

Recycle Program

Narula Institute of Technology organized several projects under Recycling Wastes. Recycling basically involves turning used materials that are labeled as recyclable and reused as material for a new purpose. **Recycling** things involves using a product, in part or as a whole, in the production of similar or same products again. Recycled paper can very well be used in producing new paper without vastly compromising the quality of the final product. The same applies to most products like metal, glass and plastics. The energy saved due to use of recycled materials also adds up to overall savings. Therefore, it is only a matter of choice and attitude towards protecting and enriching the environment we live in. Some of the projects are as follows:

Discarding Old Journals? Students Turns Them into Recycled Notebooks for deprived Students

The project involves collecting used notebooks from schools, apartment buildings and communities. The emphasis is on standard-issue notebooks used by school children that can be rebound seamlessly. The notebooks are dropped in labeled cartons placed in educational institutions and communities, and collected by volunteers. The blank pages are taken from notebooks and journals, and are rebound to make next-to-new notebooks for children studying in rural schools. The volunteers also collect unused notebooks and journals. The project began in schools, as the volunteers hoped to educate urban children on the value of reusing paper. There are two eco-friendly measures to consider—on one hand, recycling notebooks can contribute to saving the vast quantities of water required to produce paper. Simultaneously, it can also minimize—at least in some quantities—the number of trees being cut for the purpose of manufacturing writing paper.

Vertical Garden by recycling used soda bottles.

Students removed the labels on either side of the bottles and kept the lids on the bottles to stop the soil from falling straight through the side. They poked small holes in the bottom of the container using needle or skewer for water drainage. A rectangle shaped hole was made in the middle of the bottle opposite the side with holes. Then small flowering as well as indoor decorative plants was planted. A few days later they grew to become a beautiful garden against college wall.

