

# THINK GREEN

From Wednesday 25th June, Shuttleworth is going a whole lot greener!!!! Not only will we be recycling our normal cardboard & glass, but we will also have recycling points across campus where you will be able to recycle, paper, newspapers, magazines, aluminium cans, plastic cups & bottles. To make recycling easier and to save your legs, we will be giving every member of staff a desktop recycler, where you can put all your recycling throughout the day, and then empty when you get chance.

Our green initiative doesn't just stop there, the Garden Restaurant will also be recycling food waste which will generate electricity and make an organic fertiliser!

## SO WHAT GOES IN?

### PAPER

White or coloured paper, fax paper, computer paper, carbon paper, post-it notes and envelopes (please remove windows)

### NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES

Newspaper, magazines, junk mail, telephone directories, yellow pages, brochures.

### ALUMINIUM CANS

Exactly what it says on the tin!

### PLASTIC CUPS

Small cups, large cups, any cups, just plastic cups

### PLASTIC BOTTLES

Any bottles up to 5 litres. Please remove the lids

## CAMPUS RECYCLING POINTS

Middle floor of Student Halls, Student Common Room, Russell Hall Foyer, College Reception, College Staff Room, Mech Centre, Animal Care, Mansion Reception, The Garden Restaurant & Tavern Bar

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## THE FACTS ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE DID YOU KNOW.....?

- The number of category 4 & 5 hurricanes has almost doubled in the last 30 years
- Malaria has spread to higher altitudes in places like Columbian Andes, 7000 feet above sea level
- At least 279 species of plants and animals are already responding to global warming, moving closer to the poles

## IF THIS CONTINUES

- Deaths from global warming will double in just 25 years to 300,000 people a year
- Global sea levels could rise by more than 20 feet with the loss of shelf ice in Greenland and Antarctica, devastating coastal areas worldwide.
- Heat waves will be more frequent and more intense
- Droughts and wild fires will occur more often
- The Arctic Ocean could be ice free in summer by 2050
- More than a million species worldwide could be driven to extinction by 2050

## WHAT ELSE CAN WE DO?

### USE RECYCLED PAPER

Change all printer, photocopier and fax paper to recycled. This takes 75% less energy to produce and it prevents the loss of forests

### SHARE A CAR

Sharing a car with someone at least twice a week will save 3510kg of your yearly CO2 emissions and lots of money

### SWITCH IT OFF

Ensure you switch off you computer monitor, photocopiers, printers and mobile phone chargers at the end of the day. Leaving these on accounts for 18 million tonnes of unnecessary carbon emissions each year

### TURN OF THE LIGHTS IF NO ONE IS USING THE ROOM

Its just a flick of a switch!

### THINK BEFORE YOU PRINT!

Don't waste paper printing unnecessary documents and emails

### PLANT A TREE

Every tree you plant will absorb 1 tonne of CO2 each year



To find out more information about climate change and what you can do to prevent it visit  
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