

# **Institutional Distinctiveness**

## **Environment Consciousness among Students**

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The Distinctiveness of the College lies in its ability to develop **Environment Consciousness among Students** to transform the campus into **Pollution Free and Environmentally Friendly Zone**. This particular distinctiveness of the college goes in tune with the **Vision and Mission** of the college. The college deems it as its prior responsibility to make society aware of deteriorating environmental parameters and also prodding them to adopt eco-friendly ways through Environmental Policy by promoting environmental consciousness with local participation. The various quality practices are adopted by the college to inculcate among students the environment friendly values. The College organized a program **“Plastic Free Campaign”** on **4<sup>th</sup> October 2019** in which **100 students** participated. The main objective of the program was to reduce plastic pollution in the college campus with special focus on the reduction and elimination of plastic bottles, plastic straws, utensils and plastic food packaging. For this, students are encouraged to use refillable like stainless steel bottles or glasses instead of plastic bottles. The College celebrated **Environment Protection Day** in the college campus on **05<sup>th</sup> June, 2019** in which more than 60 students participated. On the recommendations of the IQAC, the College has decided that 100 trees will be planted in the campus, besides labelling all the plants and the trees in the college for their identification. The College has also conducted **11 days Mega Pollution Pakhwada** from **17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2019** in which 100 students and 6 faculty members participated. An **Anti-Stubble Burning Campaign** was also organized by the College on **4<sup>th</sup> October, 2019** in which 80 students participated. On the recommendations of the IQAC, the college has decided to aware nearby villages about the drawbacks of stubble burning. The College organized a **“Solar Ambassador Workshop”** on **2<sup>nd</sup> October 2019** in which 115 students participated. The college organized **Cadets March on Save Environment** on **13<sup>th</sup> July 2019** with 120 participants. Seven days **“Swachh Bharat Internship Programme”** from **7<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> July 2019** was also organized with 10 faculty members and 50 students. In addition, the

college organized “**International Pollution Control Day**” on **13<sup>th</sup> July 2019** with 118 participants.**The Green Campaign** is another initiative that spread awareness among students and staff members about the benefits of adopting green practices that helps to sustain eco-friendly environment in the campus. The College has executed various composting and recycling programs. Separate dust bins are provided to collect degradable and non-degradable wastes in solid, liquid and e-waste forms. The biodegradable waste is put in the Vermin Compost units so that it gets converted into organic manure. The College implemented various methods to save energy by **putting slogans on the walls** of the campus. The LED Bulbs are used in the campus. The college has left no stone unturned to promote **Environment Consciousness among Students** to save the environment.