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Policy Document – Waste Disposal Policy

The College has a duty to ensure that all the campus wastes are disposed of responsibly by using proper waste segregation mechanism at the source and if possible, converting it into value added environment friendly product.

Objectives

- To ensure that waste management is performed in accordance with all waste legislative requirements, including the duty of care, and to plan for future legislative changes and to mitigate their effects.
- To minimise waste generation at source and facilitate reduce, reuse and recycling over the disposal of wastes in a cost-effective manner.
- To provide clearly defined roles and responsibilities to identify and co-ordinate each activity of the waste management.
- To promote holistic approach of waste management in the campus.

Steps taken by the college for waste management:

- The college has biodegradable waste management system, the biodegradable waste from the hostel messes and the canteen along with the dried leaves collected during cleaning of the campus are dumped in the biodegradable waste pit. For the decomposition some earthworms are regularly added to the pit and it is monitored to check the dampness and the compost is used in the flower beds and pots.
- The segregated waste material collected in separate dustbins is handed over to the municipality garbage collectors for its proper disposal.
- There is a proper disposal of Lab waste and a separate pit has been made for collection of liquid waste from the Chemistry Lab.
- Another plan was made in 2021-22 to utilize the plastic packing material waste to make eco-bricks which could be used in different manners to reduce the hazards caused by this waste material.
- In 2022-23 constant efforts are being made to encourage the students and other stakeholders to implement this idea, so that they not only get involved in it but also sensitise their family and community.
- It is also proposed to recycle and reuse the paper waste largely consisting of five-yearold answer scripts.