Group 2

The role of Indigenous communities in the care for our common home

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 Inheritors and practitioners of native way of life who are different from dominant cultures.

Where are we now?

- World has recognized the role of the indigenous (conservation).
- Superstitions: That God is punishing them.
- Lack of awareness on what climate change is.
- No initiative from the youth and the elders have no strength to continue working
- Environmental protection: Some locals are lion guardians and protect the killing of animals
- Traditional knowledge has been corrupted by technology

Where are we now? Cont'd...

- When do practices cease to be traditional knowledge if the end result is the same? Traditional healing and scientific healing
- The assumption that the children are educated: Children no longer want to listen to their parents, or vice versa.
- The paradigm shift and need to balance technology and tradition.
 Shift from traditional to modern societies.
- Youths not responsive: some youths still in denial. Blame on globalization and industrialization
- Natives are getting resettled

Where are we now? Cont'd...

 Adaptability: Animal and human interaction: Technology has changed our lives over the years. Know that technology and science will not stop. How we adapt to them is key.