



“ज्ञान, विज्ञान आणि सुसंस्कार यांसाठी शिक्षणप्रसार” - शिक्षणमहर्षी डॉ. बापूजी साळुंखे

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POLICY DOCUMENTS FOR GREEN ENVIRONMENT, PLASTIC FREE CAMPUS

Institute committed for sustainable development in all its endeavours; within its ambit it envisages to streamline the way for energy conservation and utilization through socially responsible ways.

Policy Statement:

The main objective behind the environment and energy consumption policy of the institution is to manage energy in an organized way to minimize its impact on the environment. This environment and energy policy is binding for all the components of institution and applies to all its stake holders and to the various activities undertaken by the institution. The college envisions a clean and green campus to promote sustainable and eco-friendly green practices within the campus and beyond.

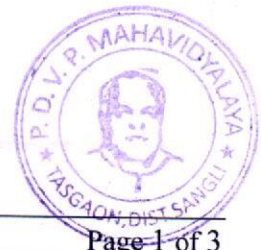
Objectives:

- To develop awareness about environment issues.
- To understand the responsibility towards energy conservation.
- To implement responsible procedure for waste management.
- To reduce waste production on campus for all activities and programs.
- To initiate the water management and conservation practices.
- To encourage green practices within campus and beyond.
- To maintain cleanliness and sanitation on campus
- To provide a pollution free healthy environment
- To avoid use plastic in the campus.

Plan of Implementation/ Practices:

The college is committed towards sustainable development in all its endeavours. Accordingly following areas are considered for streamlining the ways and procedures for the conservation of environment and energy.

- A. Energy Conservation and Management
- B. Waste Management — degradable and Non-degradable
- C. Water Conservation



- D. Ban on single - use plastic in the campus
- E. Awareness initiatives on environment centric activities.

A. Energy Conservation and Management

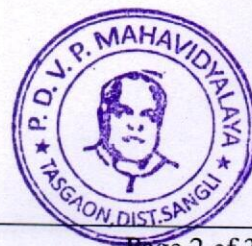
- 1. To install and use energy efficient LED bulbs/tubes in the campus.
- 2. To invest in power efficient equipment.
- 3. To create awareness and display the notices related to conservation of energy.
- 4. Efficient use of natural light and ventilation to save energy wherever possible.
- 5. Rooftop solar panel installation

B. Waste Management — degradable and non-degradable

- 1. To make a way separation of Waste at source, in campus.
- 2. To use different dustbins for the different types of waste materials
- 3. To submit the collected waste to the Solapur municipal corporation for the management of Waste Materials.
- 4. To follow eco-friendly Practices in daily activities and programs.
- 5. To reduce waste Production in the campus
- 6. To develop systematic waste management mechanism.
- 7. Sanitary Napkin Vending Machine and Incinerator installed and used.
- 8. To dispose the e-waste to the authorised e-waste management authorities.

C. Water Conservation:

- 1. To use rain water to recharge the Borewell for water conservation and management.
- 2. To check and repair the leakages in taps and pipes is done in all the laboratories as and when necessary.
- 3. To create awareness that small actions matter by displaying "Save Water Save Life" slogan in the college.
- 4. To organise water conservation activities for creating awareness amongst the staff and students.




D. Clean and Green Campus:

1. To undertake tree plantation drive.
2. To organize the various awareness programs related to green campus.
3. To spread awareness to reduce local air pollution emissions using environment friendly vehicles includes bicycles, public transportation.
4. Use of pedestrian —friendly roads for safety.

E. Ban on single use Plastic in the campus:

1. To strive towards a plastic free campus with prohibition on the use of single use plastic on campus.
2. To organise the sensitization programs on harmful effects of single use plastic.
3. Follow eco-friendly practices in daily activities and programs.




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