

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
DIRECTORATE OF SCHOOL EDUCATION
SAMAGRA SHIKSHA
PUDUCHERRY**

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Sub: Hon'ble Prime Minister's call to make India free from Single-use plastic- Regarding

Hon'ble Prime Minister addressed on India's 73rd Independence day urged the nation to make India free from single-use plastic.

As we know, single-use plastic drastically impacts the environment in a harmful way. Single-use plastic after usage is mostly dumped on land-fill sites, choking the water supply and drainage system and damaging the environment due to its non-biodegradability. A nation-wide campaign will be launched on 2nd October, 2019 towards making India free from single use plastic.

So the Head of Schools are instructed to avoid the usage of single-use plastic, both within and outside the school premises. All the Head of Schools are requested to continue the **Swachhata activities in Schools**. In regular intervals awareness programs like Hand wash day, Personal Hygiene day, Community participation day, Swachh water day, Water Harvesting day may be conducted in Schools, the School premises may be inspected at any time by their respective Inspecting Officers.

// By Order//


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STATE PROJECT DIRECTOR

To
The Head of Schools concerned

Copy to

1. The Joint Director (SE), DSE, Puducherry
2. The Deputy Director(EE), DSE, Puducherry
3. The Deputy Director(SE), Karaikal
4. The Chief Educational Officer, Pondicherry/Karaikal/Mahe
5. The Delegate to DSE, Yanam
6. Deputy Inspector of Schools, ZoneI/II/III/IV/V & Zone I &II, Karaikal
7. ADPC, Pondicherry/Karaikal/Mahe/Yanam
8. All Block Resource center Coordinators, Pondicherry/Karaikal/Mahe/Yanam
9. P.S. to DSE
10. P.A. to SPD, Samagra Shiksha