

Policy on Green Campus Initiative

The Green Campus Policy of the college aims to build a campus for eco-friendly practices which are combined with education to promote the concept of sustainable management and to infuse environmental awareness amongst the students, teachers and staffs as well. This concept provides the educational institution an opportunity to create awareness amongst the students regarding the importance of conservation of environment as well as to motivate them to develop new paradigm for finding solutions to environmental, social and economic needs of mankind.

A. Objectives of the Green Campus Policy

- To aware the students as well as the staffs of the college regarding uses of environment friendly products and services
- To strengthen collective effort from the students as well as from the teaching and non-teaching staffs to build an eco-friendly campus
- To create awareness about environmental issues by organizing Events, Awareness Campaigns, Waste Management Drives, Plantation Drives, Talks etc.
- To promote eco-friendly practices beyond the campus to educate the community regarding environmental issues
- To incorporate energy efficient measures, to optimize the use of conventional energy and also to promote effective waste recycling etc.

B. Initiatives Taken to Implement the Clean and Green Campus Policy:

- Ban on single use Plastics
- Landscaping with Trees and Plants
- Use of LED Bulbs and Power Efficient Equipments
- Rainwater Harvesting
- Paperless Office and Communication
- Establishment of Air quality monitoring system and keeping yearly records
- Solid Waste Management
- Liquid waste Management

- Chemical waste Management
- E-Waste Management
- Formation of Green Audit Committee sand Beautification Committee to look after the Green campus Initiative
- Installation of Incineration machine for disposal of sanitary pads
- Observance of Commemorative day like world environment day
- The Green, Environment and Energy Audit
- Facility for Cycle stand to promote use of Bicycles

C. Reducing Energy Consumption: In this context, Pragjyotish College has adopted the following policies:

- Making optimum use of daylight.
- Turning off computer monitors when not in use.
- Turning off lights and fans when not in use in any room of the college
- Phasing out the normal bulbs with LED.
- Installation of Solar Panels to cut down the use of electricity.