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WASTE MANAGEMENT **POLICY**



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The waste management policy for an educational institution serves as a guiding document that outlines the institution's commitment to responsible waste management, sustainability, and environmental stewardship. The foundation of our policy is "Reduced waste, Enhanced cleanliness, and Improved health."

- The institution follows three-bin system on campus to facilitate effective waste segregation.
- . All stakeholders are expected to reduce their individual waste generation
- . The institution adheres to the green protocol guidelines established by the Government of Kerala.
- The institution actively promotes awareness and advocates for the reuse and recycling of waste materials among our campus community.

- The institution is dedicated to ensure efficient waste segregation and proper disposal practices to minimize environmental impacts.
- Electronic waste (e-waste) has to be collected and disposed of in accordance with regulations.
- The institution encourages initiatives aimed at transforming waste into valuable, sustainable products, thus contributing to a circular economy.
- The institution recommends ecofriendly materials for both curricular and extracurricular activities.

IMPLEMENTATION PROCEDURE

An institution's waste management practices are a sign of effective policy. The college focuses on the sustainable ideals articulated by the UN and envisions a sustainable community with appropriate public and student awareness.

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Solid Waste Management

- Solid waste is gathered and sorted into two separate bins on each of the three floors for paper and plastic waste, with an additional bin located on the ground floor for food waste collection.
- These collected waste materials are consistently transferred to Haritha Karma Sena. Food waste, in particular, is efficiently utilized in a biogas plant for energy generation.
- Students are encouraged to use reusable lunch boxes.
- The college has purchased steel plates and glasses for food distribution inside the college during any function.
- Single-use plastic is banned on campus, so plastic waste is comparatively less. At the institutional level, there is a total ban on the use of disposable glasses and plates. Sanitary napkin incinerators have been installed in the girls' toilet to facilitate the disposal of sanitary napkins in an environment-friendly way.
- Regular instruction is given to the sweeper in the college to separate degradable waste from non-degradable waste

Liquid waste management

Wastewater generated from the wash area is purposefully redirected to the vegetable garden, forming an integral part of our sustainable practice.

E-Waste Management

Electronic waste (e-waste) is collected and disposed of in accordance with regulations. Periodic maintenance and upgrading of electronic and electrical equipment are done for optimum use and to minimize e-waste. The cartridges in printers are refilled. The college also encourages the use of refill inkjet cartridges and laser toners. UPS batteries are recharged and repaired by the suppliers.

Waste Management Team

The waste management team consists of:

- 1) Principal
- (2) Faculty Member on a rotational basis
- (3) Student Members

The team is entrusted with the responsibility of developing an action plan to ensure waste management strategies are organized and implemented optimally.

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