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Towards a Plastic Free St Andrews

Eliminating single-use disposable plastics

- A town-wide initiative to become single-use plastic free by 2024.
- Approach this through town-wide engagement and partnership with businesses, community groups and public sector.

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Reducing the amount of litter in the town and marine litter on the beaches

- St Andrews to be recognised as exemplar in the field of single-use plastic reduction and litter prevention – through policy change, practical engagement and education.

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Adopt an overall waste minimisation plan to reduce landfill waste and increase reuse

- Reframe our waste management approach, prioritising minimisation and reuse over recycling and general waste.

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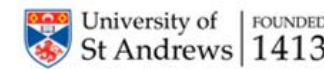


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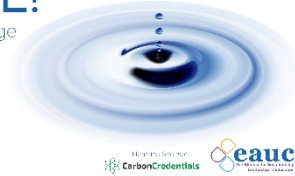


Why St Andrews?

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- St Andrews – internationally renowned for its golf, university and history.
- Population of almost 17,000 – inclusive of over 9,500 students – and almost 750,000 visitors, annually.
- A town-wide initiative has the potential to be recognised globally, setting a precedent for other towns and cities, alike.

Action Plan

- St Andrews wide reusable cup
- Remove all single-use packaging across St Andrews
- Litter pick events
- Plastic reduction business charter scheme
- Introduce water fountains across St Andrews
- Street recycling across St Andrews
- Recycling for householders in St Andrews town centre
- Plastic Patrol Campaign

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Launch Event



Come by St Mary's Place on the
Saturday 29th June for the launch event of the **Plastic
Free St Andrews** campaign!

From **10:00 to 18:00** there will be activities, workshops,
stalls, raffles, talks and much more. Something for everyone!

Its **Family Friendly** and **Free**. Stay tuned to our social
media:

-  [Instagram.com/singleuseplasticfree/](https://www.instagram.com/singleuseplasticfree/)
-  [Facebook.com/groups/PlasticFreeStAndrews/](https://www.facebook.com/groups/PlasticFreeStAndrews/)



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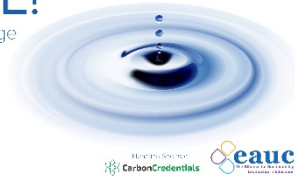


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