



Merefield School Climate Action Plan

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Decarbonisation	Assess the school's Carbon footprint and identify areas that can be improved.	Register with Sefton for a site survey. Monitor energy use using the school portal. Register with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Count my Carbon Cut my Carbon 	School council to support. Sefton engagement with site survey. 3 dates suggested from February 26. Home - Count Your Carbon Cut Your Carbon	Yes	April 2026
Biodiversity	Complete a habitat map of the school site and suggest ways to increase spaces for living things within the site.	Pupils will make bug hotels, bird feeders, bird houses and places these around school. Pupils will learn about different habitats.	Habitat mapping: a Nature Park guide Education Nature Park Habitat Heroes Education Nature Park	Yes	July 2026
Adaptation & Resilience	Review the school calendar of events to ensure outdoor events such as Sport's Day are set within cooler months/ early summer.	Reduce the time pupils are spending in extreme temperatures due to the changing climate.	Senior leadership team. School council	Yes	July 2026
Adaptation & Resilience	Asses the school's outdoor space to improve the shade available for pupils.	Reduce the time pupils are spending in extreme temperatures due to the changing climate.	Senior leadership team. School council. Funding to increase shaded areas on playgrounds.	Subject to funding	July 2026

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Climate Education and Green Careers Goals	Apply for Eco Schools award.	Set up eco team through school council. Create an action plan through school council linked to Eco Schools	School council. Eco Schools awards. Home - Eco Schools	Yes	July 2026
Climate Education and Green Careers Goals	Work with the school council to promote Climate Action planning throughout school and a calendar of events such as assemblies, awareness days, school display board.	Pupils will be involved in promoting and learning about how we can reduce our carbon footprint. School council to visit Southport Eco Centre.	School Council and whole school community engagement. About - Climate Education	Yes	April 2026
Climate Education and Green Careers Goals	Celebrate world environment day and promote sustainability throughout school. 5/6/2025	Pupils will take part in a range of activities throughout the week to develop their knowledge and skills about climate changes and sustainability. Sefton requested to deliver a workshop or assembly this week.	School Council and whole school community engagement. World Environment Day	Yes, reliant on Sefton for resources/time for assembly.	