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DE PLASTIC DAY IN JONNALAGADDA

NSS UNIT TEC



A REPORT ON DE PLASTIC DAY IN JONNALAGADDA

LOCATION: JONNALAGADDA VILLAGE

NUMBER OF STUENTS: 123

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Tirumala Engineering College emphasizes on ban of plastic in the college campus and in the surrounding villages. In order to protect our planet from plastic pollution, it is essential to create social awareness about the harmful effects of plastic. Awareness starts by informing and educating the people and children. It is important to teach children about the importance of saying 'No' to plastics.

Plastic waste, or plastic pollution, is 'the accumulation of plastic objects (e.g.: plastic bottles and much more) in the Earth's environment that adversely affects environment and humans. It also refers to the significant amount of plastic that isn't recycled and ends up in landfill or, in the developing world, thrown into unregulated dump sites.



So much of what we consume is made of plastic (such as plastic bottles and food containers) because it's inexpensive, yet durable. However, plastic is slow to degrade (taking over 400 years or more) due to its chemical structure, which presents a huge challenge. Reducing plastic consumption and raising awareness about plastic recycling is crucial if we are to overcome the problem of plastic waste and pollution on our planet.



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Children must be discouraged from using plastic bags. Let them know how it can block pipes and damages the environment. At the same time, it is also necessary to find alternatives to plastic bags. Let's take a look at some ways to curb this problem.

Since the late 20th century, we have depended on plastic as an affordable, versatile and durable material. Since plastic is an affordable and durable material, it can be found in everything from packaging materials to plastic bottles, straws to plastic bags, and much more. Until businesses start to utilise more environmentally-friendly, alternative materials (such as paper), the cycle of producing and disposing of plastic will continue.

The staff members of TEC identify the importance of general hygiene surroundings of the campus. In this context, Tirumala Engineering College organized De Plastic Day in Jonnalagadda Village with staff and students. The NSS staff members are actively participated in the program with commitment and dedication . They have cleaned different areas in the campus, internal roads in the campus. During this program, the staff participated even less in number as the situation is suffering from Covid – 19. Due to pandemic in the country all the schools and colleges were closed and a very less number of faculty members participated by following the guidelines of Covid – 19. Keeping the surroundings clean and hygiene is essential for survival in the time of pandemic and we have organized the swaccha Bharath program with staff members.



Principal, Faculty and students participating in De Plastic program



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Students and Faculty cleaning and removing the plastic in jonnalagadda village



Faculty and NSS students firing the waste plastic collected in village



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NSS Volunteers collecting waste water bottles and plastic items



NSS Volunteers and Faculty collecting plastic items