



Shiksha Mandal's  
**Shrikrishnadas JajooGrameen Seva Mahavidyalaya,**

Pipri – Wardha - 442001

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**Policy for Energy Conservation and Environment Consciousness**

**Introduction:**

**Shrikrishnadas Jajoo Grameen Seva Mahavidyalaya**

Shrikrishnadas Jajoo Grameen Seva Mahavidyalaya (SJGSM) is the only college in the state of Maharashtra to run a degree programme in Rural Services. By very definition the B.A.(Rural Services) programme is meant for rural youth with a view to train them for rural development. Situated at Pipri-Wardha and in the vicinity of Sevagram and Pavnar, the College not only strives to practice the principles of Gandhi and Vinoba, but also to preserve the inherent rural ethos of the programme.

The college is fast emerging as the centre for rural development activity owing to its links with the adjoining villages through Community Development and Extension which is the core of B.A.(Rural Services) course and which distinguishes this course from the traditional B.A. course. In terms of Community Development and Extension, our students get first hand experience and training in the field of agriculture and farming, environment, water conservation, Vermiculture, Sericulture, Horticulture projects, health & hygiene, rural and cottage industries, SHGs, cleanliness etc. The course thus not only qualifies our students for serious rural development activities but also enables them to pursue other courses and jobs through the study of such subjects as English, Marathi, Economics, Community Development and Extension, Sociology, Cooperation, English Literature, Marathi Literature.

The College enjoys perfect students- course compatibility as most of our students belong to the rural and agricultural background. The students, however, are offered modern teaching methods and technology to effect the rural modern balance. Thus, though the medium of instruction is Marathi and there is no scope for IT in the syllabus, our students are given compulsory value addition programs for proficiency in English language and ICT. We are a co-ed institute and, recently, we have also started Girls Hostel. It is encouraging for us that the number of girl students is as good as that of boys. The college has its own Career Guidance Cell which runs special competitive examinations preparatory programmes for final year students. The college also ensures that the extra curricular needs of the students are fulfilled through the organization of cultural



/sports/extension activities. The year round programmes culminate in the college day program Yuvarang.

For the rural youth who have both professional and vocational ambitions and who mean to be good students, SJGSM and Shiksha Mandal, Wardha are the right destinations.

### **Objectives:**

- To maintain and conserve ecological balance within the campus.
- Conservation of resources through optimum utilization.
- Enhancing awareness and knowledge of all concerned with respect to environment and natural resources.
- To improve our contribution to climate protection and adaptation to climate change
- To create awareness and enhance use of renewable energy sources.
- To realize our responsibility and commitments to conservation of natural resources and to limit its usage.
- To try to minimize paper use in administration.

### **Procedure and Practices**

#### **A. Energy**

- Institute is implemented energy sustainability measures to reduce consumption of non-renewable energy by using energy efficient products.
- Create awareness among students, faculty members and all relevant stakeholders for efficient use of energy (electricity) on campus
- Our institute initiated activities to adopt eco-friendly lifestyle by the consumption of energy through solar source. Increase use of LED bulbs and tubes.
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#### **B. Environment**

- To undertake tree plantation campaign in campus and out of Campus every year.
- To develop rain water harvesting and bore well recharging to increase water table level.
- To develop systematic waste management mechanism
- Biodegradable waste is used for Vermi-composting
- Plastic-Free Campus
- Conduct energy audits and monitoring of energy use at the campus.



### C. Water:

- To inculcate importance of water conservation amongst the stakeholders
- Monitor and minimize the water consumption.
- Implementation of innovative water-efficient technologies such as rainwater harvesting and recharging of bore wells
- Promote local plantation to reduce water usage.

### D. Waste Management

- Solid Waste Management
- Liquid Waste Management
- E-Waste Management

The Environment and energy policy is binding for all the component of the institution. The various activities undertaken by the institution which will help to increase efficiency and environmental awareness into our everyday life. This policy will help to realize our responsibility and commitments to conservation of natural resources and limit of their usage.

### Practices

The policy will be communicated to all the stakeholders via internal communication and will be made available on institutional website. The environment and Energy policy and its objectives will be reviewed on a regular basis by Principal. Dustbins are placed in the away the waste from the campus every week for disposal and recycling. The campus has been enriched with greenery due to substantial tree plantation and ornamental plant. The area covers maximum green zone of the campus which consists variety of valuable plants and trees.



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