

Climate Action Plan



Watermoor C of E Primary School

1 year plan 2025 – 2026



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Your CYC Carbon Emissions score: 88D

GET STARTED				
ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Sign up to the Let's Go Zero campaign By joining this campaign, your school confirms that it is taking action now to reduce its own carbon impact, and that it demands the UK Government help all schools reach this goal by the end of the decade.	Start: October 2025 Review: October 2026	SLT LGB	Joined 03.12.2025	
Sign up to the Sustainability Support for Education A DfE-funded project that enables education settings to start or progress on their sustainability journey. This includes all types of settings from Early Years to Higher Education, offering suggested actions paired with quality-assured resources. You can filter these to show suggestions relevant to your setting based on your teaching age, priorities, how far you've progressed already, estate, and more.	Start: October 2025 Review: October 2026	SLT LGB	Joined 03.12.2025	

1. Decarbonisation and Energy Efficiency

Calculating and taking actions to reduce carbon emissions and becoming more energy efficient

ENERGY – BEHAVIOUR CHANGE				
ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Instruct all staff to follow heating efficiency practices eg closing external doors whilst heating is on	Immediately whilst winter heating is on	All	Signs on doors as reminder Whatsapp to all staff from HT SLT to monitor after gate duty and close any remaining doors	

PROCUREMENT				
ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Set up second hand uniform sale	January 2026 – then ongoing	FOW Parents	Sort clothing in medical room into suitable and unsuitable Arrange a uniform amnesty Advertise a sale and agree costs	

FOOD				
ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Improve food waste facilities for children's snacks	Immediately - ongoing	Children Caretaker Monitored by SBM	Food waste bin outside to replace 'hippo' bins Labelled clearly for children Children reminded to only put food in the food waste bin	

TRANSPORT				
ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Hold another 'Wheelie Day' where children are encouraged to bike or scoot to school	March 2026	R Halliwell (AHT)		
Following this, run an active travel campaign with all families				

WASTE				
ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Education around recycling as part of assemblies or other whole school opportunities	Ongoing	All staff, children and families	Recycling bins labelled clearly Staff room recycling encouraged	

2. Climate Adaptation and Resilience

Taking actions to reduce the risk of flooding and overheating and to future-proof scarce resources for potential shortages

ADAPTATION AND RESILIENCE				
ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Subscribe to receive the UK Health Security Heat Health Alert	Signed up 03.12.2025	All		

WATER

ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Implement a Smart meter to monitor water usage in school	Installation scheduled for Feb 2026	SBM Administrator	Smart meter being installed in response to inconsistent water bills. This will ensure that billing is accurate and not dependent on the school providing water meter readings manually. It will also allow the SMB to monitor the usage over time and identify areas where it could be reduced.	

3. Biodiversity and Green Infrastructure

Creating habitats and adopting practices that will enhance species diversity on the school estate and beyond

NATURE

ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Monitor use of bat hides, bird boxes, bug hotel and hibernaculum to identify which could be enhanced	Ongoing	Sarah Taylor-Willis		

4. Climate Education, Green Skills and Green Careers

Ensuring the education you provide gives knowledge-rich and comprehensive teaching about climate change, and that your teaching staff feel supported to offer this

CULTURE

ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Share Climate Action Plan with staff as part of CPD	January 2026	HT		

CURRICULUM

ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Sustain the Forest School development with funding from FOW and local companies e.g. Dobbies	Ongoing	Sarah Taylor-Willis		

GREEN SKILLS AND CAREERS

ACTION	TIMEFRAME	STAKEHOLDERS	NOTES	TRACKER
Share produce with the Long Table in Cirencester and invite them in for cooking and tasting opportunities. Chn to visit the long table for workshops	Ongoing in line with gardening calendar	HT Sarah Taylor-Willis	HT visited Long Table Nov 26 and shared contact details with STW	



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