



VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY

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Date: 08.06.2026

NOTIFICATION

This is to notify for general information of the entire stakeholders of Vidyasagar University that in compliance of the directives under the State Government Order bearing No. 660(31)/1(2)-Edn (U)/HED-12016(99)/23/2026-UNIV SEC-Dept. of HE dated 22.05.2026, the University authority has initiated the enclosed action plan to reduce fuel and energy consumption, paperless functioning, waste reduction, promotion of using domestic product and healthy lifestyle (2026-2027).

All concerned are being requested to note and act accordingly.

This is issued with approval of the competent authority.

Sd/-
Registrar

Memo No. VU/R/Noti./764/2026 Dated: 08.06.2026

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. Deans of the Faculty concerned,
2. All Academic and Administrative Heads with a request to circulate the notification among all of his/her department,
3. The Director (In-Charge.) CDOE, with a request to circulate the notification among all of his/her department,
4. The Secretary to the Vice-Chancellor for kind information to the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,
5. The Sr. Information Scientist for wide circulation on the University website,
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7. Office Suptd Office of the Registrar,
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Action Plan to reduce Fuel and Energy consumption, Paperless functioning Waste reduction, Promotion of using domestic product and healthy lifestyle (2026-27)

To comply with the directives under State Govt. Order (No. 660(31)/1(2)-Edn(U)/HED-12016(99/23/2026-UNIV SEC-Dept. of H; Dated 22.05.2026) VIDYASAGAR UNIVERSITY prepared the following Action Plan for the session 2026-27

	Objective	Interventions			Measurable outcome (Targets with timeline)
		Immediate (Within one Month)	Medium-Term (One Year)	Long-Term (5 year)	
1	Reduction of Fuel Consumption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observation of no-vehicle day for sensitization among the stakeholders of the University • Promoting Online/ Video conference meeting (UG & PG Board of Studies; Ph.D Committee, RAC, Ph D Viva Voce Examination; Faculty Council; etc.) • Avoidance of non-essential travel to and from University by car (for the in-campus residents) • Maximum use of pool-car for daily transport to the University by teachers/officers and employees • Encouraging students/teachers/employees to use Public transport (University Bus) or Bi-Cycle • Limiting the numbers of External Members in any meeting to reduce car usage 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Introduction of Electric Bus apart from two conventional operating buses 2. More class rooms in each department to be equipped with online /video conference facilities 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Increase of residential facility for students, teachers and employees 2.Introduction of more e-bus/e-car and public transport facilities 	<p>10% reduction by One Month</p> <p>15% reduction by One Year</p> <p>25% reduction in 5 Years</p>

2	Energy conservation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reinforcement of NO AC DAY on the Wednesday of the 3rd Week of every month • Strengthening Green Army activities to look after energy conservation at department level • Revamping the existing practice of replacing energy efficient sensor based LED Lights and electronic gadgets • Promoting the use of solar power 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Replacement of more street lights with standalone solar lights 2. Maximum replacement of conventional systems by energy efficient LED Lights and electronic gadgets 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Total Replacement of street light with standalone solar light 2. Most of the roofs within University Campus will be covered with solar panel 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Energy use reduction by 5% in next 6 months 2. Maximum use of non-conventional energy 3. Total dependency on solar energy by next 5 years for street lighting
3	Paperless functioning	<p>Online circulation of notice/communication with telephonic reminder</p> <p>Paperless Examination:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Submission of Digital Copy of Dissertation/Field report/Project report by the students 2. Digital Copy of Ph.D Thesis for evaluation 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Total online circulation of Notice, Annual reports, Newsletter etc 2.Encouraging online examination for continuous assessment 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.More procurement of e-books and other digital resources 2. Supply of digital study materials and academic resources to the students 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5% reduction by 6 Months 10% reduction in 5 Years
4	Preference for domestically manufactured products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local art (<i>Pata Chitra (Cloth-based picture), Ornamental Dumplings (Bari) mat (Mandur)</i>) and other local products are to be showcased in University sales counter to promote locally available resource use • Initiative for date palm Juice extraction from about 60 Date palm trees within the University campus and production of value added items like Jaggery to promote use of local resource with the help of Nature club like 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Initiatives (awareness programs, workshop etc.) to promote use of local and domestic resource inside and outside the campus 2. Organisation of local food festival in the campus to promote 'Swadeshi' initiatives 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Continuous initiatives like awareness programs, workshop, Entrepreneurship programs etc. to promote use of local and domestic resource 2. Introduction of courses on local forest-based and domestic resource use 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> One such programs in next 6 months 5 such programs in 5 years

		previous years			
5	Efficient Waste Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthening the segregation of waste into wet and dry category at source at every department level monitored by department-level GREEN ARMY Encouraging conversion of plant-debris and wet waste into compost for use in the gardens 	More efficient segregation of waste, composting and recycling	Complete segregation of wet and dry waste and composting of wet waste and recycling of dry waste	1. 10% reduction of waste by recycling and composting in next 6 months; 2. Zero waste campus by 5 years
6	Adoption of healthy and sustainable lifestyle practices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> More courses on Yoga and Pranayam Sensitization of stakeholders about healthy food and sustainable lifestyle practices by observing Yoga Day, Food Week etc. More emphasis on extracurricular activities like sports, cultural activities etc. Introduction of Master Course in Sports science Awareness about use of less oil based foods. Avoidance of junk/packaged food in University Canteen / meeting and preference for local and traditional food Less use of plastic materials in all aspects 	More camps/courses on Yoga and Pranayam, self-defence courses etc. are to be introduced	1.Improvement of Infrastructure for sports, gymnasium and yoga are to be developed 2.More emphasis on extracurricular activities like sports, cultural activities etc.	1.50% of students will be incorporated in Yoga and Meditation Practice within 6 months 2.Total students will be incorporated in Yoga and Meditation Practice within one year