

# GD Goenka Public School, Aurangabad

## ECO CLUB POLICY

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### 1. Introduction

The Eco Club of the school aims to create environmental awareness among students and develop responsible citizens who actively contribute towards protecting nature. The club will encourage students to participate in activities that promote sustainability, conservation of natural resources, and eco-friendly habits within the school and community.

The Eco Club works in alignment with environmental initiatives encouraged by \*\*Central Board of Secondary Education and national environmental missions of \*\*Government of India.

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### 2. Objectives

1. To develop environmental awareness among students.
  2. To promote sustainable practices within the school campus.
  3. To encourage student participation in environmental protection.
  4. To develop leadership and teamwork through eco-initiatives.
  5. To make the school campus greener, cleaner, and plastic-free.
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### 3. Structure of Eco Club

Position	Responsibility
Eco Club Incharge (Teacher)	Planning and supervision of activities
Eco Club Committee	4–5 teachers supporting activities
Student Eco Leaders	Class representatives from Grades 4–9
Student Volunteers	Students interested in environmental initiatives

## **4. Key Focus Areas**

1. **Waste Management**
2. **Tree Plantation & Gardening**
3. **Water Conservation**
4. **Energy Conservation**
5. **Plastic-Free Campus**
6. **Biodiversity Awareness**

## **5. Eco Club Guidelines / Policy**

### **1. Green Campus Policy**

- Maintain a clean and green campus.
- Promote plantation drives.
- Protect existing plants and trees.

### **2. Plastic-Free Policy**

- Discourage single-use plastics in school.
- Encourage reusable bottles and lunch boxes.

### **3. Waste Segregation**

- Install **dry and wet waste bins** in the campus.
- Encourage composting of organic waste.

### **4. Water Conservation**

- Monitor water usage in school.
- Promote water-saving habits.

### **5. Energy Conservation**

- Encourage switching off lights and fans when not in use.
- Promote natural lighting where possible.

### **6. Environmental Awareness**

- Organize campaigns, posters, assemblies and competitions.

## 7. Special Initiatives

### 1. Green Monitor Program

Each class will nominate **Green Monitors** responsible for:

- Ensuring lights and fans are switched off
- Monitoring cleanliness
- Encouraging eco-friendly practices

### 2. Mini School Garden

Students will maintain a **herbal garden or vegetable patch** in the school campus.

### 3. Waste Recycling Corner

Collection of:

- paper
  - plastic bottles
  - cardboard
- for recycling purposes.
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## 8. Student Engagement Methods

- Morning assembly talks
  - Eco pledge
  - Nature walks
  - Community awareness campaigns
  - Competitions and exhibitions
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## 9. Documentation

Eco Club activities will be documented through:

- Photographs
  - Activity reports
  - Student participation records
  - Annual Eco Club Report
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## **10. Expected Outcomes**

1. Increased environmental awareness among students.
  2. Development of responsible environmental behavior.
  3. Cleaner and greener school campus.
  4. Active student participation in sustainability initiatives.
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