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POLICY DOCUMENT

Policy Document for Environment Protection and Green & Clean Campus

Higher education is a great contributor for society to achieve sustainability and therefore higher education in the country has been expanding at a great pace. Consequently, researchers has alarmed regarding environmental challenges due to rapid growth of HEIs. As per the view, campus expansion has resulted in an increase in the use of motor vehicles and resource consumption. Therefore, many HEIs around the world have attempted to transform their campuses to make them Clean, Green and Eco-Friendly.

The College makes all the necessary efforts to involve the students, faculty and staff in “**Clean, Green and Eco-Friendly Initiatives**” by designating a policy document to run this drive for the purpose of protecting Environment.

1. Introduction: - The College with its rich history of achievements in areas of academics, sports and cultural activities is held in high esteem not only by the students' fraternity but also by citizens in general. In addition to the fact that institute has **completed 17 years** of its glorious accomplishments, the college also intends to introduce a clean, green and a pollution free atmosphere to provide a healthy environment for the entire campus and an effective learning experience for students. We firmly advocate the policy of environment conservation and also aim at enabling our students reach their full potential as well as helping them find creative healthy ways to enrich both the quality of education and the quality of life at campus.

2. Environmental Policy of the College: - The College is a quality conscious college. It protects its own environment with its green campus initiative and keeps pollution free campus. Environment development is its basic work with the educational policies implemented on the campus. Environmental conscious administration, the management and the students of the college look after the environment carefully. Every year, during rainy season, we do tree plantation and carefully look after it. It's our own responsibility to preserve the work done on the campus related to the environment.



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Our environmental policy:

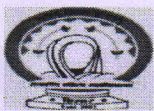
- (i) To create awareness regarding environmental policy amongst the students and the teachers.
- (ii) To maintain pollution free campus by avoiding tobacco, pan-masala, chewing on the campus. As per the govt. rules and regulations regarding the instructions of tobacco free campus signboards are displayed at various places on the campus.
- (iii) To sensitize the students and staff regarding the use of drinking water properly for which, we have provided purified (RO aqua-guard) drinking water facilities on the campus.
- (iv) To bring in use the Rain Water the drainage system is directly opened in the park which is very useful for maintaining greenery in te campus. It also saves electricity.
- (v) To observe "No Vehicle Day" and keep the campus vehicle free. It helps to save the fuel, avoids the environmental pollution.
- (vi) To maximize the use of ICT and minimize the use of paper. It will help to go towards "Paperless Office".
- (vii) To use the solid waste through vermin-compost on the campus and use it as a fertilizer.
- (viii) To reduce the sound pollution in the campus, we have built the seating arrangements in the shade of trees in our campus.
- (ix) To use „Use me" Dry and Wet dust bins in the college campus so as to keep college campus clean xi.

3. Constitution of Campus Beautification & Eco Club Committee: -

The Committee will act as per the environmental policy and shoulder the responsibility of maintaining and protecting environment surrounding the college. The aim of the committee is to provide advice for the development of environmental policy and practice in the areas of Waste Management i.e. Solid waste management, Sewage water management, Effluent water treatment, E-waste management, Soil Management, Water conservation. In addition, the committee will also manage tree plantations, Paper less operating procedure, Green environment and clean campus.

4. Constitution of Cleanliness & Sanitation Committee: -

The Committee will act as per the environmental policy and shoulder the responsibility of maintaining cleanliness surrounding the College Campus. The aim of the committee is to comply environmental policy and practice in the areas of clean & hygienic campus conditions. The committee will ensure proper & sufficient sanitation facilities of washrooms, toilets for various stakeholders" i.e. disabled friendly washrooms and separate washrooms in girls" common room and female staff room etc. In addition, Committee will



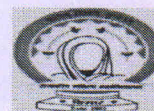
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ensure cleanliness and availability of proper dust-bins at each floor and in each class room, Lab, Library and rest of the campus for the purpose of proper cleanliness conditions.

5. Environment Protection Management: -

The following process & procedure will be followed to save & protect the environment

- A. Periodic Awareness Programme for Staff, Students and Society:** - The continuous awareness programmes will be conducted for staff, students and society for protecting and maintaining environment. The awareness will also be ensured by arranging programmes, rallies on various issues related to environment and health. The college students and faculty Members will also be involved in the activities through NSS/NCC.
- B. Plantation programme throughout the year:** - The Plantation Programmes will be regularly undertaken through Volunteers of Eco Club and NSS units every year regularly and on various occasion i.e. in Van-Mahotasav, "World Environment Day", Independence Day, & NSS Day etc.
- C. Periodic rallies and road shows for awareness:** - The students of the college will regularly take part in organizing the street shows, rallies and wall papers exhibition every year through NSS .
- D. "No Smoking, No Tobacco" in campus area:-** Tobacco and tobacco products are strictly prohibited in the college premises and consuming Tobacco and tobacco products is a punishable offence. The instructions regarding this have already been given to the students and the staff members. The boards are displayed at various places in the college.
- E. Ban on use of Plastic/No Plastic Zone":-** use of Plastic Bags/Cover/Crockeries is strictly prohibited in the college premises and violation of the rule is punishable offence. The instructions regarding this have already been given to the students and the staff members. The boards are displayed at various places in the college.

Principal
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