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SOP of NATURE CLUB

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NATURE CLUB

In our college we have an eco-club 'known as 'Nature Club', which plays an important role in creating environmental awareness amongst the future generation and performs activities to save the environment, like planting trees, organizing poster, competitions on various environmental issues. Nature club teaches students to love their mother nature and conserve the resources in it. Due to various anthropogenic activities, the environment has undergone irreparable damages. If we do not step in to take immediate measures to preserve and rescue the Mother Nature, it will have a negative impact upon us and our future generations.

Objectives

- To educate students about the importance of environmental conservation and to create awareness about major environmental problems.
- To Implementing small level projects which helps to create interest towards farming activities.
- Observing environmentally important days.
- Motivating the students to plant more trees.
- Educating the students to minimise the usage of plastics.
- Organizing various programmes like seminars, cartoon drawing, exhibition, craft making, quiz etc. regarding various environmental issues.

Procedure:

Organization Formation & Operation

- 1. Announcements IQAC announces a nature club committee for two academic year.
- 2. Enrollment: the newly admitted students of all courses are enrolled every year.
- 3. Faculty Coordinator: he/she shall be involved in the scheduling (times, locations, etc.) of club meetings,
- 4. Club coordinators: are to submit the tentative plan of event, date, and budget to the faculty coordinator.
- 5. Faculty Coordinator then presents the proposal to the Principal and IQAC.
- 6. Coordinators must also be present at all official club meetings, events, activities, etc
- 7. Meetings: enrolled Club members are required to meet quarterly (1) time per month and are to participate in all the activities/events
- 8. Volunteer Coordinator:
 - a. Shall motivate Members to indicate interest in those committee(s) they would like to serve on.
 - b. Shall select volunteers for events/activities and make the names available to Committee chairs.



- c. Shall maintain the Club's inventories
- d. Shall be responsible for taking of attendance during the activities.

The activities

- 1. Motivate the students to keep their surroundings green and clean by undertaking plantation of trees.
- 2. Promote ethos of conservation of water by minimizing the use of water.
- 3. Motivate students to imbibe habits and life style for minimum waste generation, source separation of waste and disposing the waste to the nearest storage point.
- 4. Educate students to create awareness amongst public and sanitary workers, so as to stop the indiscriminate burning of waste which causes respiratory diseases.
- 5. Sensitize the students to minimize the use of plastic bags, not to throw them in public places as they choke drains and sewers, cause water logging and provide breeding ground for mosquitoes.
- 6. Organize tree plantation programmes, awareness programmes such as Quiz, essay, painting competitions, rallies, flower exhibition etc. regarding various environmental issues and educate children about re-use of waste material & preparation of products out of waste.

Nature club can thus help to extend boundaries and scope of the formal educational system encouragingcreativity and improving students for constructive action

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