

# **GURUCHARAN COLLEGE, SILCHAR**

A Grade Re-Accredited by NAAC under Cycle II with CGPA 3.11

Silchar-788004, Assam, India

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## **POLICY DOCUMENT ON CLEAN AND GREEN CAMPUS INITIATIVES**

*The Institution owes a realistic environmental policy in which policy on green campus is the focal theme. The policy on green campus has a two prong approach - on one hand, the policy focuses on the measures which restores and promotes the green cover of the college premise while on the other hand, a stringent measures are taken against the acts which may endanger or vitiate the greenery of the campus. The policy stresses upon participatory management principle which intends to involve all the stakeholders for maintaining an eco-friendly green ambience. As the students constitute the major group of stakeholders, it is pertinent to make them aware of the sustainable college environment and with proper motivation and involvement of students the policy is implemented. College takes the opportunity of the curricular aspects of the compulsory paper on Foundation Course on Environmental Studies under CBCS curriculum for enhancing the awareness level among the students regarding the preservation and promotion of green campus. The green campus policy cannot be fully realized without proper handling of biodegradable and plastic wastes. For that the college administration lays emphasis on integrated management of garbage generated in the campus. To minimize the production of plastic wastes,*

*the college restricts unnecessary use of plastics and polythene and their random littering. In all prominent places in the premise restriction boards are in display for creating awareness. The green campus policy also promotes use of alternative eco-friendly serving and packaging materials that can easily be decomposed in the waste pits after use. The Institution takes the advantage of the various events and celebrations for propagating the necessity of a greener environment. As a policy principle, the programs are designed in such a manner that plantation drives become an essential component of the celebrations. The institution encourages various departments to invite experts from fields of environment and related disciplines for sharing their experiences in areas of environmental sustainability. The fee-waiver scheme of the state government for students below poverty line during admission mandatorily requires plantation of a sapling and its nurturing to grow to a mature plant. The college provides its open space for such initiative for students not having land for plantation. The Institution also utilizes its built-up spaces for indoor plantation.*



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