

Eco-Schools Action Plan

John T Rice Infant & Nursery School

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Topic	Action	Target / Measure	Timescale / Deadline	Responsibility	Actual Result Achieved / Date
School Grounds/Litter	Children to go litter picking at least once a term.	Our school grounds are kept litter free	Continuous	MB/Eco Warriors	
Waste Minimisation/ Recycling	To continue to use a compost bin to use for our food waste. Each class to have a kitchen caddy for fruit waste	Reduce our food waste	Continuous	All staff and pupils	
Waste Minimisation/ Recycling	Use recycled paper in our photocopier and printers	Recycled paper is being used in our photocopiers and printers	Continuous	WM	
Waste Minimisation/ Recycling	This continues to be part of our school ethos.	Recycle all waste paper and card. Re-use paper on second side, as scrap paper.	Continuous	All staff and pupils	
Waste Minimisation/ Recycling	Continue to promote the use of the battery bin	Battery bins continue to be used and emptied on a regular basis	Continuous	All staff and pupils	
Waste	Take part in Waste Week	Children learn the importance of reducing reusing and recycling.	March 2018	All staff and pupils	

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Waste Minimisation/ Recycling	To take part in Compost Awareness Week	Children to learn what is happening to our fruit waste in the compost bins	May 2018	Whole school	
Energy	To take part in Switch off fortnight to encourage children to switch off lights and other devices in school.	The energy we use in school is reduced	Nov 2017	MB/Eco Warriors/Whole school	
Transport	Encourage children to come to school on their bike or scooter by promoting the school bike store	Children cycle or scooter to school, and leave their vehicle in the bike store for their return journey	Continuous	All staff and pupils	
Healthy Living	This continues to be part of our whole school ethos	School has Healthy Schools Status	Continuous	All staff and pupils	
Healthy Living	Ensure all children enjoy a healthy lunch	Ensure all packed lunches brought in from home comply with the "Healthy Lunchbox" guidelines issued by Notts County Council	Continuous	SLT to monitor lunchboxes	
Healthy Living	School is part of the milk and fruit scheme	Children have a healthy snack of milk and fruit every morning	Continuous	ZA	
Biodiversity/School Grounds	To use the wildlife area in the KS1 outdoor area to observe and learn about a range of wildlife, including butterflies, mini-beasts and birds.	Children using the wildlife area.	Ongoing	MB, KS, Eco Warriors (support from MS-Ranger)	

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Biodiversity/School Grounds	Take part in the Whats Under Your Feet? Week	Children to be aware of their local environment	March 2018/June 2018	All Staff and pupils	
Biodiversity/School Grounds	Take part in National Gardening Week	All children to grow something for the school grounds.	April 2018	All Staff and pupils	
Biodiversity	Spring/Summer/Autumn all children to visit allotments to plant, grow and harvest fruit and vegetables.	Plant, grow and produce Fruit and vegetables for school families to enjoy.	Autumn 2017 Spring/Summer 2018	Whole school	
Global Perspectives	Ragtext Collections	Collections carried out and children understand why they are bringing their old clothes to school.	Once per term	WM	
Global Perspectives	Take part in Children in Need campaign	Children to be aware of children in different situations who may not be as fortunate as themselves	November 2017	All Staff and pupils	
Global Perspectives	Take part in Samaritans Purse Campaign	Children to gain an awareness of children in different countries, and how their situation may be different to the one they live in. Families to provide a shoebox for a child in another country	December 2017	WM	
Global Perspectives	Take part in Sport Relief/Comic Relief	Children to be aware of children in different situations who may not be as fortunate as themselves	March 2018	All staff and pupils	