SWACHHATA PLEDGE

Mahatma Gandhi dreamt of an India which was not only free but also clean and developed.

Mahatma Gandhi secured freedom for Mother India.

Now it is our duty to serve Mother India by keeping the country neat and clean.

I take this pledge that I will remain committed towards cleanliness and devote time for this.

I will devote 100 hours per year, that is two hours per week, to voluntarily work for cleanliness.

I will neither litter nor let others litter.

I will initiate the quest for cleanliness with myself, my family, my locality, my village and my work place.

I believe that the countries of the world that appear clean are so because their citizens don't indulge in littering nor do they allow it to happen.

With this firm belief, I will propagate the message of Swachh Bharat Mission in villages and towns.

I will encourage 100 other persons to take this pledge which I am taking today.

I will endeavour to make them devote their 100 hours for cleanliness.

I am confident that every step I take towards cleanliness will help in making my country clean.

स्वच्छता शपथ

महात्मा गांधी ने जिस भारत का सपना देखा था उसमें सिर्फ राजमैतिक आजादी ही नहीं थी, बल्कि एक स्वच्छ एवं विकसित देश की कल्पना भी थी। महात्मा गांधी ने गुलामी की जंजीरों को तोड़कर माँ भारती को आज़ाद कराया। अब हमारा कर्तव्य है कि गंदगी को दूर करके भारत माता की सेवा करें। मैं शपथ लेता हूं कि मैं स्वयं स्वच्छता के प्रति सजग रहूंगा और उसके लिए समय दूंगा।

हर वर्ष 100 घंटे यानी हर सप्ताह 2 घंटे श्रमदान करके स्वच्छता के इस संकल्प को चरितार्थ करूंगा।

में न गंदगी करूंगा न किसी और को करने दूंगा।

सबसे पहले मैं स्वयं से, मेरे परिवार से, मेरे मुहल्ले से, मेरे गांव से एवं मेरे कार्यस्थल से शुरुआत करूंगा।

में यह मानता हूं कि दुनिया के जो भी देश स्वच्छ दिखते हैं उसका कारण यह है कि वहां के नागरिक गंदगी नहीं करते और न ही होने देते हैं।

इस विचार के साथ में गांव-गांव और गली-गली स्वच्छ भारत मिशन का प्रचार करूंगा।

में आज जो शपथ ले रहा हूं, वह अन्य 100 व्यक्तियों से भी करवाऊंगा।
वे भी मेरी तरह स्वच्छता के लिए 100 घंटे दें, इसके लिए प्रयास करूंगा।
मुझे मालूम है कि स्वच्छता की तरफ बढ़ाया गया मेरा एक कदम पूरे भारत
देश को स्वच्छ बनाने में मदद करेगा।







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आदरणीय महोदया/महोदय,

As you are aware, Swachhata Pakhwadas are being organized since April, 2016 with the objective of bringing a fortnight of intense focus on the issues and practices of swachhata. This is the 9th consecutive year of "Swachhata Pakhwada" implementation.

As done in the previous years, this year also the Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) are requested to formulate and implement their plans for organizing 'Swachhata Pakhwada' during 1st to 15th September, 2024 and give wide publicity to the same to make it a grand success.

The consolidated report containing summary of activities conducted, number of participants mobilized and High resolution images of the activities, may kindly be shared at ebsb-edu@gov.in. A list of indicative activities that may be undertaken during the Pakhwada is enclosed as **Annexure**

The HEIs are also requested to share the activities undertaken by their respective Institutions in the University Activity Monitoring Portal (UAMP) https://uamp.ugc.ac.in.

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संलग्नकः उपरोक्तानुसार

सेवा में, सभी विश्वविद्यालयों के कुलपति। सभी महाविदयालयों के प्राचार्य।

Swachhata Pakhwada Suggestive activities on Community Engagement

Following are the suggestive Swachhata Pakhwada Activities may be taken up by the Ministries and Departments during the oberveance of their Swachhata Pakhwada

- 1. Shraamdaan activities in the nearby locality
- 2. Repair and renovation of Public Toilets, Schools, Anganwadis Toilets
- 3. Mass awareness activities on Swachhata Theme
- 4. Cleaning of nearby Villages, Schools, Anganwadis, PHCs, Collages or any Public Places
- 5. Engagement of local celebrities
- 6. Swachhata Seminars, Trainings, Workshops
- 7. Exhibition on Waste to Wealth
- 8. Swachhata Raths, Rallies,
- 9. Mass Swachhata Pledge
- 10. Cleaning of Ponds, Rivers, Beaches
- 11. Plantation drives
- 12. Selfy Booth
- 13. Signature Campaigns
- 14. Swachhata thematic paintings
- 15. Press Conference
- 16. Use of Social Media
- 17. Campaign on discarding the use of Single Use Plastic
- 18. Organising Nukad Natak on Swachhata theme
- 19. Nationwide mega "Plogging" event during the Pakhwada
- 20. The Swachh Bharat Anthem and other relevant IEC materials may be displayed at various strategic locations