Shanklea Primary School
Out of School Club

Environmental Policy

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Shanklea Out of School Club Environmental Policy

Out of School Club is committed to the protection of the environment through reducing pollution, emissions and waste.

As part of the induction process, and through staff meetings and training, our staff will be informed about reducing the use of raw materials, supplies and energy.

We raise the children's awareness of environmental issues through discussions, projects and day-to-day activities within the club.

Children and staff follow the school's Environmental Education Policy :

- We re-use and recycle our waste material, and the recycling bins are easily accessible to
- staff and children.
- We switch off lights when not in use and fit the lights with energy saving bulbs where
- possible.
- We turn off electrical equipment at the power source when not in use.
- We turn off taps after use and do not waste water.
- We do not drop litter.
- We plan our outings to minimise vehicle use and use public transport whenever possible.
- We will keep outside doors shut in cold weather.
- We will reduce the amount of paper we use om pour club, by writing and printing on both sides of the paper whenever possible.

Our shared goal is to
Reduce the amount of materials we use and waste we produce,
Re-use materials wherever possible
Restore what is deemed to have been destroyed
And
Respect our neighbours and our environment

Related policies

See also: **Safeguarding Children Policy, Social Media Policy**.

This policy was written in accordance with the *Statutory Framework for the Early Years Foundation Stage (2014): Safeguarding and Welfare Requirements: Introduction [3.2]; Child Protection [3.6].*