



# Sustainability and Climate Change Statement

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# Nescot Sustainability and Climate Change Statement

## 1. Policy Statement

This document sets out North East Surrey College of Technology's (NESCOT's) approach and commitment to sustainability and climate change for the college and its 60-acre campus, based in Ewell, Surrey.

## 2. Scope

The Statement covers all aspects of sustainability including (but not limited to) our physical estate and facilities, procurement, waste management; the programmes we deliver, transport, campus biodiversity, education for staff and students and our work in the wider community.

## 3. Objectives

In line with our refreshed strategic plan 2025- 2028, this statement sets out our key objectives and plans to deliver and embed sustainable activities and climate change actions across our college and campus.

Our objectives and key action areas are listed below. These align with the Government's Sustainability and Climate Change Strategy<sup>1</sup> for education:

Action Area 1: Climate Education

Action Area 2: Green Skills and careers

Action Area 3: Education Estate and Digital Infrastructure

Action Area 4: Operations and supply chains

Action Area 5: Leadership and engagement

To achieve our key action areas, we are using the Association of Colleges (AoC) Climate Action Roadmap and toolkit to map, establish and monitor a clear roadmap with the intention of achieving 'Leading' status by 2030.

Further details on the Association of Colleges Climate Action Roadmap can be found here: [Climate Action Roadmap for Colleges and FE further education | EAUC](#)

## 4. Responsibilities

Key deliverables will be overseen by the Nescot Sustainability and Climate Action Committee comprising staff and students with the core actions areas implemented and embedded across all college activities in accordance with Nescot's Sustainability and Climate Change Action Plan.

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<sup>1</sup> [Sustainability and climate change: a strategy for the education and children's services systems - GOV.UK](#)

## 5. Approval and Review

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