A Sustainable Waste Management Action plan 2026-2027

Key:

Sus – Sustainability CSer – Campus Services WBS – Worcester Business School
Cat – Catering Proc – Procurement SU – Students' Union PK – Assist to Dir Sus

Action	Who	When	Action will assist in meeting the target relating to:				
			Prevent	**Reuse**	**Recycle**	**Recover**	**Disposal**
Student/staff behaviour change	Sus/ SU	Go Green Week/Green Campus Revolution/ Green Impact Projects/All year	X	X	X		X
Food waste segregation throughout the estate	Cat/CSer	Ongoing	X	X	X	X	X
Central re-use/Repair	Cser/SU/ Sus	Ongoing/ Monthly Repair Cafes @ SU	X	X	X		
Training	Sus/CSer	As part of the Eco Campus training cycle	X	X	X	X	X
Internal Auditing	Sus	July – September	X	X	X	X	X
Actions to manage resources more efficiently	Proc/ Sus	SPSG meetings 3 per year	X	X		X	
Implement further measures to prevent and minimise waste	Cser/ Sus	Ongoing/ Green Impact Projects (e.g. Sustainable Waste Management Strategy 24-25)	X	X	X	X	X
Ensure recycling facilities are consistent across the University to maximise recycling	CSer	Review July 2026 (Internal audit)			X		X
Initiate waste minimisation projects with key departments	CSer	Ongoing/ Green Impact Projects	X	X			
Rationalise storage/removal	CSer	Ongoing			X		X
Review white goods procurement	Proc	June 2026	X	X			

Further disseminate waste disposal policy	PK	Updates in Daily emails			X		X
Further implement the removal of single-use plastics	Proc	All year	X	X			
Retender for waste contract	Proc/ Cser	June 2026	X	X	X	X	X
Student Sustainability Hub	Sus/SU	All year (except August)	X	X	X	X	X
Target Staff and Students to Attend/ Volunteer as Repairers at Repair Café	Sus/ SU	All Year (except August)	X	X			
Educate on correct waste segregation to students/ staff	Sus/ SU/ Cat/ CSer	All year (using up-to-date posters)			X		X

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