



Evidence(s) THE-Impact Ranking



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SDG15: LIFE ON LAND

15.3 Supporting land ecosystems through action

15.3.4 Alien species impact reduction (policies): Have a policy to reduce the impact of alien species on Campus

Description:

Sri Sri University has a restoration ecology and sustainability policy. Previously, this policy addressed concerns of alien species also. A separate policy has been formulated after detailed discussion. The objectives of this policy are to create awareness about the ill-effects of alien species, discourage the planting of exotic species, and protect native plant species on the premises (**Policy attached**). The main objectives of policy are:

- i). To enhance the native biodiversity in the campus
- ii). To protect the university campus from invasion, especially by plant species
- iii). To maintain a status of green campus

As per policy no ornamental plants and plant seeds from outside are permitted to grow in the premises without valid permission of the competent authority. Also, if ornamental plants have to be grown even after the permission of the Competent Authority, then they will be grown in an enclosed space or in pots.