



AMARESHWAR ARTS AND COMMERCE DEGREE COLLEGE AURAD(B) – 58326
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Green Campus Policy for Amareshwar Arts and Commerce Degree College, Aurad(B), Bidar

Vision: To create an eco-friendly and sustainable campus environment that promotes environmental stewardship, conserves natural resources, and fosters a culture of sustainability among students, staff, and the community.

Mission:

1. To integrate environmental consciousness into the academic and operational activities of the college.
2. To implement effective strategies for water and energy conservation, waste management, and the use of renewable energy resources.
3. To educate and engage students and staff in sustainable practices through awareness programs and initiatives.

Key Components of the Green Campus Policy

1. Plantation Initiatives:

- **Tree Plantation Drives:** Regular tree plantation drives are conducted on the campus and in the surrounding community to increase green cover and improve air quality.
- **Maintenance of Green Spaces:** The college maintains well-manicured lawns, gardens, and green belts around the campus, contributing to the overall aesthetic and environmental health.

2. Water Conservation:

- **Water-Saving Measures:** Installation of low-flow faucets, dual-flush toilets, and rainwater harvesting systems to minimize water wastage.
- **Water Conservation Awareness:** Regular workshops and awareness programs are conducted to educate students and staff on the importance of water conservation.

3. Energy Conservation:

- **Use of Solar Energy:** The college utilizes solar panels to harness renewable energy, reducing dependence on conventional power sources and minimizing carbon footprint.
- **Energy-Efficient Practices:** Implementation of energy-saving measures such as LED lighting, energy-efficient appliances, and promoting the responsible use of electricity on campus.
- **Energy Conservation Awareness:** Programs and campaigns are organized to educate students and staff about energy-saving practices.

4. Waste Management:

- **Waste Segregation:** The college has implemented a comprehensive waste management system, including multi-compartment dustbins for segregating waste at the source into biodegradable, recyclable, and non-recyclable categories.
- **Recycling Initiatives:** The college promotes recycling by setting up dedicated collection points for paper, plastic, and electronic waste.
- **Composting:** Organic waste is composted and used as fertilizer for the college gardens.

5. Student Engagement and Awareness:

- **Green Campus Campaigns:** Students are actively involved in various green campus initiatives, including plantation drives, energy and water conservation campaigns, and waste management activities.
- **Workshops and Seminars:** Regular workshops, seminars, and guest lectures are organized to raise awareness about environmental issues and sustainable practices.
- **Recognition and Awards:** The college recognizes and awards students and staff who actively contribute to the sustainability initiatives, encouraging broader participation.

6. Continuous Improvement:

- **Monitoring and Evaluation:** The Green Campus Policy is regularly reviewed and updated to incorporate new sustainability practices and technologies.
- **Feedback Mechanism:** A feedback system is in place to gather suggestions from students and staff for improving the campus's environmental practices.


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