

SARIYA COLLEGE, SURIYA

SURIYA, GIRIDIH, JHARKHAND

(Permanently affiliated to Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribagh)

Registered Under 2(f) & 12(B) UGC Act., ISO 21001:2018 Certified

Accredited with Grade 'C' by NAAC, ISO 21001:2018 Certified

(Run under Sariya Mahavidyalya Shikshan Vikas Samiti, Society Registration Act 1860)

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7.1.2 - Policy Document on Green Campus/Plastic Free Campus

About the College –

The local education lovers of Suriya village decided to establish Sariya College, Duriya in 1984 to impart higher education among the students of this region, it has a story to tell..... a success story. For this Sariya College was granted affiliation by Ranchi University to impart education at the undergraduate level. Ranchi University and State Government granted temporary affiliation of Degree standard in Arts Faculty from the session 1984-85. At that time it was the only degree college with co-education facility in Bagodar Vidhan Sabha constituency under Giridih District which catered to the need of higher education for the local economically deprived OBC, SC and ST students. Then from the session 2011-12 Jharkhand Government and Vinoba Bhave University, Hazaribagh graciously granted

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permanent affiliation to the college at Commerce Honours and General level and General level in Arts Faculty and from the session 2014-15 the college got permanent affiliation at Arts Honours level. The college has provisional affiliation in Science stream from the session 2023-27. Forty years in the life span of an academic institution may be just a small ray in the vast spectrum, but the last decade for Sariya College has been really formative in terms of infrastructure and academics. The land of the college is donated by Shri Mahabir Jain and Shri Janaki Lal Daga to the Hon'ble Governor of Jharkhand. Sariya College is registered under Society Act 1860 and is also registered under section 2(f) and 12(b) of UGC, Government of India. The college is an accredited institution with 'C' grade by NAAC.

Sariya College is spread over an area of 11.43 acres. The three sides of the college are surrounded by forests (greenery). Many activities are organized here for the overall development of the students through sports, NSS, cultural and extension activities. Keeping in mind the need to protect the environment for a sustainable, pollution-free and healthy life on earth in the coming days, the college strives to strictly follow the related policies. The college family creates environmental consciousness among the students and the society in general by organizing various activities inside and outside the campus. The college works towards creating a green, pollution-free and healthy environment with enthusiasm and dedication. The students are given strict instructions to keep the campus clean and green, which also shows positive results.

Green Campus Policy

The Green Campus Policy of the college envisions a clean and green campus where ecofriendly practices promote sustainable and environmentally friendly activities within and outside the college campus. This policy also provides an opportunity to the institution to play a leading role in redefining its environmental culture by inculcating environmental ethics among students and staff.

Mission

To create environmental consciousness in the teaching campus and society and to actively engage in activities to protect the environment for a sustainable, pollution free and healthy life.

Objectives

• To create awareness among students and staff for the use of eco-friendly products and services.

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• To inculcate the importance of cleanliness for healthy living among students and staff.

• To make students aware about environmental issues by organizing events like awareness campaigns, cleanliness drives, workshops, presentations, tree plantation drives, conferences, competition on "Say No to Plastic" etc.

Tree plantation drives are also regularly carried out by the NSS units of the college in and outside the college campus. The Institute is committed to manage its campus as per the Clean and Green Campus Policy, for this purpose the following infrastructure has been established and the following activities have been undertaken-

- Landscaping with trees and plants
- Solar Plant in the College
- Use of LED Bulbs/Tubes
- Rain Water Harvesting
- Solid Waste Management
- Installation of Incinerator in Girls Wash-room
- Observing Day to Protect and Nurturing Environment
- Green, Environmental and Energy Audit
- Organization of 'Rakshabandhan of Trees' Programme
- Organization of 'No Vehicle Day'
- 'Say No to Plastic' Programme

The Institute believes that everyone has to make time bound strategies to implement the Green Campus Initiative. These strategies should be incorporated in the institutional planning and budgeting processes with the aim of developing a clean and green camcampu

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