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**Report on Beyond the Campus  
Environmental Promotion Activities**

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## **Promoting Environmental Sustainability Beyond Campus**

PGDAV College has been actively engaging in environmental promotion activities beyond its campus, contributing to a sustainable and eco-friendly community. This report outlines various initiatives undertaken by PGDAV College to promote Environmental Sustainability beyond campus, focusing on plastic waste collection, recycling, and innovative upcycling projects.

### **1. A Field Visit to Sanjay Van:**

On October 23, 2018, PGDAV College organized a transformative field visit to Sanjay Van, marking a significant step in its commitment to environmental stewardship. The event not only addressed the immediate concern of environmental pollution but also sought to create awareness among the participants about the broader impact of their actions on the local ecosystem. This field visit laid the foundation for subsequent initiatives, demonstrating PGDAV College's proactive role in fostering a sustainable and ecologically conscious community.

### **2. Plastic Waste Collection and Recycling:**

PGDAV College organized a plastic waste collection drive. The collected plastic waste was responsibly sent to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi (MCD) for recycling. This initiative aimed to reduce plastic pollution in the environment while promoting recycling practices.

### **3. Compost Exchange Program:**

As part of the sustainability efforts, PGDAV College established a compost exchange program with MCD. In return for the collected plastic waste, the college received compost, contributing to organic farming and soil enrichment.

### **4. Incense Cone Production from Flower Waste:**

A significant aspect of the environmental promotion activities involved training sessions at MCD community centers. PGDAV College collaborated with MCD to conduct training on crafting incense cones using flower waste. This initiative not only repurposed organic waste but also provided an avenue for skill development within the community.

### **5. Training Sessions:**

To ensure continuity and community involvement, PGDAV College organized training sessions on incense cone production. These sessions served as a platform for sustained engagement, fostering a sense of responsibility towards environmental conservation.

## **6. Notebook Production from Recycled Paper:**

Under the auspices of the Enactus PGDAV initiative, the college extended its environmental promotion efforts to include the production of notebooks from recycled paper. Collaborating with the NGO Shaktishalini, PGDAV students received training at the KVK Center, furthering the cause of sustainable practices.

## **7. Project Korakagaz:**

The Enactus PGDAV's Project Korakagaz aimed to empower individuals with skills to create notebooks from recycled paper. This not only reduced paper wastage but also provided an opportunity for economic empowerment through skill development.

PGDAV College's environmental promotion activities beyond campus reflect a commitment to sustainability, waste reduction, and community engagement. Through initiatives such as plastic waste collection, compost exchange, incense cone production, and recycled paper projects, the college has demonstrated a holistic approach towards environmental conservation. These efforts not only contribute to a cleaner and greener environment but also empower communities with valuable skills, fostering a culture of environmental responsibility.









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The following faculty members will accompany the group:

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**Beyond the campus environmental  
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**Field visit to Sanjay Van 23.10.18**



**Collection of plastic waste**



**Then sending it for recycling to MCD and getting compost in exchange**



**Training at MCD community centre to make incense cones from flower waste, regular training session**



**Incense cones**



**Training to make notebooks from recycled paper by Enactus PGDAV under project Korakagaz at KVK Center run by the NGO Shaktishalini**