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## Policy for green campus

### Purpose:

PCET'S S.B. Patil Institute of Management, Pune-44, PCET campus, implements green campus activities in an effort to build a green, sustainable, and eco-friendly environment. The goal of "Green Campus" is to create a clean, green campus. The primary goal of green campus is to create an eco-aware community among students and staff by encouraging the adoption, practice, promotion, and evaluation of environmental friendly behaviours. The actions that must be performed to accomplish the goals of a green campus are outlined in this policy.

### Objectives:

- The campus has an ecological system that has to be protected and conserved.
- To organize a few sessions where teachers & students will learn about their individual roles in preserving the environment.
- In order to embrace environmental best practices and mitigate any negative effects on the ecosystem, it is important to engage with all direct and indirect stakeholders as well as the local community and corporators.
- To consistently improve the economical use of all resources, such as water and electricity, and to lower consumption and waste production while, when practical, recovering and recycling waste.
- To guarantee the careful utilization of environmental resources in order to fulfill the requirements and ambitions of both current and upcoming generations.
- To raise awareness among teachers and students about the consequences of environmental degradation.

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### **1) Energy Conservation Measures:**

- Reduced energy usage and the utilization of renewable energy sources, such solar panels for power generation and solar meters for electricity measurement, are the goals of PCET's S.B. Patil Institute of Management, Pune-44.
- When you get up from your table, turn off your monitor. It is always preferable to shut down as opposed to log off.
- Turn on your laser printer's power management features.
- Switch to natural light when possible and turn off air conditioners, lights, and coolers.
- When not in use, turn off the lights in conference rooms, classrooms, and lecture halls. Only use fans when necessary.

### **2) Waste Management:**

- By separating waste into dry and wet categories using the designated dustbins, which are strategically placed, in the campus is kept clean and environmentally friendly. Recycled and non-recyclable waste separated and delivered to the municipal corporation.
- Compost for domestic consumption is made in the Vermi compost project on campus II of the college using separated organic waste.
- Get rid of laboratory-generated chemical waste in an environmentally responsible and scientific way.
- To separate and dispose of garbage in an environmentally responsible way; the college will put in place a waste management system. For biodegradable and non-biodegradable garbage, the college will promote the usage of composting and recycling facilities, accordingly.
- Make the most of paperless technology by exchanging data and lecture notes via email, Google Classroom, etc.

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### **3) Water conservation initiatives**

- The institute intends to reduce water waste by using water conservation measures, including rainwater harvesting.
- As soon as possible, fix sources of water leaks, such as dripping taps.
- The installation of water-saving gadgets.
- Properly refuel the bore

### **4. Landscaping with trees and plants**

- Plantation of more trees within and outside the campus.
- Medicinal plants and trees have been planted in the campus in large number.

### **5) Restricted entry of vehicles/ Use of Bicycle/ battery powered vehicles:**

- No Vehicle Day for all students and staff members observed in campus for environmental conservation.
- Limited access for cars and encouraging the use of electric and bicycle-powered vehicles whenever feasible. Students are urged to use PMPML Corporation's Bus Pass service. It is recommended that college staff and students who live near the campus walk there for school.

### **6) Minimization of Plastic Usage at Campus**

- Single-use plastics are prohibited on campus: Plastic bottles, straws, and bags are encouraged to use minimally at S.B. Patil Institute of Management, Pune-44
- Encouragement of reusable alternatives: In an effort to cut down on the amount of plastic used, the college will encourage the usage of reusable alternatives such metal straws, cloth bags, and refillable water bottles.

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### **Responsibilities towards Green and Plastic Free initiatives of PCET's SBPIM**

#### **Pune-44**

- By abiding by the rules and taking part in the awareness efforts, students are required to work with the institution to implement the green campus and plastic-free projects.
- Promoting and upholding the rules and regulations pertaining to the green campus and plastic-free efforts is the responsibility of the faculty and staff.
- The infrastructure and resources required to establish and uphold the plastic-free and green campus initiatives must be provided by the Institute administration.
- **Monitoring and assessment:** The institute periodically tracks and assesses the success of its plastic-free and green campus efforts. In order to attain the intended results, the institution also reviews and updates the policies and guidelines as needed.
- S.B. Patil Institute of Management, Pune-44 hopes to contribute to the greater good and establish a sustainable and environmentally friendly environment via the implementation of these principles.



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