

# THIAGARAJAR SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT (AUTONOMOUS)

Accredited by NAAC with 'A' Grade PambanSwamy Nagar, Thirupparankundram, Madurai - 625005



# **GREEN CAMPUS POLICY**

Version Number: 1

Date: 01 August 2019

# Scope:

The scope of this policy extends to the following areas:

- Clean & Green Campus
- Restricted entry of automobiles
- Use of battery powered vehicles
- Pedestrian friendly pathways
- Ban on use of plastic
- Landscaping with trees and plants

### **Objectives:**

- The Institute believes that greening the campus is all about eliminating inefficient waste, using conventional energy sources for daily power demands, treating garbage properly, buying eco-friendly goods, and having a strong recycling programme.
- The Institute's administration is of the opinion that everyone must devise time-bound plans for putting into action green campus activities. In order to create a clean and green campus, these techniques must be implemented into the institutional planning and budgeting procedures.
- Every person on the TSM Campus, including students, teachers, and support staff, will work to promote an environment-friendly campus and a culture of selfsustainability.
- The school will be able to create the campus as a living community thanks to the Green Campus Initiatives (GCI).

#### **Policy:**

- The policy is designed and framed to make TSM campus clean and green.
- A "green campus" is a location where sustainable and eco-friendly practises are promoted through education and environmentally friendly actions. By establishing sustainable solutions to the environmental, social, and economic requirements of humanity, the green campus concept gives an institution the chance to take the lead in reinventing its environmental culture and generating new paradigms. The college's



Green Campus Policy envisions a clean and green campus where environmentally responsible behaviour and education work together to advance ecologically friendly and sustainable activities both on and off campus. Additionally, it gives the organisation a chance to take the initiative in reinventing its environmental culture by fostering environmental ethics among the faculty and staff.

# **Initiatives Taken to Implement the Clean and Green Campus Policy**

# A. Energy Saving Promotion

The institute encourages students to save energy and discourages them from making inappropriate use of it. It encourages students to shut down their computers rather than log off, utilise LED lights, light up lecture halls and conference rooms only when necessary, and switch off monitors when not in use

## **B.** Waste water Management/ Rainwater harvesting:

The Institute concentrates on waste water management, especially in student residences. Reduced water flow toilets, automatic urinal flushers, and faucet and shower water flow restrictors should all be used on campus. The Institute will conduct waste water management and rainwater harvesting by taking all necessary steps.

### C. Waste Management

The institute has adopted measures like Grey Water flushes, Rain Water harvesting, changing of taps which are either more water efficient, Use of recycled water for watering plants, trees etc

### D. E-Waste Management:

TSM ensures that its usage of technology and generation of e waste does not impact the environment.

#### **D. Major Green Campus Initiatives**

- 1. Restricted entry of automobiles
- 2. Use of Bicycles/ Battery powered vehicles
- 3. Pedestrian Friendly pathways
- 4. Ban on use of Plastic
- 5. landscaping with trees and plants

### 1. Restricted entry of automobiles (Circular)



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#### Circular

Students have to park their two wheeler only in the parking lot in the main campus and are strictly prohibited from parking it in front of any of their respective hostels.

Also all the two wheeler riders are hereby instructed to use helmets. Those vehicle riders who do not use helmets will not be allowed to park their vehicles in the campus.

As a policy, it has been decided that students will not be allowed to park their cars (four wheelers) inside the campus as it disturbs the eco system.

If any student is found violating these guidelines, strict action would be taken. This will be in effect from 7th July, 2018.





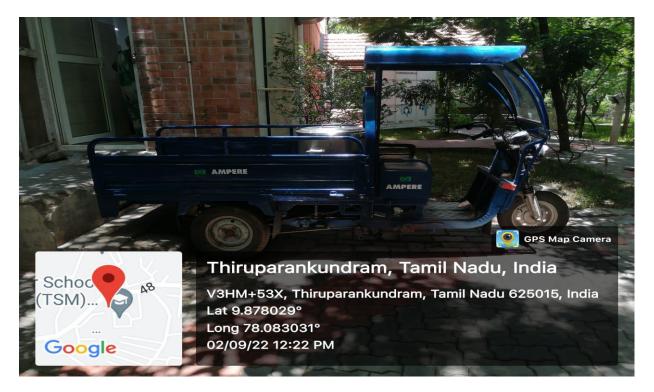
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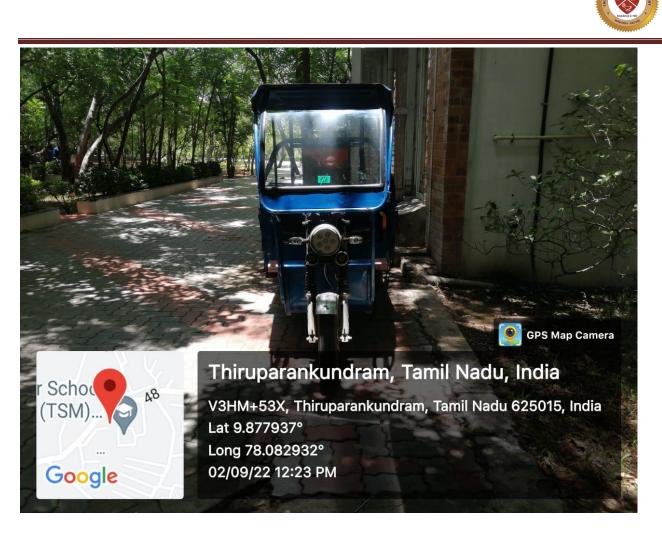


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# 2. Use of Bicycles/ Battery powered vehicles





# 3. Pedestrian Friendly pathways







### 5.Landscaping with trees and plants

