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# Forest dept to plant 9L saplings

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Ambala: The Haryana forest department has kept a target of planting 9 lakh saplings under different components in Ambala district, said deputy commissioner (DC) Vikram Singh on Monday.

Addressing students after planting saplings at Government Model Sanskriti School at Police Lines, Ambala City, the DC said under this initiative, 1 lakh saplings would be planted at government schools of Ambala. NGO Arihant Foundation provided saplings for the school. "A target has been kept of 2.5 lakh saplings for distribution, and the rest will be planted by the forest department," said DFO Hairatjeet Kaur. TNN