

### 7.1.7 Green Practices

- **Students, staff using**

- a) **Bicycles**

- b) **Public Transport**

The students of Institute of Management Research & Development, Shirpur who reside in nearby area mostly prefer bicycle as a mode of transport for attending the lectures. It is environment friendly & helps in preventing pollution also. The other students who stay in rural areas prefer to use Maharashtra state transport buses as it offers them a concessional monthly pass. It is economically beneficial to students from backward financial status

- **Plastic-free campus**

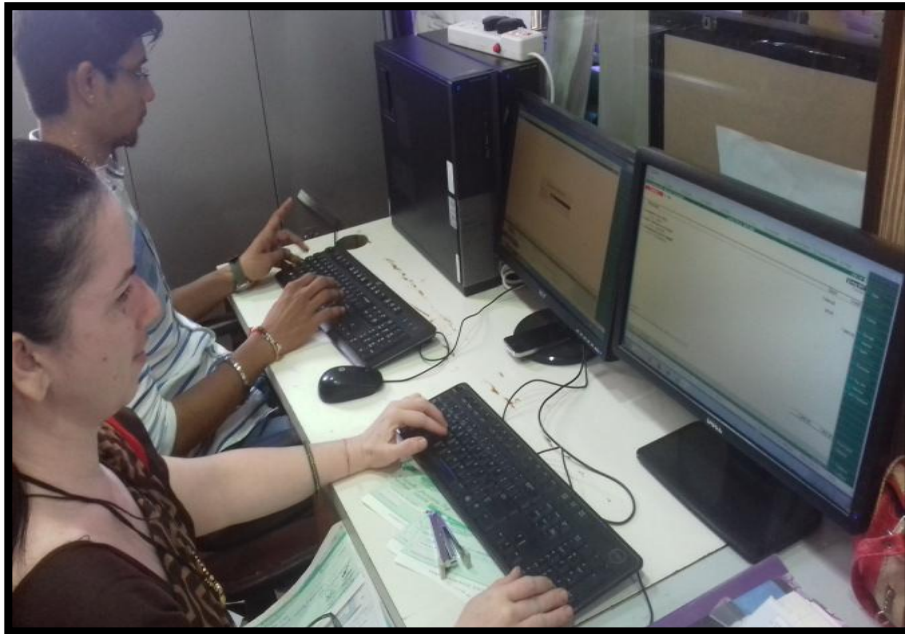
IMRD provides resources and tools to educate students of Institute & communities on the environmental and health benefits of going plastic-free campus to minimize plastic consumption and pollution in the premises and the surrounding environment. The Plastic Free campus program aims to reduce single-use plastics in campuses by encouraging students & faculties to make plastic-free commitments to use reusable water bottles and tote bags and pack waste-free lunches. To motivate people at large IMRD has installed banners & notices at places in the campus.



- **Paperless office**

We always promote to lesser usage of papers in the office as well as when it comes to distribute any kind of study material to the mass students. Electronic means are used for this such as Gmail or slide

share to share the contents. Also the whatsapp groups are created class wise to communicate any kind of important message to the students. The usage of papers is restricted in every possible way.



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- **Green landscaping with trees and plants** Most of the teachers & students who stay in the vicinity of the institute prefer to walk down to the institute avoiding any kind of vehicles. It is a regular scene with most of the members to contribute positively towards the environment.



**Green landscaping with trees**



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