



ADVENTURE CENTRE FOR EDUCATION ENVIRONMENTAL AND SUSTAINABILITY POLICY

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Charity No: SC041556

Adventure Centre for Education is committed to continuing to improve our environmental and sustainable performance, minimising our environmental impact and making resource efficiency a core requirement of all our operations. We will seek to promote good practice by others.

OUR ORGANISATION:

Energy

ACE will monitor and manage its consumption and use of energy. We will work to reduce the consumption of energy and to reduce our contribution to emissions of gases and other pollutants which are believed to contribute to climate change.

Water

We will work to reduce the consumption of water within our buildings and reduce discharges.

Waste

ACE will work to reduce the volume of waste within its buildings by wherever possible:

1. reducing consumption of
2. repairing
3. re-using
4. recycling
5. all materials used within its buildings both in daily operations and other projects

Transport

ACE will monitor and work to reduce its contribution to environmental emissions from travel undertaken for business purposes.

Procurement

ACE will purchase goods and services to minimize adverse environmental effects. ACE will seek to undertake sustainable procurement actions that comply with EC regulatory requirements and UK Government policy on public procurement and its requirement to provide best value.

ACE will use local suppliers where appropriate and will encourage its suppliers to commit to improving environmental and sustainable performance.

Other

Where possible, ACE will monitor and manage its consumption and use of other resources and materials used within its estate, working to minimize our reliance on non-renewable resources and to avoid use of any hazardous substances.

Biodiversity

ACE will seek to enhance the biodiversity value of its estate.

Our staff

We recognise the responsibility staff have in contributing to good environmental management. ACE will seek to harness and channel the enthusiasm and interest shown by staff and will provide appropriate information and support to ensure that all staff exercise their environmental and sustainability responsibility.

Our customers

ACE will encourage our customers and clients to cherish our environment so that it can be appreciated by future generations. We will seek to raise awareness of the impact that excessive use of the environment can have and what they can do to reduce their impact.

Our Board of Directors

ACE will promote environmental and sustainability good practice to its board of directors, encouraging a shared responsibility to protecting the environment.

ACE will incorporate the principles set out in this environmental and sustainability policy into its day to day operations developing appropriate procedures for day-to-day operations.