

NAVJEEVAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT

Affiliated To: Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune - CA/1386/1994 (College Code - 0342)

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GREEN CAMPUS/ PLASTIC FREE CAMPUS POLICY

Navjeevan Institute of Management, Nashik is dedicated to managing energy in an environmentally responsible way. The institute aims to reduce the negative impacts of energy consumption on the environment by adopting efficient and sustainable practices. The policy covers all the activities and facilities of the institute. Environmental awareness and efficiency are integrated into the daily operations of the college. The institute has implemented a policy for both existing and new buildings that aligns with its other commitments and initiatives for sustainability.

Objectives:

- 1. To raise awareness among students and faculty members about a clean, green and sustainable environment.
- 2. To optimize the use of water and energy resources.
- 3. To use LED/CFL bulbs and other energy-saving devices throughout the campus.
- 4. To dispose of waste properly and safely.
- 5. To prohibit smoking and tobacco use on the campus.
- 6. To limit single-use plastics.
- 7. To conduct tree plantation drives.

Institution Green Campus Initiative:

The Institute is committed to creating a green and sustainable campus by engaging the students, faculty and staff in various environmental initiatives.

Guidelines for Policy Implementation

Clean Campus Initiatives: The Institute will promote a culture of cleanliness and hygiene among the students and staff members by organizing regular campaigns and activities to clean the campus surroundings.

Infrastructural Initiatives: The Institute will invest in eco-friendly electrical appliances that conserve energy and minimize wastage. The college will use renewable energy sources such as solar panels and LED lighting. The college will also implement water conservation measures such as rainwater harvesting systems to recharge the groundwater level and reduce dependence on external water supply.

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Waste Management Processes: The institute will adopt a paperless policy and recycle the paper waste generated on campus. The college will collaborate with authorized scrap dealers for proper disposal of paper waste. The college will also segregate the solid waste such as plastic bottles, wrappers, cardboard, broken glasses, e-waste etc. into different colored bins as per standard guidelines. The college will partner with government approved rag pickers who will collect this waste on a *weekly basis.

Conduct Green and Energy Audit: The institute will conduct a periodic Green Audit of the campus to evaluate its environmental performance and identify areas of improvement. The college will also conduct an Energy Audit to assess its energy consumption and carbon footprint and take steps to reduce them.

Plastic-Free Campus: The Institute will ban the use of single use plastics on the campus to protect the environment from plastic pollution. The college administration will enforce this rule strictly and penalize any violations. The faculty and students will be encouraged to use cloth bags or paper bags instead of plastic bags.

Smoke-Free and Tobacco-Free Campus: The campus is a designated smoke-free and tobacco-free zone. Smoking and tobacco use are prohibited in all indoor and outdoor areas. Including buildings, grounds, parking lots and vehicles. This policy aims to promote a healthy, safe, and respectful environment for everyone. Anyone u ho violates this policy may face disciplinary action or fines

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