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Kindly consider it.

Thank You.

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Policy Document on Green Campus/Plastic-Free Campus

Introduction

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Objectives

- Promote Environmental Awareness:** To educate and engage the college community about the importance of environmental sustainability and the benefits of a green campus.
- Reduce Plastic Use:** To significantly reduce the use of single-use plastics on campus, replacing them with eco-friendly alternatives.
- Enhance Green Cover:** To increase the green cover on campus through tree plantation drives and maintenance of existing vegetation.
- Encourage Sustainable Practices:** To adopt and promote sustainable practices in campus operations, including waste management, water conservation, and energy efficiency.
- Foster Student and Community Participation:** To involve students, faculty, and the local community in green initiatives and create a sense of responsibility towards environmental conservation.

Scope

This policy applies to all stakeholders of Dr. ZHCE, Khultabad, including students, faculty, staff, and visitors. The initiatives outlined in this document cover various aspects of campus life, including infrastructure, daily operations, and community activities. The policy also extends to collaborations with external organizations and participation in government schemes promoting environmental sustainability.

Strategies and Actions

- Awareness Campaigns:**
 - Conduct regular workshops, seminars, and awareness campaigns on environmental conservation, focusing on the importance of reducing plastic usage and maintaining a green campus.
 - Display informational posters and signage across the campus to remind everyone of the green campus and plastic-free initiatives.

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2. Reduction of Plastic Usage:

- Prohibit the use of single-use plastics, such as plastic bags, bottles, and cutlery, within the campus premises.
- Promote the use of reusable items, such as cloth bags, metal or glass bottles, and biodegradable utensils.
- Encourage the adoption of paperless communication and digital platforms to minimize plastic waste associated with printed materials.

3. Green Initiatives:

- Organize tree plantation drives annually and involve students in the maintenance of green spaces, including gardens and lawns.
- Develop a botanical garden or a green zone on campus to enhance biodiversity and serve as a learning resource for students.
- Ensure the regular maintenance of existing trees and green spaces to preserve the natural environment.

4. Sustainable Campus Operations:

- Implement waste segregation at the source, with separate bins for biodegradable, non-biodegradable, and recyclable waste.
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- Promote water conservation through rainwater harvesting, efficient use of water resources, and regular maintenance of plumbing systems.
- Enhance energy efficiency by switching to LED lighting, promoting the use of renewable energy sources, and encouraging energy-saving practices among the campus community.

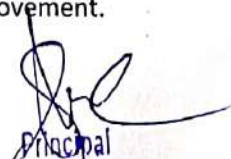
5. Student and Community Involvement:

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Monitoring and Evaluation

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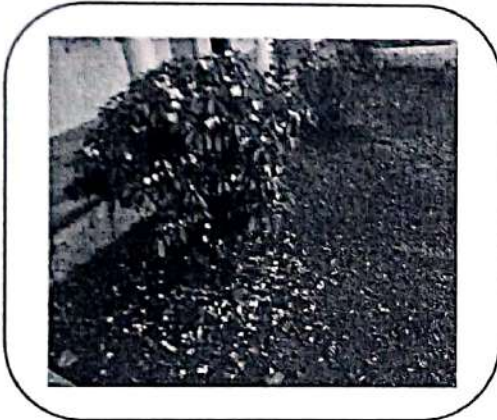


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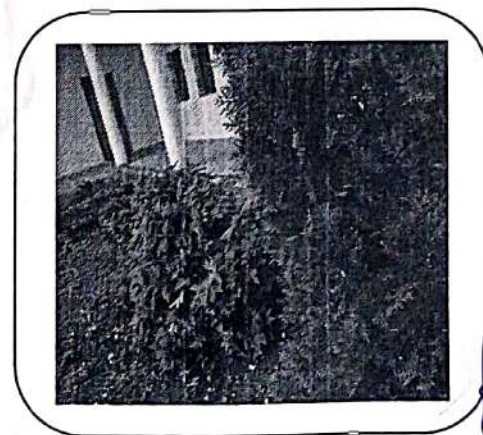
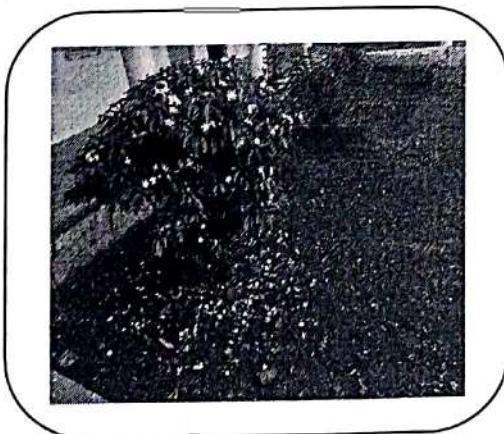
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