

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

This Organic Care Farm aims to be a centre of excellence providing:

- Training
- Education
- Therapeutic Opportunities
- Rehabilitation

Through integration with rural subjects such as sustainability, organic farming, growing, rural crafts, farmhouse cookery and environmental topics; we aim to respect the environment and encourage our participants to connect with the land/nature.

Our programmes make sure that service users are aware of good environmental practice and to fulfil our objectives we demonstrate good practice by:

- Minimising waste and embedding recycling good practice
- Limiting the use of plastics
- Re-using materials such as timber and plant pots and catching and sorting rainwater.
- Using water and other materials efficiently.
- > Operating in compliance with environmental legislation.
- Looking for opportunities to enhance the aesthetic appeal of reclaimed land, putting it to good use and increasing soil fertility by the addition of farm-produced organic matter.
- Looking for partners who can promote environmental understanding in the community, for example: social care, college students, school parties and other visitors.

By ongoing review, we will ensure that we improve our environmental education, reduce our carbon footprint and further enhance our environmental policy.

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