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POLICYDOCUMENT

GREENCAMPUSINITIATIVES

Aditya College of Pharmacy is an extensive green pastured land which is committed to create environment consciousness among its members and in the society. The college campus includes green spaces embellished with several native and nonnative tree species, fruit trees, flowering and decorating plants and trees and plants of medicinal value. It offers the opportunity to take the lead in redefining the environmental culture and developing new paradigms by creating sustainable solutions to environmental, social and economic needs promoting as tress-free learning environment on the campus. The bio-diversity across campus not only ensures a noise free campus off the main arterial road outside, but also maintain cool environment inside the college premises. Though implementing green initiatives are challenging and require determination and a long-term commitment, our college is taking initiatives in the right direction.

The following practices are undertaken by the college:

1. Restricted entry of automobiles

To prevent huge vehicles from accidentally entering the campus, our institution establishes a restriction on automobile admission. Our college has a group of buses to transport many students from different places in suburban areas. This initiative helps in reducing pollution and consumption of petrol. The college encourages the staff and students to use the college transport by providing them fleet of buses whichoperates from each and every corner of east and west Godavari district. Instead of using their own vehicles students and staffs can use college transport for reducing environmental pollution, fuel conservation, safety and security. All the college buses are certified by the authorized agencies after conducting the pollution check. The validation and periodicity of the certificate is randomly checked from time to time. Parking space for vehicles is provided at the main entrance and at various places inside the campus. Unauthorized vehicles are restricted for entry at the main gate of the college campus.

2. Battery-powered vehicles

College also provides battery operated vehicles inside the campus for students, staffs and visitors to keep a check on air pollution and sound pollution.



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3. Pedestrian-friendly pathways

Students, staffs and visitors can also use pedestrian friendly pathways for commuting from one place to another inside the campus. In campus roads are well directed by help of sign boards and lined with trees and energy efficient lights.

4. Ban on the use of Plastics

Single use plastic items are totally banned inside the campus and measures are taken to use paper plates, cups, stainless-steel plates and glasses inside the premises and college canteens.

5. Landscaping with trees and plants

Aditya College of Pharmacy has always shown awareness in initializing eco-friendly campus. Once inside the campus, one can see green parks, water bodies surrounded by parks, splendid lawns and lushful green environment with trees, flowers and herbal plants which are helpful for teaching-learning process and are highly conducive. Landscape of college with trees and plants provides anaesthetic sense and ambience and is environment pollution free. All these are maintained by trained gardeners and supervisors.

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