SRC Stockton Riverside College

ENRICHMENT SESSION 1

AIM OF COURSE

- **What do students understand by "sustainability"?**

- What do we do as a college?
    - Outline what we currently do
    - What we would like to do
    - Why sometimes things aren't as straightforward as they seem; (buying from local company to find it was made in China)
      (cost versus benefits etc)

- What are the consequences of doing nothing?
    - Lights out!
    - 3 day working week – job losses
    - Fuel shortages
    - Continuing climate change
    - Flooding
    - Famine
    - Queues in supermarkets – less food available

- Whose responsibility is it?
    - Everyone's – we must all 'do out bit', don't leave it to anyone else to take the lead.
    - Shared responsibility

- Small steps (individuals) Switch off microwave at home versus giant leaps (major corporations) Power down systems for IT

- Think! Develop the theme for week 2

- Aims
    - to work in teams on ideas you develop on your chosen sustainability theme
    - To put on a dissemination event next year (April / May) display in foyer