

## The Carlton & Faceby and Bilsdale CE Federation Climate Action Plan 25/26

## **Our Vision**

At Carlton & Faceby and Bilsdale Schools we are KIND:

Kind and accepting

Independent learners

Never giving up

Determined to be our personal best

Under God's guidance, we teach children the importance of kindness towards others, tolerance and mutual respect. This empowers children to have the courage to achieve their personal best.

## Psalm 145:17

'The Lord is righteous in all his ways and kind in all his works'

## Luke 2:40

'And the child grew and became strong; he was filled with wisdom...'

As Church of England schools, we believe in God's creation and work to empower our children to understand the importance of the stewardship of God's world. We promote courageous advocacy, encouraging children to challenge injustice and to support those working to make the world a better place for all.

This action plan considers the 'Sustainability Leadership and Climate Action Plans in Education' initiative guidance from the DFE. Link

Action	DfE Link	Target/ Measure	Timescale / Deadline	Responsibility	Evaluation of action / result of action
Appoint a Federation Sustainability Lead	Sustainability leadership	Named lead in place	Autumn Term 2025	Headteacher	
Establish school- based sustainability champions	Sustainability leadership	Staff and pupil roles assigned	Autumn Term 2025	Headteacher / School Council Coordinators	
Conduct energy audits using Count Your Carbon or similar	Decarbonisation	Audit completed with baseline established	Autumn Term 2025	Headteacher	
Explore installation of solar panels	Decarbonisation	Feasibility study completed	Summer Term 2026	Governors / Headteacher	
Conduct climate risk assessment for both school sites	Adaptation and resilience	Risks identified and documented	Spring Term 2026	Site Manager / Sustainability Lead	

Plant additional trees	Adaptation and resilience	Minimum of 10 trees planted per site	Summer Term 2026	Eco-Council / Wisdom on the Woods	
Join National Education Nature Park initiative	Biodiversity and environment	Federation registered and submitting data	Spring Term 2026	Sustainability Lead / Teachers	
Identify opportunities for learning about climate change/action in current curriculum	Climate education	Schemes of work include sustainability themes	Autumn Term 2025	Subject Leaders / Teachers	
Provide CPD on teaching climate change	Climate education	100% of teaching staff trained	Spring Term 2026	SLT / External trainers	
Review and update Climate Action Plan annually	Monitoring & Evaluation	Updated plan published each year	Annually each July	Sustainability Lead / Governors	
Share updates via newsletters and website	Monitoring & Evaluation	1 newsletter per term with updates	Ongoing	Admin team / Sustainability Lead	