



# St. Xavier's College Jaipur

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## “Ban on Single-Use Plastic Items and Disposable Coffee Cups in the College Building”

All staff and students are hereby informed that, as part of the institution's Green Campus and sustainability initiatives, **the use of single-use plastic items inside the college building is strictly discouraged.** This includes single-use plastic bottles, disposable plastic cups, plastic straws, plastic cutlery, plastic plates, and other similar plastic materials.

**Accordingly, disposable coffee/tea cups will not be served at the college building's tea and coffee distribution points from Monday onwards.**

**All members of the campus community are kindly requested to bring their own reusable coffee cups or mugs and reusable water bottles.**

### Reasons for this initiative

**Environmental Protection:** Single-use plastics contribute significantly to pollution and long-term environmental damage.

**Health Concerns:** Disposable plastic and plastic-lined cups may release microplastics when exposed to hot beverages.

**Waste Management:** Many single-use plastics are non-biodegradable and difficult to recycle.

**Government Compliance:** The initiative aligns with the Plastic Waste Management Rules implemented by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.

**Sustainable Campus:** Promotes the use of reusable bottles and cups to support a cleaner and greener campus.

*This initiative primarily supports SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production), while also contributing to SDG 13 (Climate Action), SDG 14 (Life Below Water), and SDG 15 (Life on Land).*

All members are requested to cooperate and actively support this initiative by adopting reusable alternatives and contributing to a sustainable and environmentally responsible campus environment.

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