



# Manual of **DON BOSCO COLLEGE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY**



**(Version 1.1)**

# **Environment Policy: Don Bosco College, Tura**

Don Bosco College, Tura is committed to promoting environmental protection and sustainability. As a responsible educational institution, we recognize the importance of sustainable practices and the role that we can play in reducing our carbon footprint and preservation of the environment. To this end, we have developed an Environmental Policy that outlines our objectives, mission, and vision for promoting sustainable practices and protection of the environment. Our policy focuses on reducing energy consumption, promoting waste reduction, encouraging sustainable transportation, using eco-friendly products, protecting natural resources, conducting environmental awareness campaigns, and participating in environmental initiatives. We are committed to implementing and continuously improving our policy to achieve our goals of creating a safe and healthy environment for our students, staff, and faculty and promoting environmental stewardship in the college and the community.

## **Objectives:**

- To minimize the environmental impact of the college's operations and activities.
- To promote awareness and understanding of environmental issues among staff, students, and the wider community.
- To comply with relevant environmental legislation and regulations.
- To continuously improve our environmental performance by setting targets and monitoring progress.
- To reduce the college's carbon footprint and minimize the negative impact on the environment.
- To actively participate in local and national environmental initiatives to protect the environment.

## **Mission:**

Our mission is to create a sustainable future for Don Bosco College, Tura by reducing our environmental footprint and promoting environmentally responsible behavior.

## **Vision:**

We envision a college where all members of the community are committed to protecting the environment, where resources are used efficiently, waste is minimized, and sustainable practices are integrated into all aspects of college life.

## **Policy for Environment:**

1. Energy conservation: We will minimize our energy consumption by using energy-efficient appliances, turning off lights and equipment when not in use, and implementing energy-saving measures throughout the college.
2. Waste reduction and recycling: We will reduce the amount of waste generated by the college and promote recycling and composting programs. We will also reduce the use of single-use plastic and encourage the use of reusable products.

3. Water conservation: We will conserve water by reducing water usage and implementing water-saving measures, such as fixing leaks and using water-efficient appliances.
4. Transportation: We will encourage the use of public transport and car-pooling to reduce emissions from transportation. We will also promote walking to reduce the use of private vehicles.
5. Purchasing: We will purchase environmentally friendly products and services, and reduce the use of hazardous materials. The College canteen in particular, shall not use disposable cups and plates.
6. Education and awareness: We will educate and raise awareness among staff, students, and the wider community about environmental issues, and promote environmentally responsible behavior.
7. Compliance with environmental legislation: We will comply with all relevant environmental legislation and regulations, and strive to exceed these standards whenever possible.
8. Protect natural resources: Implement measures to conserve water and protect local flora and fauna.
9. Conduct environmental awareness campaigns: Conduct campaigns, workshops, and seminars to raise awareness about environmental issues and encourage sustainable practices.
10. Participate in environmental initiatives: Actively participate in local and national environmental initiatives to protect the environment.

Don Bosco College, Tura is committed to promoting environmental protection and sustainability. We recognize that every individual has a role to play in protecting the environment, and we strive to create a culture of sustainability that inspires and educates our students and the community. We are committed to implementing and continuously improving our environmental policy to achieve our mission and vision.

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