

Garden Committee Report (2017-2018)

Field Based Educational Visits

Students were sensitised through educational field visits. Students' awareness campaigns were also organised on plastic waste, waste disposable, air pollution and biodiversity through field engagement.

- Educational Trip to National Science Centre was organized for Environmental Science students of B.Sc. (Hons.) Food Technology 1st year students on 20th September 2017.
- Educational Trip was organised for B. Sc. (Pass) Home Science 1st year Environmental Science students to National Science centre on 23rd September 2017.



Fig. 1 Visit to National Science Centre

Plantation Drive

An on-campus plantation drive was organised by Potted Plantation. The Garden committee members conducted a survey of various nurseries and purchased various plants along with the fibre pots for maintaining the green environment in college.

Tree plantation: As part of the Environment Science course, students were asked to bring different types of plants. Tree plantation drive was organised in the college premises involving students.

Solid waste management

To manage the garden waste, two pits were prepared behind the old coca cola kiosk. Only the sides were cemented. The gardener was asked to dump all the garden waste in the pits. Once the pits got filled, one was covered with an iron mesh and the other was used. The committee decided to segregate the solid waste from the college canteen kitchen. The canteen person was asked to segregate the waste and to put only dry waste into the pits.

Recycling of Waste Material and Vertical Gardening

B.Sc. (Hons.) Food Technology and B. Sc (Pass) Home Science 1st year students were asked to make use of damaged bicycle under recycling of waste material assignment. Students were able to creatively convert the damaged bicycle into aesthetically appealing and useful containing stands.



Fig. 2 Recycling of Waste Material

Vermicomposting

To manage the college waste composting with the use of earthworms, the process was initiated in college with garden waste. The compost prepared is used as an organic fertilizer for the growth and maintenance of the plants in the college premise.

