



SUSTAINABILITY & ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

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Coleg Llandrillo Cymru is a College of Further Education, which has sites at Rhos-on-Sea, Rhyl, Abergele, Denbigh, St Asaph, Colwyn Bay, Dolgellau, Pwllheli and Glynllifon and provision at a large number of community based venues. The College provides a wide range of education and training, both full and part-time and at Further and Higher Education levels, to the local communities and employs approximately 1250 full and part-time members of staff.

Coleg Llandrillo seeks to develop, amongst all its staff and students, an understanding of environmental and sustainability issues, both local and global, and an appreciation of the institution as an environmental agent.

Objectives of the Policy:

To make sustainability, environmental best practice and global citizenship part of every aspect of College life.

To ensure compliance with all relevant legislation and adopt policies which will contribute to a sustainable future.

To ensure the development and adoption of an environmental management system which prevents pollution and ensures continual improvement in the College's environmental performance.

To promote awareness of energy and water use amongst all members of the College and to improve the efficiency in use of these resources.

To reduce the consumption of materials where possible and to extend the life of materials where practicable.

To recycle or re-use materials where possible and to dispose of waste in the least environmentally damaging way.

To ensure that the College has a minimal negative effect on the local environment and makes a positive contribution to the local community and its environment.

To ensure that all students and College staff are aware of environmental issues and to provide a range of courses and training in relevant topics.

To ensure that all staff and students are aware of the environmental impacts of transport and to encourage the use of alternative forms of transport.

To monitor progress on a regular basis to identify areas for improvement.

Signed

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(Principal)