



**Eco-Schools**

# Eco-School Action Plan

Pupils need to take the lead in developing the Action Plan

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Topic	Action	Target/Measure	Timescale/ Deadline	Who is responsible?	Evaluation of action/ Actual result achieved
Biodiversity – plants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Get all students to donate £0.50p to a class fund to buy a plant for their form room. This plant will have to be maintained and there will be a competition for the best plant pot design (by students) and for the healthiest, most maintained flower.</li> <li>Build a greenhouse out of recycled bottles, fill it with plants</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have plants in all form rooms being maintained by students.</li> <li>Have the greenhouse in use in school, run by students.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Long term because of practicalities</li> <li>Short term building, long term maintenance to be completed by the gardening club and students.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>LD/TM/ST / Tutors and Form Leaders</li> <li>The Eco Council</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not achieved yet, however we are in the process of looking into potential areas around school as well as water access etc</li> <li>Being built! Plans are being made about the various veg etc that will go into it once complete.</li> </ul>

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Biodiversity - birds	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Buy (or make - look into the viability of this) bird baths, then install the bird baths.</li> <li>Ensure bird feeders are maintained</li> </ul>	Increase the amount and variety of birds around the school site.	Both short term	LD/TM/Site Team	Increase in birds seen around school and their species, including a woodpecker!
Biodiversity - insects	Plant bee and butterfly friendly plants.	Increase the amount (and variety) of insect species, particularly bees and butterflies, around the school site.	Long Term	LD/TM/LS/Site Team	Not achieved yet, as seasonal planting must occur.
Energy consumption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Competition for lights off/ projectors off etc.</li> <li>Posters about turning lights off etc.</li> <li>Turn off computers initiative.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reduce energy consumption in school</li> <li>Increase awareness about the effects of switching off lights etc.</li> <li>Reduce energy consumption in the school</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Short term</li> <li>Short term</li> <li>Short term but ongoing</li> </ul>	LD	A fair decrease in energy consumption and a greater awareness of the effects of saving energy.
Transport	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Buy bike racks</li> <li>Create leaflets on safe cycle routes to school from different areas nearby.</li> </ul>	Encourage students that live closer to the school to cycle to school instead of taking the bus/being driven, and therefore reduce emissions and improve the health of students.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Short term</li> <li>Long term</li> </ul>	LD	Bike racks in use!

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Littering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>House bin competition (later put these bins around school)</li> <li>Change in prefect roles to help the littering situation.</li> </ul>	Decrease in littering seen.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Feb-March and then on-going</li> <li>On-going</li> </ul>	LD/TM	Decrease in littering achieved
Water	Have posters with tips on how to save water in all toilets	Reduce water consumption, make people aware of how to save water outside of school, and that they should tell a member of the site team if there is a leaking tap.	Short term	LD/TM	Greater awareness!
Healthy Living	Get Meat Free Mondays back in the canteen!	Reduction in meat being eaten because of the harmful effects to the environment, and a healthier balanced diet achieved.	Longer term	LD/ Canteen staff	Yet to be complete as there needs to be lots of confirmation with managers etc