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Water Conservation Policy

Water is so essential for life that it's simply impossible to imagine life without water. The uneconomical and unethical use of water by human beings is the sole reason for the exploitation and deterioration of valuable natural resource. Thus, both quality and quantity of water are at stake and have to be taken care of. It's the moral duty and social responsibility of each individual and community as a whole to contribute to conserve water and rejuvenate the water resources.

In this direction, our institute has made efforts to ensure water conservation and water harvesting. The campaign has been channelized with the Motto "Be Water Smart, Every Drop Counts" following the 3 R principle - Reduce, Reuse and Recharge.

The primary goal of water conservation policy is to provide safe and clean water in whole campus area. The college is implementing water efficient practices. Student and staff engagement play a major role in our water sustainability strategies. Reducing water consumption and protecting water quality shall be the key objectives of sustainable policy of College.

Goals and plans:

- Maximize water use efficiency and minimize wastage of water.
- All existing buildings to be used for rainwater harvesting.
- Ensure awareness about the water conservation policy of the college among all the staff and students.
- Create awareness about the cost effectiveness of water conservation projects among students and local communities.
- Organize various outreach programmes under the leadership of NSS and departments.
- Promote students to monitor and collect information related to water bodies and their pollution of nearby areas.
- Inform, educate and increase the awareness regarding the importance of water to life and the need for conservation and efficient use of water.

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College initiatives:

The College is committed to ensuring that water is used most judiciously and is working towards making the facility more and more water sustainable. This has been achieved with the use of water efficient fixtures, rain water harvesting and smart water conservation practices.

- Ensuring the improvement of drinking water quality by installation of water purifier in our Nirmala block.
- Rain water harvesting system placed at four places in the campus to recharge ground water.
- College campus is blessed with overhead tanks for storage and uniform distribution of water in the campus area.
- The college repair the leakages immediately and performs periodic maintenance required to prevent water loss.
- Water Harvesting/Conservation Awareness Drive: To create awareness of water conservation and water harvesting among students, several competitions have been organized.
- Organizing special lectures on water management to drew the attention of the students towards the alarming consequences of uneconomical use of water and water pollution.



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