

Sustainability Checklist

This sustainability checklist aims to support you and your business in getting started on your environmental journey.

The checklist will allow you to highlight critical areas for action and monitor your progress.

Just pledge your business to make a change by ticking the appropriate boxes to get started.

Company and Staff	I pledge to take action on	Getting There	Review	Opportunity
Sustainable policies have been created.				
Your senior staff and board are committed to the change.				
The staff understands the sustainability policies and targets.				
A sustainability strategy has started rolling out across your departments/teams.				
Updates are regularly shared internally.				
Sustainability targets have been set to improve internal operational efficiency.				
Establish a recycling collection and ensure that everyone using your site knows what can be recycled.				

Promotion and Marketing	I pledge to take action on	Getting There	Review	Opportunity
Sustainable thinking has begun within your marketing and product development teams.				
You've started engaging with your customers on how they can be more sustainable at home.				
Communicate your efforts and targets publicly.				
Using local print solutions and sustainable materials.				
Communicate your actions and targets publicly.				
Using alternatives to printed materials.				
Energy	I pledge to take action on	Getting There	Review	Opportunity
Switched to a renewable energy tariff supplying and investing in low carbon electricity and/or gas.				
Sustainability data (energy, landfill weight, water, etc) is being reported/tracked.				
Energy, landfill weight and water etc, reduction targets have been set.				
Install electric vehicle charging points for staff and customers.				

Production and Operations I pledge to take **Getting There** Review Opportunity action on... To regularly check suppliers and materials against your sustainable agenda and goals. Switching to local suppliers where possible. Product packaging/single-use materials are minimised. **Energy-efficient lighting has been** installed across all working spaces. Workplace equipment (high powered machines, heaters, aircon etc) is audited for a potential switch off policy for all equipment when not in use. Ensuring that work vehicles are full and their usage optimised. Ensure staff know how to use airconditioning units, making use of timers and thermostats. Identified one or a handful of sustainable champions who will support your team and business in actioning and monitoring these changes. Going paperless wherever possible by introducing receipts and invoices. Provide reusable cups and water bottle refill stations for your staff and customers to use.