


## Criterion VII- - Institutional Values and Best Practices

### Key Indicator – 7.1 Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities.

**Metric No: 7.1.1. Institution has a stated energy policy streamlining ways of energy conservation, use of alternate sources of energy for meeting its power requirements.**

## Institution's Energy Policy Document

  
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## Energy Policy Document

The energy policy of Indhira College of Education reflects our commitment to sustainability, efficiency, and responsible resource management. This document outlines our aims, objectives, scope, rules, regulations, and intended benefits regarding energy consumption and management within our institution.

### Aims and Objectives

- To reduce energy consumption and associated costs.
- To promote the use of renewable energy sources where feasible.
- To minimize our carbon footprint and environmental impact.
- To raise awareness among staff and students about energy conservation practices.
- To continually improve energy efficiency through technological advancements and behavioral changes.

### Scope

This policy applies to all areas within Indhira College of Education, including classrooms, administrative offices, common areas, and residential facilities. It encompasses electricity, heating, cooling, water usage, and transportation.

### Rules and Regulations

- All members of the college community are expected to conserve energy by turning off lights, computers, and other electrical devices when not in use.
- Heating and cooling systems should be used responsibly, and efforts should be made to maintain comfortable temperatures without unnecessary energy consumption.
- Energy-efficient appliances and equipment should be prioritized for procurement and maintenance.
- Renewable energy sources such as solar panels and wind turbines will be explored and implemented where feasible and cost-effective.
- Regular audits and assessments of energy usage will be conducted to identify areas for improvement and track progress towards energy efficiency goals.



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### Intended Benefits

- Reduction in energy costs, leading to financial savings for the college.
- Lower environmental impact and contribution to sustainability efforts.
- Education and engagement of staff and students in sustainable practices.
- Enhanced reputation and standing within the community as a responsible institution.

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