

Sustainability: Protecting Our Planet Word Mat

Learning objective: To define and understand key terminology related to sustainability and environmental stewardship.

Key Vocabulary

Use this vocabulary mat to help you understand how we can live more sustainably. The terms are grouped into 'Resources and Energy', 'Waste and Conservation', and 'Global Impact'.

Renewable Energy Electricity generated fr...	Non-renewable E... Sources of power, like ...	Fossil Fuels Ancient remains of plants and ...
Sustainability Meeting the needs of people ...	Conservation The careful protection and m...	Carbon Footprint The total amount of gree...
Recycle Processing waste materials into ne...	Biodiversity The variety of all living things in...	Climate Change Long-term shifts in tempera...
Natural Resources Materials found in nature...	Deforestation The large-scale clearing of fo...	Pollution Harmful substances or waste add...
Environment The natural world surrounding...	Habitat The natural home or environment of ...	Ethical Choosing to act in a way that is moral...
Global Warming The unusually rapid increa...	Explain why swit...	Compare and con...
Justify your ans... Is it better to recycle an i...	What might happ...	If a school wante...
How does the co...		