

Mundy C of E Junior School

Energy Reduction Policy

1. All of us at Mundy Junior School understand that there is a need to improve the way we use energy and water, to become more energy efficient and decrease our CO₂ emissions.
2. We are committed to reducing the environmental impact of our activities and to ensure that we are using energy and water wisely.
3. The aim of this policy is to explain how the school intends to establish and maintain a culture throughout the school community that seeks to reduce energy and water consumption.
4. This document should be read in conjunction with Mundy Juniors Sustainable Development Policy and current action plan.
5. In seeking to achieve the above aim we will:
 - Commit resources to implement this policy.
 - Identify and implement cost-effective energy efficiency measures.
 - Set, review and revise appropriate targets on a regular basis.
 - Ensure competency in the energy efficient management of the School and its equipment.
 - Ensure that all new build capital projects are developed from the outset with energy efficiency in mind.
 - Ensure specialist advice is sought on improvements in energy efficiency and that installation of new technologies is considered for capital investment.
 - Incorporate carbon saving and sustainability into the school curriculum.
6. It is recognised that staff and pupils have a key part to play both in helping Mundy Junior to achieve its aim with regards to energy and water efficiency, but also in the wider world as the pupils take their place as adults in the community. Therefore we undertake to:
 - Identify and report our actual energy performance to the school and wider community with the display of the DEC certificate.
 - Identify targets for future energy performance and reports on progress.
 - Encourage energy saving suggestions from all staff and pupils
 - Take day to day responsibility for ensuring minimal energy and water waste and encourage school users to do the same.