



## Manipal University Jaipur Offer Public Access to Green Spaces

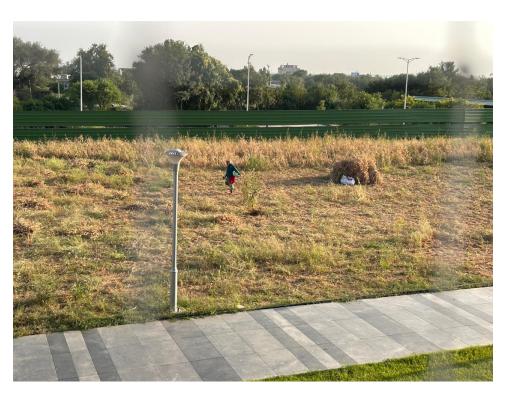
Manipal University Jaipur is often seen as bastions of knowledge and innovation, but Manipal University Jaipur also has the potential to be stewards of nature and community well-being. Manipal University Jaipur has recognized the importance of sharing their green spaces with the public.

Manipal University Jaipur campus is characterized by expansive lawns, serene gardens, and picturesque landscapes. While the green spaces serve as backdrops for academic life, they can also serve a broader purpose as community assets. Manipal University Jaipur maintains botanical gardens and unique plant collections (Picture 6,7). Public access encourages learning about local flora and fauna (Picture 4,5). By opening their green spaces to the public, Manipal University Jaipur promotes community engagement, creating a sense of belonging and shared ownership. Public spaces on campus host cultural events, outdoor concerts, and recreational activities, enhancing the cultural vibrancy of the local area (Annexure 1 & 2). Public access requires resources for maintenance, security, and infrastructure development. Manipal University Jaipur allocates budgets for these purposes. Manipal University Jaipur strikes a balance between allowing public access and preserving green spaces for the academic community, ensuring that both needs are met harmoniously. Manipal University Jaipur ensures that green spaces are accessible to diverse audiences, including those with disabilities, and is essential to promote inclusivity. Building and maintaining relationships with the local community is crucial for the success of public access programs. The decision to open Manipal University Jaipur's green spaces to the public is indicative of a broader shift in the role of the university in society. It underscores the commitment to community engagement, environmental stewardship, and the wellbeing of the surrounding neighborhoods.

By sharing the green spaces, Manipal University Jaipur enriches the lives of local residents and contributes to the vitality and well-being of their communities. In doing so, Manipal University Jaipur demonstrates the transformative power of nature and education, uniting people from all walks of life in the embrace of greenery and shared spaces.







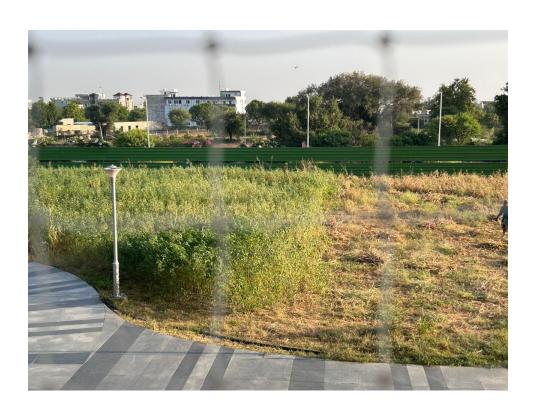
Picture 1: Farming activities on MUJ (Manipal University Jaipur) by local farmers.







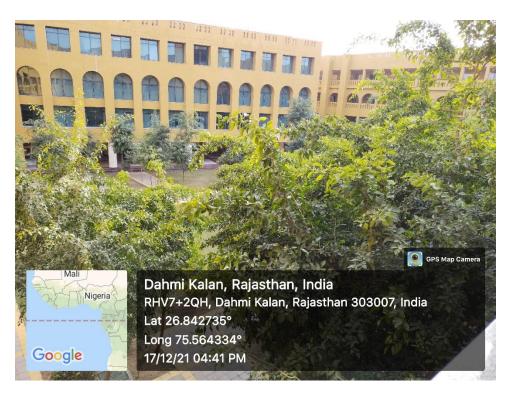
Picture 2: MUJ dedicated farmland form farming crops to the local farmers.



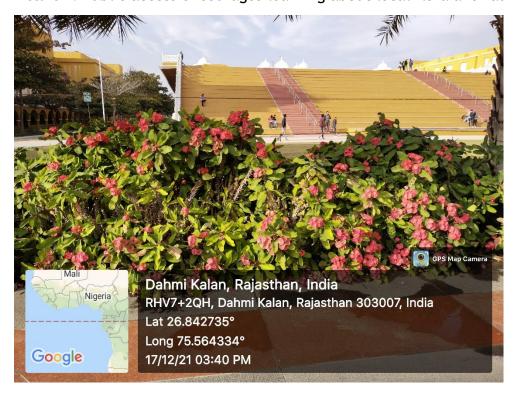




Picture 3: MUJ provided access to its green area.



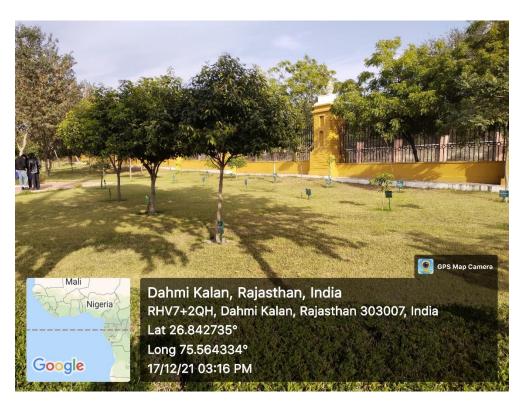
Picture 4: Public access encourages learning about local flora and fauna.



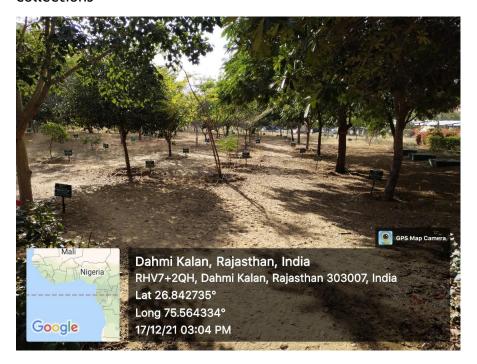




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