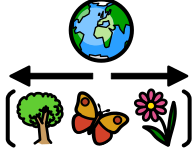


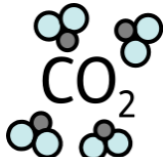
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## Topic 1

Eco-Schools Topic	Biodiversity
<p><b>Aim</b></p> <p>Write a short explanation of what you hope to achieve.</p>	<p>Our Vision- To enhance biodiversity and increase access to and connection with nature.</p> 
<p><b>Action(s)</b></p> <p>Add actions you are going to take/projects you will deliver to achieve your aim. Include delivery dates to set yourself a timeline.</p>	<p>Register for National Education Nature Park and undertake biodiversity mapping of habitats across the school site.</p> <p>We will take part in the National Education Nature Park’s Hidden Nature Challenge, to track and monitor biodiversity through the seasons.</p> <p>Take part in Big Garden Birdwatch 2025 / Big Schools Birdwatch.</p> <p>Continue to develop our wetland area- increasing biodiversity and habitats on the Drake school site.</p> <p>We will make more frequent use of our outdoor areas.</p> <p>Develop our allotment area, raise awareness of food seasonality and grow food.</p> <p>Enter School gardening competition at Royal Norfolk Show (Literary Garden based on ‘The Secret Sky Garden’)</p>
<p><b>Informing &amp; Involving</b></p> <p>Explain how you are going to advertise your activities and involve your school community in them.</p>	<p>Put information in the weekly newsletter about biodiversity.</p> <p>Take photos of our wetland area and allotment area and share on eco and gardening club website pages.</p> <p>Invite National Education Nature Park team into our school to support us with biodiversity mapping.</p>
<p><b>Monitoring &amp; Evaluation</b></p> <p>Consider how you will monitor the impacts of your projects and evaluate their success.</p>	<p>Collecting pupil voice from eco council and gardening club.</p> <p>Track biodiversity on National Education Nature Park’s biodiversity map.</p>


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## Topic 2

Eco-Schools Topic	Energy
Aim	<p>Our Vision- To measure and reduce carbon emissions and support students to be part of the transition to net zero.</p> 
Action(s)	<p>Assess Drake's current carbon emissions. Find out the carbon footprint of our school. We will collect data and calculate Drake's carbon footprint on the Let's Go Zero calculator, so we have a carbon baseline.</p> <p>We will take actions to reduce carbon emissions and become more energy efficient. We will decide what to prioritise - what actions will have the greatest reduction in our carbon footprint?</p> <p>Measure how much electricity the school uses. Read the school's electricity meter.</p> <p>Measure how much electricity the solar panels generate. Read the solar panel information panel.</p>
Informing & Involving	<p>Share Drake's carbon footprint with the staff and governors.</p> <p>Share Drake's carbon footprint in the weekly newsletter and on the sustainability section of our website.</p>
Monitoring & Evaluation	<p>We will undertake a carbon footprint in October 2024 and re-do our carbon footprint in October 2025 to compare.</p>

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## Topic 3

Eco-Schools Topic	Waste
Aim	<p>Our Vision- To encourage reuse and recycling. To reduce our waste we send to landfill.</p> 
Action(s)	<p>Find out what happens to our food waste, landfill waste and recycling.</p> <p>Undertake an audit to see how many landfill bins, recycling bins and food waste bins we have at school.</p> <p>Measure how much food is wasted at lunchtimes. Reduce food waste from lunchtimes. Leftover and untouched food is put into a box and re-distributed to other children.</p> <p>Recycle more of our waste- ensure all recycling bins are clearly labelled and have clear expectations about what can / cannot be recycled, to support with behaviour change.</p> <p>Reinstate compost caddies for morning snack in Forest School.</p> <p>Research schemes for recycling stationery, batteries, crisp packets etc.</p>
Informing & Involving	<p>Updates on the eco website page.</p> <p>Photos and pupil voice in the sustainability section of the weekly newsletter.</p> <p>Eco Councillors will feedback to their classes, after Eco Council meetings.</p> <p>Recycling posters next to every recycle bin.</p>
Monitoring & Evaluation	<p>Eco Council will weigh the food waste from the KS1 and KS2 lunch halls.</p> <p>Eco Councillors will monitor the recycle bins in their classroom.</p>