



College Sustainability Statement

Our Guiding Principle

City College Plymouth fosters a learning environment and organisational culture that impacts positively on the health, wellbeing and sustainability of our community and enables all of our students and staff to achieve their full potential.

We continue to develop healthy and sustainable learning environments for students, staff and visitors and embody sustainable practices throughout the college.

Sustainability

Our mission is to promote and integrate sustainable practices in every aspect of our College. We aim to reduce our carbon footprint, promote the use of renewable energy, minimise waste and consumption, and support environmental education and outreach.

We equip our learners with the skills to make a difference, whilst providing our staff with access to free training, which in turn will have a positive impact on our College, our community and their lives. We collaborate with partners to build sustainable practices that have collective environmental and social impacts considering every challenge that the world faces.

To us, sustainability means that we are focussing on clear targets, which are owned by all of our staff and students and clearly visible for all to see, review and engage in, with a growing number of representative student and staff bodies from across the college from our student union through to our executive leadership team.

Background

The above statement was underwritten in partnership between our executive lead for sustainability, student union representatives for sustainability and staff lead for sustainability following consultation between all parties.

It articulates our joint vision for sustainability across the College community and provides all involved with a sense of ownership at all levels.

It is signed by Lance Chatfield, Executive of Technical Innovation and Executive Lead for Sustainability in recognition of the shared commitment by our staff, students and community partners.