

# 10 General Practices for an environment-friendly workplace

- 1 Segregate wastes.
- 2 Use biodegradable soaps.
- 3 Handle chemicals with care.  
(Read and follow instructions carefully)
- 4 Switch off lights and electrical appliances when not in use.
- 5 Save on gas.  
(Observe speed range: 80-100kph)
- 6 Save water.  
(Report/repair leaks)
- 7 Safety first.  
(Wear appropriate protective gadgets at work)
- 8 No smoking.
- 9 Know your color: GYR
- 10 Learn it. Do it.

## COLORS THAT MATTER

when it comes to . . .

	CHEMICALS	FIRE	SAFETY	WASTES
GREEN (G) →	Handle with care	3rd Priority	SAFE	Biodegradable (food, paper, leaves, wood)
YELLOW (Y) →	CAUTION	2nd Priority	CAUTION	Semi-biodegradable (plastic, styrofoam, tetrapacks)
RED (R) →	Hazardous	1st Priority	DANGER	Non-biodegradable (glass bottles, metals)

Source: PhilRice pocket size calendar

# The UNIVERSITY COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PLAN

## Main Objective

Unify all efforts of the different units of the university by developing personal behavior for wise and sustained management of the resources of the university through a “multi-faceted” participatory approach.

## Components

1. Environmental Non-formal Education Program (ENFEP)
2. Ecological Solid Waste Management Program (ECOSWAMP)
3. Dark Green School Program(DGS)
4. Green Technology and Productivity for Environmental Enhancement Program (GTPEEP)
5. Biodiversity Conservation and Management (BIOCOM) Program



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# University Comprehensive Environmental Management Plan

## THE SEVEN ENVIRONMENTAL PRINCIPLES

- EVERYTHING **MUST** GO SOMEWHERE
- **CHANGE**
- NATURE KNOWS BEST **NOW**
- NATURE IS **BE**AUTIFUL AND WE ARE THE STEWARDS OF GOD'S CREATION
- ALL **FO**RMS OF LIFE ARE IMPORTANT
- FINITENESS OF **RE**SOURCES
- EVERYTHING IS **LATE** (IT'S TOO) TO EVERYTHING ELSE

ONE CHANCE. ONE WORLD. OUR FUTURE

## Waste handling and schedule of collection

TYPE/KIND	COLLECTION DAY
<b>BIODEGRADABLES</b> grass clippings, leaves, fruit and vegetable peelings, crop residues, rice straw, kitchen left-overs, soiled napkins, chicken bones, dead insects, etc.	<b>MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY</b>
<b>RECYCLABLES or FACTORY RETURNABLES</b> paper, cardboard, bottles, hard plastics, metals, cans, selected batteries, ink cartridge, etc.	<b>TUESDAY</b>
<b>NON-RECYCLABLES (NON-COMPOSTABLE WASTES)</b> foil wrappers, sachets, plastic wrappers of candies and biscuits, broken glass/bottles, etc.	<b>THURSDAY</b>
<b>SPECIAL WASTE</b> paints, thinners, household batteries, lead acid batteries, oil, spray canisters, consumer electronics, tires, white goods or appliances, etc.	<b>SATURDAY</b>

## Car less Day

Every 4th Wednesday of the Month