

Climate Action Plan

St Andrew's CE School and Nursery

1 year plan September 2026



At St Andrew's CE School and Nursery it is our vision that the school we be able to confirm that it is a net zero school by 2030 and that it is environmentally sustainable. We are committed to doing all that we can within the limitation of the resources available to us in achieving this.

1. Sustainability actions

A Better environment				
ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Continue to support wildlife within the school site - Consider adding night cameras to the forest school to explore the wildlife entering this area - Take part in the big bird week with RSPB - Support the church with planting a reflection garden to enhance the environment of the church	Start: Sept 26 Review: July 27	Forest school leaders Sustainability committee Full governing body Pupil Parliament	21.10.26 – Eco and pupil parliament visiting the church to plant in the garden area.	
Litter - Continue to take part in annual litter picking campaigns - Increase the profile of litter picking and celebrate those that collect litter	Start: Sept 26 Review: July 27	Eco committee Sustainability committee	24th – 27th May Karen Blanchfield scheduled to attend school.	
Support the community to reduce consumption - Continue regular second hand uniform sales and normalise this within our community. - Introduce a Christmas toy swap - Continue to facilitate a Christmas jumper swap - Facilitate a winter coat donation to support families	Start: Sept 25 Review: July 27	PTFA Sustainability committee SLT Full governing body	Second hand uniform sales available at all Parent's evenings and during open events.	

Active travel - Continue to participate and achieve well (following victory last year) in the walk, ride, scoot to school fortnight with Wychavon. - Support campaigns to raise the profile for Hampton Bridge and celebrate this sustainable option when it is completed. - Expand storage for active travel to include additional bike rack and scooter parking.	Start: Sept 25 Review: July 27	Eco committee Sustainability committee PTFA	- Additional bike rack added July 26 - Scooter storage purchased by PTFA September 26	
Continue to ensure procurement is aligned with the school's vision of being sustainable - Active consideration of lasting when purchasing items . E.g. regular or circular furnishings in neutral wooden colours. - Purchase items from reputable companies with consideration for warranties as part of the value.	Start Ongoing from Sept 2025 Review: July 2027		In recent years, the school has: - Ensured furnishings are simple, are designed for school use and avoid fads so that it secures longevity – E.g. outside table for the Orchard. - Procured refurbished computers for staff and pupil use. - Switched to a pencil and colouring pencils only options to avoid consumption of pens (whiteboard pens remain in use). - Reduced printing, glue stick consumption through curriculum choices such as oracy approach and whole class reading.	

2. Climate Education and green careers

Education for solutions				
Air quality and water quality education - Educate through assembly and class opportunities to educate on air and water quality - Include air quality information within the newsletter - Conduct an Ocean's and Rivers Day to support education around water quality and air quality – Monday 8th June.	Start: Sept 26 Review: July 27	Eco – committee	Air quality assembly scheduled for 14th October with Heidi from Air Quality Behaviour Change	
Explore opportunities for careers	Start: Sept 26 Review: July 27	Eco – committee	June 2026 – Year 3 visit to Stonebow homes development exploring all of the jobs created and actions to ensure offsetting and sustainability.	

1. Partnership with the bridge development to connect Hampton to explore involvement 2. Engagement with developers locally to look at housing development and how they meet sustainability criteria.			- 22nd October – meeting scheduled with bridge developers to explore partnerships. - September 2026 – Engagement with Stonebow homes – planting shrubs with year 2 and time capsule buried from the school. Meet the builder opportunities utilised in the previous year.	
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