



Green Policy

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INTRODUCTION

IILM University, Greater Noida, acknowledges its responsibility to function in an environmentally sustainable manner. This **Green Policy** reflects the University's commitment to minimizing its ecological footprint, conserving natural resources, and fostering a culture of environmental responsibility among students, faculty, and staff. The policy is built on three key principles:

- **Environmental Sustainability:** Ensuring responsible and sustainable practices to protect the environment.
- **Economic Viability:** Implementing green initiatives that are cost-effective and sustainable.
- **Social Responsibility:** Engaging the university community in eco-conscious practices and policies.

OBJECTIVES

The **Green Policy** aims to:

- Reduce waste generation and promote recycling and reuse.
- Optimize energy consumption and encourage the use of renewable energy sources.
- Enhance water conservation measures and sustainable water management.
- Maintain a green campus with eco-friendly infrastructure and landscaping.
- Reduce carbon emissions and promote sustainable transportation.
- Implement sustainable waste disposal, including solid, liquid, and e-waste management.
- Raise environmental awareness and integrate green practices into the university's curriculum and research.

POLICY GUIDELINES

1. WASTE MANAGEMENT

- Ensure proper segregation of biodegradable, non-biodegradable, and hazardous waste.
- Promote composting of organic waste within campus premises.
- Recycle or safely dispose of e-waste, including computers and electronic appliances.
- Reduce paper waste by implementing digital documentation and paperless administrative processes.
- Strategically place waste bins throughout the campus to encourage proper waste disposal.

2. ENERGY CONSERVATION & EFFICIENCY

- Prioritize energy-efficient appliances and LED lighting across campus facilities.
- Encourage the use of renewable energy sources such as solar power.
- Implement automated lighting and energy-saving mechanisms to reduce electricity consumption.
- Conduct periodic "Switch-Off" drills to promote mindful energy use.
- Educate students and faculty on energy conservation practices.

3. WATER CONSERVATION

- Repair water leaks and install water-efficient fixtures in restrooms and cafeterias.
- Implement rainwater harvesting systems to replenish groundwater levels.
- Promote wastewater treatment and its reuse for gardening and sanitation purposes.
- Raise awareness about responsible water usage among students and staff.

4. GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE & BIODIVERSITY

- Maintain and expand green spaces across the university campus.
- Encourage tree plantation drives and gardening initiatives involving students and faculty.
- Design buildings and infrastructure that comply with **green building standards** to optimize natural lighting and ventilation.
- Establish an **Eco Club** to oversee campus sustainability projects.

5. POLLUTION CONTROL MEASURES

- Restrict the use of single-use plastics within the university premises.
- Implement air pollution control measures, such as monitoring air quality and discouraging vehicle emissions.
- Promote eco-friendly transportation by encouraging bicycles, carpooling, and pedestrian-friendly zones.
- Ensure all chemical waste from laboratories is disposed of in a scientifically responsible manner.

6. NO SMOKING & NO TOBACCO POLICY

- IILM University is a **No Smoking & No Tobacco Zone**. The use of cigarettes, tobacco products, and related items is strictly prohibited within university premises.
- Awareness programs shall be conducted to educate students and staff about the harmful effects of smoking and tobacco use.
- Disciplinary actions will be taken against individuals violating this policy.

7. AWARENESS & EDUCATION

- Organize environmental awareness campaigns, workshops, and lectures.
- Integrate environmental sustainability principles into academic programs and research activities.
- Engage students in hands-on sustainability projects and community outreach programs.
- Display eco-awareness messages on notice boards, digital screens, and key locations within the campus.

8. GREEN AUDIT & POLICY MONITORING

- Conduct an annual **Green Audit** to assess the effectiveness of environmental initiatives.
- Establish measurable sustainability targets and continuously track progress.
- Assign a Green Campus Committee to oversee policy implementation and suggest improvements.
- Encourage student and faculty participation in reviewing and updating the Green Policy.

IMPLEMENTATION & ENFORCEMENT

- **Eco Club & Green Campus Committee:** A dedicated team responsible for policy enforcement, awareness initiatives, and green audits.
- **Administrative Support:** Ensure university policies align with environmental best practices.
- **Compliance & Accountability:** Every student, faculty, and staff member must contribute to making IILM University an environmentally sustainable institution.

CONCLUSION

IILM University, Greater Noida, reaffirms its commitment to sustainability by implementing this Green Policy. The responsibility for ensuring environmental sustainability rests with the institution as well as its community members. By adopting and enforcing eco-friendly measures, the University aims to foster a greener, healthier, and more sustainable future for all.

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