take only what you need from reefs.
- Don't damage the fragile corals.
- Replant mangroves in your area.
- Get rubbish off reefs and out of mangroves.
- Educate others.
- Wear blue to show you care about your island.

Protect your island. Protect your future. Strengthen natural systems that have sheltered the Pacific islands for centuries.

Strong reefs, strong mangroves, strong future.

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