



# **ENVIROMENTAL POLICY**

Effective for employees, students, Directors and volunteers on or after 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019

Date: 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019

Date of next Review: January 2019

# Environmental Policy

## 1. Introduction

The L&F Training Academy recognises that its activities have an effect on the environment through its routine operations as well as its infrastructure development. The Academy acknowledges that it has a responsibility to seek to reduce this impact and should take every opportunity to do so, exercising proper control over all its activities, the use of resources, the recycling and management of waste streams and using its influence on both its own and the wider community.

## 2. Objectives

2.1. To develop awareness and participation, throughout the Academy, of the need to achieve sustainable practice in the operations of the Academy.

2.2. To develop guidance and standards to enable the achievement of an improved environmental performance.

2.3. To develop and introduce targets, and measurement systems, to enable the impact of the policy to be regularly evaluated and reported.

## 3. Scope

The policy applies to all L&F Training academy's activities and all members of the Academy community - staff, students, visitors and subsidiary organisations.

## 4. Key policy areas

### 4.1. Procurement

The Academy will incorporate environmental requirements into its procurement policies, considering the input of its manufacture, supply, distribution and disposal.

### 4.2. Waste management

The Academy will develop practices to reduce the production of waste and including the reduction of CO<sup>2</sup> emissions and to maximise the re-use and recycling of waste.

### 4.3. Transport

The Academy will develop and implement policies which will reduce its transport activities.

### 4.4. Energy and water

The Academy will reduce energy use, develop and implement sustainable energy sources and reduce water usage and wastage.

### 4.5. Teaching & Learning

## **Embedding the principles of environmental stewardship and sustainability within the curriculum.**

5. Implementation and review Fran Deeley will be responsible for reviewing the policy on a regular basis, and for developing plans for implementing the policy. The policy and associated action plans will be considered and approved by Directors, who will also monitor progress against agreed KPI's