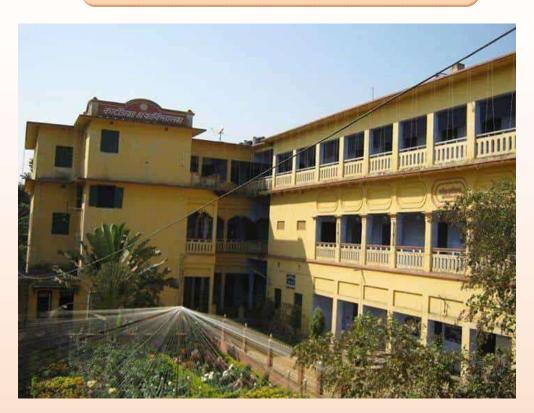
Green Audit Report of KATWA COLLEGE





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KATWA COLLEGE

DUKBANGLOW ROAD, KATWA, PURBA BUARDHAMAN – 713 130.

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ExEcutivE Summary

Rapid urbanization and economic development at local, regional and global level has led to several environmental and ecological crises. On this background it becomes essential to adopt the system of the green campus for the institute which will lead for sustainable development. Katwa College is deeply concerned and unconditionally believes that there is an urgent need to address these fundamental problems and reverse the trends. Being a premier institution of higher studies, the college has initiated 'The Green Campus' programme few years back that actively promote various projects for environment protection and sustainability.

Purpose of this audit is to ensure that the practices followed in the campus are in accordance with the green policy adopted by the institution, it works on several facets of Green Campus including water conservation. electricity conservation. tree plantation. waste management, paperless work, mapping of biodiversity etc. With this in mind, specific objectives of the audit is to evaluate adequacy of the management control framework of environment sustainability as well as the degree to which the departments are in compliance with the applicable regulations, policies and standards. It can make a tremendous impact on students' health and learning, college operational costs and the environment. The criteria methods and recommendations used in the audit were based on the identified risks.

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Green Audit

Environmental or Green Audit is a systematic, documented, periodic and objective review by regulated entities of facility operations and practices adopted to meet the environmental requirements (EPA, 2003). In other words, it is a management tool, comprising of systematic, documented, periodic and objective evaluation of how well environmental organization, management and equipment are performing with the aim of helping to safeguard the environment by facilitating management control of practices and assessing compliance with Institutional policies, which would include regulatory requirements and standards applicable.

Environmental auditing is essentially an environmental management tool for measuring the effects of certain activities on the environment against set criteria or standards. Depending on the types of standards and the focus of the audit, there are different types of environmental audit. Organizations of all kinds now recognize the importance of environmental matters and accept that their environmental performance will be scrutinized by a wide range of interested parties.

Considering the present environmental problems of pollution and excessive use of natural resources, Honorable Prime Minister, Shri. Narendra Modi has declared the Mission of Swachch Bharat Abhiyan. Also, University Grants Commission has mentioned the "Green Campus, Clean Campus" mission mandatory for all higher educational institutes. As environmental sustainability is becoming an increasingly important issue for the nation, the role of higher educational institutions in relation to environmental sustainability is more prevalent.

1.2 Why Green Audit

- ➤ To ensure that the performance of the institution with respect to environmental activities is in compliance with existing laws and regulations.
- > To check the functionality and their operating success including water supply, energy related matters and other similar matters that are related to green operations in the campus
- To formulate or update the institution's environmental policy, if warranted.
- ➤ To measure the environmental impact of operational process related to green activities in the campus.
- To measure the performance of each green related operations and actions in the campus.
- ➤ To generate a data base of green activities for continuous monitoring to assess the success of each of them.
- ➤ To identify future potential liabilities.
- ➤ To align the institution's developmental and day to day activities with the stated vision, mission, strategies.
- ➤ To identify possible ways to reduce expenditure and running costs on equipments, appliances, etc. or try enhance revenue income.
- ➤ To improve process and materials efficiency, and in response to stakeholder requests for increased is closure.

1.3 Goals of Green Audit

College has conducted a green audit with specific goals as:

- Assess facility of different types of waste management.
- Increase environmental awareness throughout campus.
- Identification and documentation of green practices followed by university.
- Identify strengths and weaknesses in green practices.
- Conduct a survey to know the ground reality about green practices.
- Analyze and suggest solutions for problems identified from the survey.
- Identify and assess environmental risk.
- ➤ The long-term goal of the environmental audit program is to collect baseline data of environmental parameters and resolve environmental issues.
- To motivate staff for optimized sustainable use of available resources.

1.3 Objective of Green Audit

The general objective of green audit is to prepare a baseline report on biodiversity and other resources, measures to mitigate resource wastage and improve resource quality and sustainable practices. The specific objectives are:

- ➤ To prepare a checklist of flora and fauna diversity in and around the college campus.
- > To suggest measures to improve biodiversity within the college campus.
- > To monitor the energy consumption pattern of the college.
- > To assess the quantity of water usage within the college campus.
- To suggest sustainable energy usage and water conservation practices.
- ➤ To find out various sources of organic and solid waste generation and mitigation possibilities.
- ➤ To inculcate values of sustainable development practices through green auditmechanism.

1.5 About Criteria 7 of NAAC

National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) is a self-governing organization that rated the institutions according to the scores assigned at the time of accreditation of the institution. Green Audit has become a mandatory procedure for educational institutes under Criterion VII of NAAC. The intention of the green audits is to upgrade the environmental condition inside and around the institution. It is performed by considering environmental parameters like water and wastewater accounting, energy conservation, waste management, air, noise monitoring, etc. for making the institution eco-friendlier.

Students are the major strength of any academic institution. Practicing green action in any educational institution will inculcate the good habit of caring for natural resources in students. Many environmental activities like plantation and nurturing saplings and trees, Cleanliness drives, no vehicle day, Rainwater harvesting, etc. will make the students good citizens of the country. Through Green Audit, higher educational institutions can ensure that they contribute towards the reduction of global warming through Carbon Footprint reduction measures.

1.6 Benefit of Green Audit to an Educational Institute

There are many advantages of green audit to an Educational Institute.

- > It would help to protect the environment in and around the campus.
- Recognize the cost-saving methods through waste minimization and energyconservation.
- Empower the organization to frame a better environmental performance.
- ➤ It portrays a good image of the institution through its clean and green campus.
- More efficient resource management.
- > To create a green campus.

- ➤ To enable waste management through reduction of waste generation, solid and waste.
- ➤ To create plastic-free campus and evolve health consciousness among the Stakeholder.
- Recognize the cost-saving methods through waste minimizing and managing.
- Authenticate conformity with the implemented laws.
- Empower the organizations to frame a better environmental performance.
- Enhance the alertness for environmental guidelines and duties.
- Impart environmental education through systematic environmental managementapproach and Improving environmental standards.
- Benchmarking for environmental protection initiatives.
- Financial savings through a reduction in resource use.
- Development of ownership, personal and social responsibility for the University and its environment.
- Developing an environmental ethic and value systems in youngsters.
- ➤ Green auditing should become a valuable tool in the management and monitoring of environmental and sustainable development programs of the University.
- Finally, it will help to build a positive impression through green initiatives for the upcoming NAAC visit.

1.7 <u>Introduction of Auditing Firm</u>

NameofFirm	M/s. Sonar Bharat Environment & Ecology (P) Ltd. 35, C. R. Avenue, 3 rd floor, Kolkata - 700012	
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1.8 <u>List of Instruments</u>

Following are the instrument used at the time of the Energy Audit.

Sr.	Instrument	Make/Sr.No.
1	Digital LUX Meter	HTC/2222600
2	Digital Micro OHM Meter	Innova/I-259
3	Digital Multi Meter	Kusam Meco/162180630
4	Digital Clampmeter	Waco/1910149152
5	Meger	Waco/307421
6	Load analyser	Waco/2954563

1.9 <u>List of Laboratory Instruments for Environmental Monitoring</u>

SI. No.	Name of Equipment	Make	Model
1	GAS CHROMATOGRAPH	VARIAN	CP3800
	WITH FID, TSD.		
2	GAS CHROMATOGRAPH	VARIAN	CP 3800
	MASS SPECTROMETER		SATURN 2200
	WITH ECD		
3	GAS CHROMA TOGRAPH	DANI	Master GC
	WITH FID for Air		
4	ION CHROMATOGRAPH	Thermo Fisher	DIONEXICS
		Scientific	1100
5	H.P.L.C.	VARIAN	SERIES 200
6	FTIR	Thermo Fisher	Nicolet IS10
		Scientific	
7	ATOMIC ABSORPTION	VARIAN	AA 2406TA
	SPECTRROPHOTOMETER		120
8	MERCURY ANALYSER	EC	MAS 5840
9	FLAME PHOTOMETER	LOWERENCE	381
		& MAYO	
10	SPECTRO PHOTOMETER	VARIAN	CARY 50
11	BOD INCUBATOR	MULTISPAN	DIGITAL
12	ELECTRONIC MICRO	Citizen	CMSF
	BALANCE		

1.10 List of Field Equipment Department

Sl. No.	Name of Equipment	Make	Model
1	Field Dust Sampler	Envirotech/Lata	APM – 550, PM
		Envirotech	2.5 & 10
2	Respirable Dust Sampler	Envirotech/Lata	APM-460BL
		Envirotech	
3	Stack Kit Sampler	Envirotech/Lata	APM-620, PM-
		Envirotech	602
4	Sound Level Meter	Envirotech	SLM-101
	(AUTOMEDTIC)		
5	Sound Level Meter	Lutron	SLM-4001
6	Local Air Quality Sampler	Vayubodhan	APM-414
7	Auto Metric Whather	Spectrum	WM-272
	Monitor	Technology	
8	Depth Sampler	NA	NA

1.11 General steps involved in Green Audit

- a) Systematic and exhaustive data collection.
- b) Evidence based documentation of activities.
- c) Regular monitoring.
- d) Provide standards and methods for improvement by establishing cost effective green action plan.

CHAPTER – 2

KATWA COLLEGE

2.1 Introduction

The College accommodates thousands of first generation learners from the economically backward section of the rural/semi-rural population. The College tries to attract students from the minority community as far as possible. The College endeavors to inculcate communal harmony among the learners. The College achieved the status of an undergraduate College in 1959. The main campus comprises the Main Building, Science Building, B.Ed Building, Boys' Common Room, Girls' Common Room, Canteen, Administrative Building and a Post office. The second campus holds the Girls' Hostel, Principal's Quarter and Teaching Staff quarters. On the third campus stands the Boys' Hostel. The Sports Ground of the College forms the fourth campus of the College.

At the outset, the College was affiliated to Calcutta University until Burdwan University was established on 16th June 1960. The College was included into 2(f) and 12(b) categories under UGS Act. 1956 in the year 1959. The College enjoys Grant-in-Aid financial status under the Government of West Bengal.

The College sporadically suffered from an acute staff shortage, both of teaching and non-teaching staff. The College has tried to address the crisis by employing Govt. Approved Part-timers and Contractual lecturers and also by recruiting temporary teachers s and when required.

2.2 <u>History of College</u>

During World war II, the apprehension of bombardement of Kolkata endangered exodus of people from the city Kolkata on an alarming scale as a result, the authorities of the big non Government Colleges in Kolkata in a 'dispersal' scheme proposed off-shoots of those colleges in different parts of West Bengal, miles away from the capital of which Katwa was one. True to tell, the prople of Katwa then sqarely refused to accept the proposal of an off shoot college at Katwa but the truth was that the govt. policy of dispersal scheme itself was enough to enthuse their minds an acclaimed social leader. Late Jitendra Nath Maitra was the pioneer, and he was later joined by many distinguished personalities

of the locality, notable amoung them were Prof. P.N. Mukherjee, Prof. S. N. Banerjee, Dr. P. N. Bandyopadhya, Prof. S.P. Mukherjee, Dr. Haramohan Sinha and the renowned Bengali poets like Kalidas Roy and Kumud Ranjan Mallick who threw their weight behind the establishment of a college at Katwa. Their sincere and indefatigable efforts took on a tangible from with the inauguration of the college on 16th August. 1948.

To begin with the college was started as an intermediate college housed in Surya Narayan Memorial Hall of K D Institution with around 140-150 students. As a unique example of co-operation towards the growth of higher educational institution, the people of this locality then donated not less then Rs. 32,000/- (Thirty two thousand) the present currency valuation being at least ten times. Not only that the then Managing Committee of KDI donated to the college authorities a concrete building of four rooms and a portion of the school land which a part of the existing main building of the college was erected thereafter the college authorities made no mistake to take up the right measures at the right moment with the result that in 1959 the college achieved the status of a full fledged undergraduate college along with its affiliation to the UGC as well as sanction of a building grant Rs. 1,95,000/- there form. Withstanding the wear and tear of time and two devastating floods, the College now stands with towering glory to fulfill the mission and the vision of the organizers.

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considered as the second biggest affiliated college under Burdwan University. This shows that from the very humble beginning, the college has progressive evolved into a big undergraduate college, offering coeducation and three year under-graduate honours and general courses in Humanities Sciences and Commerce as well as one-year B.Ed courses.

2.3 <u>Institutional Strength, and Weakness</u>

Institutional Strength

- The College has a vast landed area.
- Uninterrupted supply of safe drinking water, power and internet/wifi is available in the campus.
- The College has low-cost hostel facilities for both boys and girls.
- The College hosts a Post Office which serves the local community
- The College has multi-gym funded by athe State Government.
- The institution has its own staff quarters for its faculties.
- The Institution is well connected by road and railways.
- The NSS and NCC units carry out rural extension work on a regular basis.
- The College has its own playground.
- The Institution has a medicinal plant garden.
- The College offers Science subjects (both Honors & General courses) to the students.
- The College also runs a Govt. aided B.Ed. department.
- The College has an exclusive Morning section for girls.
- The College publishes a peer reviewed double blinded international research journal named International Journal of Research on Social and Natural Sciences and multilingual academic journal called String twice a year.
- The College motivates its teachers to take up research and MRPs and act as co-guides supervising doctoral works.
- There is a cordial relationship and good integrity amoung the stakeholders of the the Institition.

Institutional Weakness

- The College suffers from a shortage of classrooms.
- The number of toilets for the learners is limited.
- The Library has an acute space shortage.
- There is shortage of space in the Laboratories with the number of students increasing every year.

- The College suffers from an adverse teacher-student ratio; however vacant posts are now getting filled up.
- The College is run by a skeletal structure of non-teaching staff.
- There is no computer laboratory for the students.
- The learners are weak in communicative English. Nevertheless, the College is about to make a contract with an institute which will train students in spoken English.
- Result in the general section is not up to the mark since most students are first generation learners and come from a very weak economic background.
- Non-settlement of building grant received under X-th plan for construction of a new Ladies Hostel.
- There is no full-time Facility in the General section of the Morning Shift.
- There is no provision for proper chemical waste disposal inside the Campus.
- There is no provision for proper e-waste disposal.

2.4 Vision of the College:

- The vision of the College gradually changed with time, especially with spreading literacy mission all over West Bengal. The College tries to attract students from the minority community as far as possible. This is more important in the case of girls from the minority, who are admitted to the Morning section of the College which exclusively serves girls. The College endeavours to inculcate communal harmony amoung the learners by convening Saraswati puja as well as observing Navi Diwas.
- The College adopts an inclusive approach through expanding the scope of education to farther areas beyong the immediate rural belt surrounding the townships. Thus the College ventured to accommodate students from as many as the four districts, to acknowledge the collective aspiration of the prospective students from this rural belt for social identity. Simultaneously the College allows special assistance to the SC/ST and minority students. The rise in the numbers of the first generation learners became a salient feature in the rural belt mentioned earlier. This resulted in continual rise in the intake of students in the College. The College was doing its

best to cater higher education to this increasing mass of aspiring students.

2.5 <u>Mission of the College</u>:

The mission of College is 'Advancement of Learning' – the method followed to achieve the supreme good for one self. Here in this college, the goal is to serve the students, mostly as they are, coming from economically, socially, and educationally constrained circumstances by providing them quality education by:

- i) Exposing young minds to advanced scientific topics and imparting hands-on training with sophisticated analytical instruments.
- ii) To establish in the college as a potential centre of reaserch activities thus creating a strong tradition of deep-rooted academic culture and an ambience that favours the scholarly activities of the faculty.
- iii) Imparting a character-building education by a balanced development of the body (physical) and soul (spiritual) so that the students may turn out to be wise citizens able to shoulder the responsibility of the Nation.
- iv) Developing a culture of labour and servce, focus and perseverance, simple living and high thinking is transmitted to the students who are the future of the nation.

Location of the College

The College is situated at Dukbanglow Road, katwa Town, in the district of East Burdwan.

Communication and Transportation

The College is well connected by bus and train. The College is located 1.5 km. from Katwa railway station and bus stand is 2 km from the college. Distance from Katwa College to netaji Subhas Ch. Bose Airport is around 145.8 Kms.

GREEN AUDIT METHODOLOGY

3.1 <u>Utility of Green Auditing</u>

Green audit is used to improve existing anthropogenic activities, with the object to reduce the adverse effects of these activities upon environment. An environmental auditor will study an organization's efforts to conserve the environment in a systematic and documented manner and will produce an environmental audit report.

3.2 Objectives of the Study

The basic objective of green audit is to promote environment management and conservation in the college campus. Purpose of the audit is to identify, quantify, describe and prioritize the framework of environmental sustainability in compliance with the applicable regulations, policies and standards. Major objectives of carrying out green audit are:

- To introduce an awareness among the students regarding real concerns of environment and its sustainability.
- To secure the environment and cut down the threats posed to human health by analyzing the pattern and extent of resource use on the campus.
- To establish a baseline data to assess future sustainability by avoiding the interruptions in environment that are more difficult to handle and their corrections requires high cost.
- To bring out a present status report on environmental compliance.

3.3 Methodology

In order to perform green audit, methodology included different techniques such as physical inspection of the campuses, observation and review of the documentation, interviewing key persons and data analysis, measurement of the present status of environment management in the campuses:

- Water quality assessment, consumption and management
- · Air quality assessment and management
- Electricity consumption and management
- Sound pollution monitoring
- Waste management
- Bio diversity status of the campus
- Land use and land coverage
- Rain water Harvesting
- Use of alternate energy sources.

LAND USE ANALYSIS, KATWA COLLEGE, WEST BENGAL

4.1 General overview of the concept of landuse:

Land use refers to man's activities and the various uses which are carried on and derived from land. Viewing the earth from space, it is now very crucial in man's activities on natural resource. In situations of rapid changes in land use, observations of the Earth from space give the information of human activities and utilization of the landscape.

4.2 Methodology adopted for land use mapping

Three types of data that are GPS points, field survey data and Google earth data for Geo-referencing have been used in this study. Land use map of the study area have been prepared using field survey

CLASSIFICATION SCHEME FOR LAND USE ANALYSIS OF BUILT UP AREA

Level-l	Level-II
1. Built- up land area	1.1 Dense
	1.2 Moderate
	1.3 Sparse

Therefore, attempt has been made in this study to map land use for Katwa College with a view to detect the land consumption in the built-up land area.

LAND USE DATA OF COLLEGE OF KATWA COLLEGE

CATEGORIES OF LAND USE	AREA IN SQ METRES
OPEN SPACE AND PLANTATION	4771.21
Ground Coverage	3290.03
TOTAL AREA	8061.24

Ground coverage of 40.82% (i.e 3290.03 sq metres) consists of the buildings.

FINDINGS:

Katwa College, which was established in the year 1948, has an ecofriendly environment. It has a long legacy of healthy environmental practices including periodic plantation, their preservation and maintenance. Its land use is such that about 59.18% of the total area is occupied by open land and plantation that generates a better and sustainable campus environment.

WATER QUALITY ASSESSMENT CONSUMPTION & MANAGEMENT

Water quality analysis was conducted by Qualissure Laboratory Services

Water Quality Analysis Test Report 5.1

DOC NO: QLS/SAMP/08-D/00

Report No. : QLS/W/21-22/C/477 Name & Address Of the Customer:

Date : 21.09.2021 Sample No. : QLS/MR/21-22/477 M/s. Katwa College Sample Description : Drinking Water Dukbanglow Road, Katwa, Purba Bardhaman – 713 130. Sample Mark : Office Aqua guard Date of Performance : 09.09.2021-18.09.2021

Sample Drawn On : 07.09.2021

Analysis Result

(A) Microbiological Analysis

	SI. No.	Characteristic	ristic Limit as per Drinking Water Standard : IS:10500, 2012Amd. 2		Result	
	1.	Total Coliform Bacteria/100ml	Not Detectable	IS 15185-2016	Not Detected	
2.		E.coli /100ml	Not Detectable	IS 15185: 2016	Not Detected	

(B) Chemical Analysis

SI.	Test Parameter	Test Method	As per Drinking Water Standard : IS:10500, 2012 RA: 2018 Amd. 1 & 2		Result
No.	rest raiameter	rest Method	Acceptable Limit	Permissible Limit	Result
1.	pH Value at 25°C	IS 3025 (Part 11)- 1984 (RA: 2019)	6.5-8.5	No Relaxation	7.59
2.	Turbidity in NTU	IS 3025 (Part 10)- 1984 (RA: 2017)	1	5	<1.0
3.	Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) in mg/l	IS 3025(Part 16)- 1984 (RA: 2017)	500	2000	344
4.	Calcium(as Ca) in mg/I	IS 3025 (Part 40)- 1991 (RA: 2019)	75	200	57.1
5.	Chloride(as Cl) in mg/l	IS 3025 (Part 32)- 1988 (RA: 2019)	250	1000	60.1
6.	Iron (as Fe) in mg/I	IS 3025(Part 53)-1988 (RA: 2019)	1.0	No Relaxation	0.18
7.	Magnesium(as Mg) in mg/l	APHA 24 th Edition – 2023, 3500 Mg	30	100	29.5
8.	Nitrate (as NO ₃) in mg/l	IS 3025 (Part 34)-1988 (RA: 2019)	45	No Relaxation	< 0.5
9.	Free Residual Chlorine in mg/l	IS 3025 (Part 26): 1986(RA 2021)	0.2	1.0	<0.1
10.	Sulphate (as SO ₄) in mg/l	IS 3025 (Part 24)-1986, (RA: 2022)	200	400	32.2
11	Alkalinity (as CaCO₃) in mg/l	IS 3025 (Part 23)- 1986, (RA: 2019)	200	600	274.2
12.	Total Arsenic(as As) in mg/l	IS 3025 (Part 37):1988,(RA 2019)	0.01	No Relaxation	<0.01
13.	Total Hardness (as CaCO ₃) in mg/l	IS 3025 (Part 21): 2019	200	600	267.1

Drinking water facility at Katwa College

Total requirement of water is drawn from the bore well installed in the campus.

Water is used for drinking, canteen, toilets, laboratories, lavatories, gardening, cleaning and maintenance. The college campus has several water outlets. During the survey, no loss of water was observed, neither by leakages, or by over flow of water from overhead tanks. The data collected from the concerned departments was examined and verified. On an average the total use of water in the college in normal working day is 36,000 L/day, which include 20,000 L/day for non academic purposes, 10,000 L/day for gardening and 6,000 L/day for different laboratories.

AMBIENT AIR QUALITY ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT

6.1 Air Quality Test Report

DOC NO: QLS/SAMP/08-A/00

TEST REPORT

Report No. : QLS/MR/A/21-22/C/799
Date :21.09.2021

M/s. Katwa College
Dukbanglow Road, Katwa,
Purba Bardhaman – 713 130.

Report No. : QLS/MR/A/21-22/C/799
Date :21.09.2021
Sample No. : QLS/MR/A//21-22/799
Sample Description : Ambient Air
Sample Mark : Near Main Gate

Analysis Result

Sampling Done by: B. Mondal Environmental Condition: Partly Cloudy & Rainfall Barometric Pressure: 756 mm of Hg			Sampling done as per : CPCB Guidelines (Volume-1)		
			Average Temperature : 28°C		
			Average Humidity : 61%		
SI. No.	Pollutants	Result	Limit as	Method of Test Reference	
1	Particulate matter (<10μm) in μg/m³	65	100	IS: 5182 (Part-23), RA-2017	
2	Particulate matter (<2.5µm) in µg/m³	34	60	USEPA CFR-40,Part-50, Appendix-L	
3	Sulphur dioxide (SO ₂) in µg/m ³	6.4	80	IS: 5182 (Part-2)-2001, RA-2017	
4	Nitrogen dioxide (NO₂) in μg/m³	25.2	80	IS: 5182 (Part- 6)-2006, RA-2017	
	Carbon manoxide (CO) in µg/m3	691	2000	IS: 5182 (Part- 10):1999, RA-2014	

AMBIENT AIR TEST REPORT

DOC NO: QLS/SAMP/08-A/00

TEST REPORT

Name & Address Of the Customer:

M/s. Katwa College
Dukbanglow Road, Katwa,
Purba Bardhaman – 713 130.

Report No. : QLS/MR/A/21-22/C/800
Date :21.09.2021
Sample No. : QLS/MR/A/21-22/800
Sample Description : Ambient Air
Sample Mark : Near Main Gate

Analysis Result

Location: Near Staff room Gate			Date of sampling : 07.09.2021-08.09.2021		
Sampling Done by: B. Mondal			Sampling done as per : CPCB Guidelines (Volume-1)		
Environmental Condition: Partly Cloudy & Rainfall Barometric Pressure : 756 mm of Hg			Average Temperature : 28°C		
			Average Humidity	Average Humidity : 61%	
SI. No.	Pollutants	Result	Limit as	Method of Test Reference	
1	Particulate matter (<10μm) in μg/m ³	54	100	IS: 5182 (Part-23), RA-2017	
2	Particulate matter (<2.5µm) in µg/m³	27	60	USEPA CFR-40,Part-50, Appendix-L	
3	Sulphur dioxide (SO ₂) in µg/m ³	5.9	80	IS: 5182 (Part-2)-2001, RA-2017	
4	Nitrogen dioxide (NO ₂) in µg/m ³	26.5	80	IS: 5182 (Part- 6)-2006, RA-2017	
	Carbon manoxide (CO) in µg/m3	608	2000	IS: 5182 (Part- 10):1999, RA-2014	

CHAPTER – 7

NOISE MONITORING

7.1 Ambient Noise Monitoring Status:

DOC NO: QLS/SAMP/08-C/00

TEST REPORT

Name & Address Of the Customer :	Report No.	: QLS/MR/A/21-22/C/812
M/ K + 0 H	Date	: 21.09.2021
M/s. Katwa College Dukbanglow Road, Katwa,	Sample No.	: QLS/MR/A/21-22/812
Purba Bardhaman – 713 130.	Sample Description	: Ambient Noise
	Date of Performance	: 09.09.21-18.09.2021

Sampling Guideline : As per IS: 9876: 1981 (RA-2001)

Sample No. Date of Monitoring Location Leq dB (A) Day Time Leq dB (A) Night Time

812 07.09-08.09.2021 Near Main Gate 61.9 46.8

Code/ Category	Leq dB (A)Day Time	Leq dB (A)Night Time	<u>NOTE:</u> Day Time : 06.00 Hr. – 22.00 Hr. Night Time : 22.00 Hr. – 06.00 Hr.
A/Industrial	75	70	
B/Commercial	65	55	
C/Residential	55	45	
D/Ecological Sensitive	50	40	

Rain water Harvesting System

No arrangement has been made in the college to retain rain water.

ELECTRICITY CONSUMPTION (IN UNIT) AND MANAGEMENT

9.1 General Details:

Sl.No.	PARTICULARS	DETAIL	LS
1	Name & Address of College	Katwa College	
		Dukbanglow Road, Katwa, Purba Bardhaman –713 130	
	Web Site	https://surividyasagarcolle	
			.gc.org.m
2	Name of Contact Officer	Dr. Nirmalendu Sarkar	
	Designation	Principal	
	Name of Alternative Officer	Shri. Utpal Das	
	Designation	Associate Professor, IQA	C-CO-ordinator
3	Telephone No.	NA	
	Mobile No.	7001722941	
	Fax No.		
	e-mail ID	katcoll2009@gmail.com	
	No. of shift	7AM. TO 5 PM	
	No. of Employees (Approx)	103	
4	Electricity Consumption	Imported (Purchased) 1082	
5	Specific Energy Consumption	Fuel	Electricity
		18351	Rs. 9,252/-/- (Per month)
6	LPD	2505/-	
7	EPI	2.37	

9.2 **Electrical Details**

a) Transformers

	No. 1
Voltage Ratio	N/A
KVA	N/A
% Impendence	N/A

b) Electricity Consumption

	Particulars	Demand
A	Contract demand KVA	86.14
В	Maximum demand	86.14
С	Total Energy units consumed / year	12986
D	Avg. Power Factor(P.F.)	0.97
Е	Avg. Energy bills(Rs/year)	Rs.1,11,028/-

c) Detailed list of Electric Motors operating in the college

S.NO.	NAME OF THE PLANT	RATING OF	NO. OF MOTORS
		MOTOR (KW)	
1	Katwa College,	9.68 KW	5 nos.
	Dukbanglow Road, Katwa,		
	Purba Bardhaman – 713 130.		

d) Connected Load

	EQUIPMENT	TOTAL NUMBE RS	LOAD IN KW (TOTAL)
A	Motors : Greater than 10kW	NIL	NIL
	: Less than 10 kW	5Nos.	9.68 KW
В	AC & Ventilation with TR capacity		
a)	Others (Package ACs/ Split ACs / Windows ACs) & Generator	Room AC of S type – 90.00 KW	Split/Window
С	Total Process Load (in kW)	99.68 KW	
D	Total Lighting Load, Computer, Printer & Luminaries (KW) etc.		V
	Total Load (in kW)	219.13 KW	

A. Lux Measurements:

Sl.no.	Room	LUX level	Remarks
1.	Main Building		
	Ground Floor	302,299,303,296,299	
	1 st floor	300,302,304,302,303	
	2 nd floor	301,305,300,305,299	
2	Admin. Building		
	Ground Floor	301,303,305,300,304	
	1 st floor	296,302,304,302,308	
	2 nd floor	303,302,292,299,305	
3	Girls Hostel (New)		
	Ground Floor	299,296,304,304,301	
	1 st floor	305,303,300,296,303	
	2 nd floor	303,302,299,305,309	
	3 rd floor	295,301,304,300,304	
4	Boys Hostel		
	Ground Floor	304,302,302,306,299	
	1 st floor	303,301,302,299,301	
	2 nd floor	303,305,300,304,299	
5	Bio-Science Building		
	Ground Floor	301,302,303,305,299	
	1 st floor	304,300,294,300,303	
	2 nd floor	302,303,301,303,301	
6	Old Office Building		
	Ground Floor	299,303,304,301,302	
	1 st floor	300,296,304,306,302	
	2 nd floor	298,298,303,304,299	
7	B.Ed Building		
	Ground Floor	305,296,303,303,300	
	1 st floor	301,302,304,306,306	
	2 nd floor	300,304,307,302,301	

Illumination Level Comparison

Area	Average Lighting Level	NBC Recommended
	(LUX)	
Main Building	301	300-500
Admin. Building	302	300
Girls Hostel (New)	302	300
Boys Hostel	302	300
Bio-Science Building	301	300
Old Office Building	302	300
B.Ed Building	302	300

Remarks: Lights needs cleaning at an interval of one month and old light to be replaced by new to get desired LUX value

9.3 <u>Use of Alternate Energy</u>

There is no solar system available in the College campus area.

Waste ManageMent

The present Prime Minister of India Sri Narendra Modi launched 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan' (Clean India Mission) on 2nd October, 2014. In this mission, the proper use of dust/waste bins is one of the major priorities. To implement this mission, collective mass effort is necessary. For proper segregation and management proper use of waste bins is the only solution for waste management purpose in the college campuses.

10.1 Solid Waste

Katwa College has set up separate bins to ensure proper segregation and collection of the biodegradable, non-biodegradable and hazarders waste products generated in the campus. The responsibility of recyclable waste is however still not taken up due to devoid of recycling device to carry on the procedure. However, several solid wastes such as glass, cans, which and brown papers, batteries, print cartridges, cardboard, furniture, damage pen, carbon papers etc are either sold to vendors for recycling or despatch via municipality disposal van in regular basis. The biodegradable waste such as humas, rest portion of vegetables etc. which are used in college canteen, Staff quarters and Boys' and Girls' hostels are used for preparing bio fertilizers.



Fig. 1 : Solid Waste

10.2 Liquid Waste

The source of wastewater is Domestic Waste Water i.e., Sewage water. The liquid waste primarily from the department of Chemistry goes to a soak pit set up inside the campus which is connected to the Municipality sewerage system

10.3 E-Waste

Substantial qualtity of e waste is generated due to extensive use of computer.

All members particularly students have been advised not to throw used pendrive etc. any where, but to keep in designated bins.

E-Waste is accumulated in a separate room, stock of such waste as on date is quite substantial.



Fig. 2: E-Waste Material

Biodiversity status of the College Campus

11.1 Introduction

Katwa College campus is very rich in the term of biodiversity. To conserve this biodiversity, our first need is to learn about the existing diversity of the place. Unless we know whom to conserve, we will not be able to plan proper conservation initiatives. Also, it is important to have an understanding of the biodiversity of an area so that the local people can be aware of the richness of biodiversity of the place they are living in and their responsibility to maintain that richness.

11.2 Objective

The main objective of this study is to get a baseline data of bio-diversity of the area which will include:

- 1. Documentation of the floral diversity of the area: its trees, herbs, shrubs, climbers and aquatic vegetations.
- 2. Documentation of the major faunal groups like mammals, reptiles, amphibians, birds and among the insects, butterflies and dragonflies.
- 3. Documentation of the specific interdependence of floral and faunal life.

Survey Area

The green area of Katwa College covers approximately 0.49 acres out of 1.99 acres, which is about 25 percent of the total area, and is strategically distributed across different sections of the campus. The green spaces include gardens, courtyards, an open field, and a play ground, providing ample opportunities for relaxation, outdoor activities, and study in gina natural setting.

Location Map

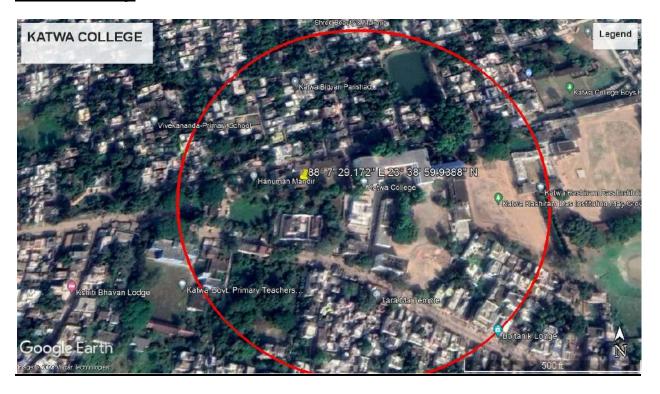


Fig. 3: Location map

11.3 Method of Study

Brief methodology for the floral and faunal survey is given below:

- a) Sampling was done mostly is random manner.
- b) Surveys were conducted for the maximum possible hours in day time.
- c) Tree species were documented through physical verification on foot and photographed each species as much as possible.
- d) The total area was surveyed by walking at day time.
- e) For faunal species we emphasized mainly on the direct sighting. Also call of various birds and amphibians and nesting of some faunal species were considered as direct evidences.
- f) Observing mammals depend critically on the size of the species and its natural history. Diurnal species are common and highly visible. Nocturnal species, however, are rare and difficult to detect. Small mammals like the field rats were found near their burrows, particularly during their entry or exit times in or out from their burrows respectively. In some cases, deposits and footprints were also observed that served as a potential clue for the presence and absence of the concerned species. These secondary evidences were all noted with time and space co-ordinates.
- g) Birds are often brightly coloured, highly vocal at certain times of the year and relatively easy to see. Sampling was done on the basis of direct sighting, call determination and from the nests of some bird species
- h) Reptiles were found mostly by looking in potential shelter sites like crevices of building, logs, tree hollows and leaf litter and also among and underneath the hedges. Sometimes some species, particularly the garden lizards were also observed in open spaces (on twigs and branches and even on brick constructions) while they were basking under direct and bright sunlight.

- i) Amphibians act as potential ecological indicators. However, most of them are highly secretive in their habits and may spend the greater part of their lives underground or otherwise inaccessible to biologists. These animals do venture out but typically only at night. They were searched near pond, road beside wetland and in other possible areas. Diurnal search operations are also successful.
- j) Active invertebrates like the insects require more active search. For larger winged insects like butterflies, dragonflies and damselflies, random samplings were carried and point sampling was also done.
- k) The easiest way to observe many of the invertebrates is simply looking for them in the suitable habitat or microhabitat. Searching was carried out under stones, logs, bark, in crevices in the walls and rocks and also in leaf litter, dung etc. slogs and snails are more conspicuous during wet weather and especially at night when they were found using torch.

11.4 Plant diversity in the College Campus

There are approximately 170 plants in the main campus of which 56 plants(approx.) are canopy trees, 28(Approx.) are plants of average length and 86(approx.) are small plants. There are 25 medicinal plants in the college Botanical Garden. These plants contribute to the Oxygen supply. The college observes Environment Day every year by planting new saplings.

These plants are listed and depicted as following:

List of the Major Plants of the Garden

কৃষ্চূড়া	বান্দরলাঠি	মিনজিরি
Delonix regia (Bojer ex Hook.) Raf. Family: Fabaceae; Clade: Rosids	Cassia fistula L. Family: Fabaceae; Clade: Rosids	Senna siamea (Lam.) H.S.Irwin&Barneby Family: Fabaceae; Clade: Rosids
(মহগনি	কলকচূড়া	वकूल
Swietenia mahagoni(L) Jacq. Family: Meliaceae; Clade: Rosids	Peltophorumpterocarpum(DC.) Backer ex K.Heyne Family: Fabaceae; Clade: Rosids	Mimusopselengi L. Family: Sapotaceae; Clade: Asterids
শিশু	শিরিষ	দেবদারু
Dalbergia sissooRoxb. ex DC. Family: Fabaceae; Clade: Rosids	Albizia lebbeck(L.) Benth. Family: Fabaceae; Clade: Rosids	Monoonlongifolium (Sonn.) B. Xue & R.M.K. Saunders Family: Annonaceae; Clade: Magnoliids
ঝাউ	<u> ছাত্তি</u> ম	নিম
Casuarina equisetifolia L. Family: Casuarinaceae; Clade: Rosids	Alstoniascholaris (L.) R.Br. Family: Apocynaceae; Clade: Asterids	Azadirachta indica A. Juss. Family: Meliaceae; Clade: Rosids
ইউক্যালিপটাস	সেগুন	বট
Eucalyptus tereticornis Sm. Family: Myrtaceae; Clade: Rosids	Tectona grandisL.f. Family: Lamiaceae; Clade: Asterids	Ficus benghalensis L. Family: Moraceae; Clade: Rosids
পাকুড়	আম	তাল
Ficus virensAiton Family: Moraceae; Clade: Rosids	Mangifera indica L. Family: Anacardiaceae; Clade: Rosids	Borassus flabellifer L. Family: Arecaceae; Clade: Commelinids
শারোঙ্গো	<u>চন্দ্রপ্রভা</u>	নাগলিঙ্গম
Gliricidiasepium(Jacq.) Kunth Family: Fabaceae; Clade: Rosids	Tecoma stans (L.) Juss. ex Kunth Family: Bignoniaceae; Clade: Asterids	Couroupitaguianensis Aubl. Family: Lecythidaceae; Clade: Asterids
(বল	কাঠ-বাদাম	Ach MorindacoreiaBuchHam. Family: Rubiaceae; Clade: Asterids
Aegle marmelos (L.) Correa Family: Rutaceae; Clade: Rosids	Terminalia catappa L. Family: Combretaceae; Clade: Rosids	raininy: Rubiaceae, Clade: Asterius
Kurchi HolarrhenapubescensWall. ex G.Don Family: Apocynaceae; Clade: Asterids		



Fig. 4: Major plant in the campus area

11.5 Medicinal Plants in the Campus:

A number of plants with medicinal properties are growing in the campus, specially in the medicinal plant garden.

SI. No.	Common Name	Scientific name	Uses	
1	Basak	Justicia adhatoda	Couth, colds, asthma, bronchodilator	
2	Apang	Achyranthes aspera Linn.	Anti inflammatory and uterine stimulant activity, rheumatism, Hydrophobie.	
3	Kalmech	Andrographis paniculata (Burm.f.)	Fever, dysentery, dyspepsia, improves liver function, Leaves – in case of irregular stool, losss of appetite; roots – given to children to cure general debility.	
4	Amlaki	Emblica officeinalis Gaertn	Fruits – treat vomiting, leprosy, piles, anaemia; leaves – in ophthalmia.	
5	Ramtulsi	Ocimum gratissimum Linn.	Leaves – Decoction of the leaf applied to treat septic wounds, Seeds – soaked in water and taken very cooling and refreshing drink.	
6	Jaba	Hibiscus rosasinensis Linn.	Flowers – in black colour of hair, female disease; leaves – soothing, used in growth of hair, Roots – in cold.	
7	Telakucha	Coccinia grandis (Linn.) Voigt	Roots – in case of vomiting, burning sensation of hands and feet; Leaves – in cough and skin disease.	
8	Arshagandha	Wythaniasomnifera	Root, Leaf, Fruits and Seed	
9	Akanda	Calotropisagigantea	Bark, Root, Leaf, Latex, Flower	
10	Ayapan	Eupatorium triplinerve	Whole Plants	
11	Tulsi	Ocimum sanctum	Leaf	
12	Kari pata	Murrayakoenigii	Root, Leaf, Fruit	
13	Bisallakaroni	Barlerialupulina	Leaf	
14	Kulephara	Hygrophilaschulli	Whole plant	
15	Gurmar	Gymnemasylvestre	Root, Leaf, Fruit	
16	Grikumari	Aloe vera	Leaf	
17	Thankuni	Cantellaasiatica	Leaf	
18	Nayantara	Catharanthusroseus	Whole Plants	
19	Neem	Azadirachtaindica	Bark, Leaf, Yound Stem, Unripedfuit, Seed Oil	
20	Basak	Adhatodavasika	Leafd, Flower, Bark, Root	
21 22	Bisllakarani Bel	Gendarussa Vulgaris Aeglemarmelos	Leaf Root, Young Leaf, Flower, Ripe and Unriped Fruit	
23	Sarpagan Jha	Raunolfiaserpentina	Leaf	
24	Sughni	Marsileaminuta	Whole Plant	
25	Karabi	Neriumodorum	Root, Leaf, Bardk, Stem	
26	Black Tulsi	Ocimumtenuiflorum	Whole Plant, Leaf, Seed	
27	Muthagrass	Cyperusrotundus	Root	
28	Adlay millet	Coix lacryma-jobi	Fruit	
29	Blue porterweed	Stachytarpheta jamaicensis (Verbenaceae)	Root, leaves	



Fig. 5: Medicinal plant

11.6 Checklist of Reptiles:

Sl. No.	Common name	Scientific Name	Bengali Name
1	Checkered Keelback	Xenochrophis	Joldhora
		piscator	
2	Buff Striped Keelback	Amphiesma stolatum	Hele
3	Rat Snake	Zamenis longissimus	Darash
4	Skink	Lampropholis sp.	Anjani
5	Oriental Garden Lizard	Colotes versicolor	Girgiti
6	Common House Gecko/Gekko	Hemidactylus	Tiktiki
		frenotus	















Fig. 6 : Reptiles

11.7 Checklist of Birds:

A total of 59 types of bird species were found in the campus, which is quite a good number, in spite of the industrialized surrounding around it.

Total bird species encountered in the college campus.

SI. No.	. Common Name Scientific Name		
1		Dhalassassas finaisellis	
	Indian cormorant	Phalacrocorax fuscicollis	
2	Little cormorant	Microcarbo niger	
3	Little Egret	Egretta garzetta	
4	Cattle Egret	Bubulcus ibis	
5	Black Kite	Milvus migrans	
6	Black shouldered kite	Elanus axillaris	
7	Common kestrel	Falco tinnunculus	
8	Shikra	Accipiter badius	
9	White breasted water hen	Amaurornis phoenicurus	
10	Pond Heron	Ardeola grayii	
11	Common sandpiper	Actitis hypoleucos	
12	Yellow Footed Green pigeon	Treron phoenicoptera	
13	Rock pigeon	Columba livia	
14	Spotted dove	Spilopelia chinesis	
15	Ring necked dove	Streptopelia capicola	
16	Alexandrian parakeet	Psittacula eupatria	
17	Common Cuckoo	Cuculus canorus	
18	Spotted Owlet	Athene brama	
19	Common Hoopoe	Upupa epops	
20	Chestnut headed Bee-eater	Merops leschenaulti	
21	Green Bee-eater	Merops orientalis	
22	Black-rumped Flameback	Dinopium benghalense	
23	Brown-capped Pygmy Woodpecker	Yungipicus nanus	
24	Coppersmith Barbet	Megalaima haemacephala	
25	Blue throated Barbet	Megalaima asiatica	
26	Lineated Barbet	Megalaima lineata	
27	Brown-capped Woodpecker	Dendrocopos nanus	

SI. No.	Common Name	Scientific Name	
28	Brown Shrike	Lanius cristatus	
29	Long tailed Shrike	Lanius schach	
30	House Sparrow	Passer domesticus	
31	Black hooded Oriole	Oriolus xanthornus	
32	Golden Oriole	Orious oriolus	
33	Black Drongo	Dicrurus macrocercus	
34	Bronze winged Drongo	Dicrurus aeneus	
35	Common Myna	Acridotheres tristis	
36	Asian pied Starling	Gracupica conta	
37	Chestnut tailed Starling	Sturnia malabarica	
38	Jungle Myna	Acridotheres fuscus	
39	Rufous Treepie	Dendrocitta vagabunda	
40	Common Crow	Corvus brachyrhynchos	
41	Red vented Bulbul	Pycnonotus cafer	
42	Red whiskered Bulbul	Pycnonotus jocosus	
43	Common Prinia	Prinia inornata	
44	Ashy Prinia	Prinia socialis	
45	Common Babbler	Turdoides caudata	
46	Brown breasted Flycatcher	Muscicapa muttui	
47	Taiga Flycatcher	Ficedula albicilla	
48	Tailorbird	Orthotomus sutorius	
49	Bluethroat	Luscinia svecica	
50	Pied Bushchat	Saxicola caprata	
51	Oriental Magpie robin	Copsychus saularis	
52	Pale billed Flowerpecker	Dicaeum erythrorhynchos	
53	White Wagtail	Motacilla alba	
54	Pied Wagtail	Motacilla alba	
55	Yellow Wagtail	Motacilla flava	
56	Citrine Wagtail	Motacilla citreola	
57	Purple rumped Sunbird	Leptocoma zeylonica	
58	Silver billed Munia	lonchura punctulata	
59	White throated Fantail	Rhipidura albicollis.	

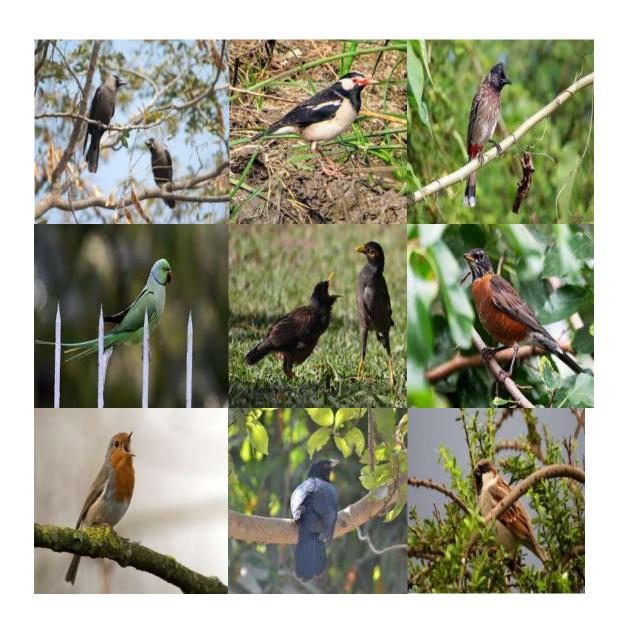


Fig. 7: Local Birds

11.8 Checklist of Mammals:

SI. No.	Common name	Scientific name	Bengali name
1	Indian palm squirrel	Funumbulus sp.	Kathberali
2	Frugivorous bat	Suborder Megachiroptera	Badur
3	Insectivorus bat	Suborder Microchiroptera	Chamchike
4	House mouse	Mus musculus	Indur
5	Rat	Rattus norvegicus	Dhere indur
6	Cat	Felis Catus	Biral
7	Dog	Canis lupus familiaris	Kukur
8	Rabbit	Oryctolagus cuniculus	khargosh



Fig. 10: Mammals

11.09 Checklist of Ferns and Seasonal Flowers

SI.	Local Name	Common Name	Scientific Name
No.			
1.	Bird-nest-Fern	Bird-nest Fern	Asplenium sp.
2.	Fern sp.		
3.	Fishtail Fern	Fishtail Fern	Microsorum
			punctatum
4.	Oakleaf Fern	Oakleat Fern	Drynaria quercifolia
5.	Dog flower, Snadragon	Dog flower, Snapdragon	Antirrhinum majus
6.	Garden stock, Common	Garden stock, Common stock	Matthiola incana
	stock		
7.	Gazania	Gazania	Gazania sp.
8.	Gladiolus	Gladiolus	Gladiolus sp.
9.	Himsagar	Flaming katy, Florist kalanchoe	Kalanchoe
			blossfelddiana
10.	Maiden Pink	Maiden Pink	Dianthus deltoids
11.	Mike Ful	Amaryllis	Hippeastrum sp.
12.	Pansy, Garden Pansy	Pansy, Garden Pansy	Viola tricolor var.
13.	Petunia	Petunia	Petunia hybrid
14.	Verbena	Verbena	Verbena sp.



Fig. 11 : Flower of the college premises

CHAPTER - 12

GREEN INITIATIVES

Katwa College aims to protect and conserve its biodiversity, fresh and clean ambiance through the following green initiatives to protect and conserve nature.

12.1 <u>Plantation Programme</u>

Plantation programme of Katwa College promotes environment management and conservation in the college campus with the following objectives:

- i) To motivate the students to keep their surroundings green and clean by undertaking plantation of trees.
- ii) Promote ethos of conservation of water by minimizing the use of water.
- iii) Motivate students to imbibe habits and life style for minimum waste generation, source separation of waste and disposing the waste to the nearest storage points.
- iv) To create awareness amongst public and sanitary workers, so as to stop the indiscriminate burning of waste which causes respiratory diseases.
- v) To minimize the use of plastic bags, not to throw the min public places as they choke drains and sewers, cause water logging and provide breeding ground for mosquitoes.
- vi) Organize tree plantation programmes, awareness programmes such as Quiz, essay, painting competitions, rallys, nukkad natak etc. regarding various environmental issues and educate children about re-use of waste material & preparation of products out of waste
- vii) Organize Nature Trail in Wild Life Sanctuaries/Parks/Forest are as to know about the Bio-diversity.

12.2 Green computing practice

Being an academic institution, papers are used for various purposes like exam answer sheets, circulars, notices, office work, document printing, and Xeroxing. Since the trees are cut for paper manufacturing, the sequestration of carbon is reduced increasing carbon footprint. To cut down the carbon footprint, the university administration and various departments follow paperless methods of communication by using emails, online forms submission, etc. The paperless work was helpful in reducing tons of CO₂. The tons of biomass are saved by this green computing practice

<u>CHAPTER – 13</u>

Consolidation of Audit Findings

Green Audit will create a greater appreciation and under-standing of the impact of college activities on the environment. Katwa College has successfully been able to identify the impacts on the environment through the various auditing exercises. The green auditing exercise has brainstormed and provided insights on practical ways to reduce negative impact on the environment. Participating in this green auditing procedure has increased knowledge about the need of maintaining sustainability of the college campus. It will create awareness around the use of the Earth's resources in your home, college, local community and beyond. Katwa Colleges hold adopt an Environmentally Responsible Purchasing Policy, and work towards creating and implementing a strategy to reduce the environmental impact of its purchasing decisions. White good producing companies are rapidly developing in the area of energy efficiency.

13.1 Preparation of Action Plan

Management's policies referring to College and approach towards the use of resources need to be considered in purview of green audit report. An environmental policy should be formulated by the management of the college. The college should have a policy on green awareness raising or training programmes for students and staff, seminars on Environment Awareness are often organized by different departments of the institution, green awareness policy right from kitchen staff to procurement policy by the management. Based on the policies, college should have an action plan. The green auditing report will be a base line for the action plan to be evolved.

13.2 Follow up Action and Plans

Green Audit is an exercise which generates considerable quantities of valuable environment and resource management information. The time and effort and cost involved in this exercise is often considerable and in order to be able to justify this expenditure, it is important to ensure that the findings and recommendations of the audit are considered at the correct level within the organization and action plans and implementation programmes will be conducted n the basis of the audit findings.

13.3 Environmental Education

The following environmental education programmes may be implemented in the college before the next green auditing:-

Training programmes in solid waste management, liquid waste management setting up of biodiversity garden, tree management, medicinal plant nursery, vegetable cultivation, water management, energy management, landscape management, pollution mitigation methods, and water filtration methods.

- Give priority to environmental clubs and its programmes
- Set up model rainwater harvesting system, vegetable garden, medicinal plant garden, butterfly garden etc.
- Conduct exhibition on throw away plastic danger, recyclable products etc.
- Display various slogans and pictures to protect environment.
- Implement chemical treatment system for waste water from the laboratories and incinerators.

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ConClusion and ReCommendations

Green Audit is the most efficient way to identify the strength and weakness of environmental sustainable practices and to find a way to solve problem. Green Audit is one kind of professional approach towards a responsible way in utilizing economic, financial, social and environmental resources. Green audits can "add value" to the management approaches being taken by the college and is a way of identifying, evaluating and managing environmental risks (known and unknown). There is scope for further improvement, particularly in relation to waste, energy and water management. The college is recent years consider the environmental impacts of most of its actions and makes a concerted effort to act in an environmentally responsible manner. Even though the college does perform fairly well, the recommendations in this report highlight many ways in which the college can work to improve its activities and become a more sustainable institution.

14.1 Suggestions

- a) Adopt the proposed Environmentally Responsible Purchasing Policy, and work towards creating and implementing a strategy to reduce the environmental impact of its purchasing decisions.
- b) Increase recycling education on campus.
- c) Increase awareness of Environmentally Sustainable Development Use every opportunity to raise public, government, industry, foundation, and college awareness by openly addressing the urgent need to move toward an environmentally sustainable future.
- d) Collaborate for Interdisciplinary Approaches Convene college faculty and administrators with environmental practitioners to develop interdisciplinary approaches to curricula research initiatives, operations, and outreach activities that support an environmentally sustainable future.
- e) Adopt the proposed Environmentally Responsible Purchasing Policy, and work towards creating and implementing strategy to reduce the environmental impact of its purchasing decisions.
- f) Increase reduce, reuse, and recycle education on campus.

14.2 Recommendations:

- a) Declare the campus plastic free and implement it thoroughly.
- b) General housekeeping needs to be improved. Scrap, waste materials were found scattered all over the campus. These needs to be accumulated and kept in designated place. Awarness programmes should be conducted more frequently. Inter class competition on cleanliness drive can be thought out.
- c) World Environment day to be celebrated in College premises every year on 5th June and whole College students and staff shall get involved and take OATH for ENVIRONMENT CONSERVATION not only in college but also in every span of life.
- d) Avoid plastic/thermocol plates and cups in the college level or department level functions.
- e) Regular checkups and maintenance of pipes, overhead tanks should be done by the engineering section to reduce overflow, leakages, and corrosions.
- f) Noise level monitoring shall be done as per the guideline of "Noise Pollution (Regulation and Control) Rules '2000'.
- g) The Biodiversity is to be maintained whole considering the plantation in future.
- h) The surroundings of the College should be keep clean.
- i) Awareness among students and staff about green environment shall be done use tools like display boards.
- j) Proper maintenance and reclamation of play grounds, belong to college.
- k) Exhause Gas shall be monitored, analysed and check regularly.
- I) Parking zone of college shall be net & clean.

Fire Extinguisher

Calibration of fire extinguisher should be done before expiration.

Medicinal Garden

- Medicinal Garden should be keep clean.
 Systematic plantation program should be drawn and implemented.
- > Total 33% area is to be reserved for plantation
- ➤ College have already introduced this practice which has been hampered due to pandemic. Organisation will restore this practice shortly.

Energy Consumption

- Replace incandescent and CFL lamps with LED Light
- > Replace LCD computer monitors with LED monitors.
- > Cleaning of tube lights/bulbs should be do neon a regular basis to remove dust.

Drinking Water

- Water usage reduction techniques to be used
- ➤ Water filters cum coolers should be regularly serviced and upgraded (if required) to minimize wastage of electricity and water.

Waste Water

➤ Waste water from all around the campus flows into the municipal drain and those drains must be cleaned in regular interval.

E-Waste

➤ No others material can be kept in E-Waste room.

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