# Maharashtra Education Society's Institute of Management and Career Courses (IMCC), Pune Best Practices Extension Activities

Extension Activities aims at enabling our students/volunteers to develop social responsibility and learning by doing. Service attitude is essential for any professional to flourish in his/her job. Extension also is the aspect of education which emphasizes community services. These are often integrated with curricula as extended opportunities, intended to help, serve, reflect and learn. Having a variety of extension activities keeps students from getting bored.

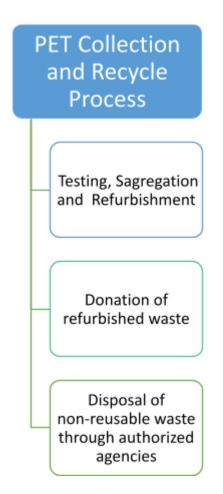
Objectives

- Creativity and innovation
- Problem solving
- Leadership
- Team Collaboration
- Acquisition of new knowledge
- Self-confidence and improvement



## **PET Collection**

India is a rapidly developing nation. With development comes waste generation, and India is no exception. Right from municipal solid waste, plastic waste, to automobile waste, the amount of waste is expected. The estimates of plastic waste being generated are on a rise, with bottlenecks in the waste management system. Recycling is the way forward for a sustained and robust waste management ecosystem.



Why PET Collection is important?

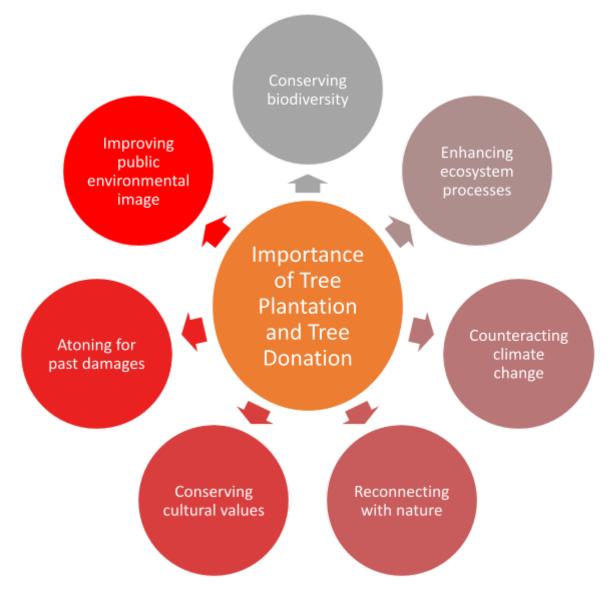
- 1. Reduces stress on resources
- 2. Reduces the stress on waste disposal mechanisms
- 3. Helps protect the environment
- 4. Creates a value-channel for waste
- 5. Strengthens the Economy
- 6. Creates a sustainable future

https://recykal.com/2021/08/08/why-plastic-recycling-is-important/#:~:text=Strengthens%20the%20 Economy&text=Indian%20waste%20management%20ecosystem%20is,supporting%20local%20com munities%20and%20economies.

#### **Tree Plantation and Tree Donation**

Tree Plantation is one of the best activities for making the planet greener, livelier, and healthier. Planted trees help our biodiversity, ensure the supply of oxygen for the next generations, and provide us with various resources. Without trees, the existence of human life, as well as other species on earth, is impossible. So, we should plant more and more trees. Tree plantation has many advantages on the earth and our wellbeing.

- Conserving biodiversity
- Enhancing ecosystem processes
- Counteracting climate change
- Reconnecting with nature
- Conserving cultural values
- Atoning for past damages
- Improving public environmental image



### **Voter Awareness Program**

Voting is one of the most important rights we have as citizens of India. It is our opportunity to have a say in who represents us in government, and it is a way to hold our elected officials accountable. One way to increase voter turnout is through voting awareness campaigns. These campaigns work to educate citizens on the importance of voting and the impact their vote can have.

Voting is important because it is a way for people to have a say in their government and to elect officials who represent their interests. It is also a way for people to hold their government accountable. Voting allows people to have a voice in the decisions that affect their lives. In addition to being a fundamental right, voting is also important for the health of our democracy.

- Importance of voting in an election.
- Enrolment as a voter and knowledge of Electoral roll.
- Election cards.
- Polling process-Process of identification, directions of polling staff, tendered votes etc.
- Awareness about EVM's and how to cast votes on EVM's.
- Basic knowledge about electoral offences and various do's and don'ts.
- Basics of Model code of conducts and the rights of citizens covered under MCC like prevention of defacement of private property, abuse of loudspeakers etc.

#### Objective

To sensitize the voters about the importance of participation in an electoral process to ensure a responsive, accountable and democratically elected government.



