

## GREEN POLICY

At Rosslyn Chapel, we are committed to working in a sustainable way. In order to achieve this;

- We comply with the requirements of environmental legislation and approved codes of practice.
- We continuously seek to improve our environmental and social performance.
- We reduce pollution, emissions and waste.
- We reduce the use of energy, water and other resources.
- We raise awareness, encourage participation and train employees in sustainable business practices.
- We expect similar environmental standards from all suppliers and contractors.
- We encourage customers to use products and services in an environmentally sensitive way.
- We work with our local community.
- We have minimised our risks associated with social and environmental issues.
- We have joined the Green Tourism Business Scheme ([www.green-business.co.uk](http://www.green-business.co.uk)) as an indicator of our sustainable practices).

We would like to ask you to help us to keep Scotland special -

### 1 Reduce, reuse, recycle

It's important to try to reduce water and recycle as much as possible. You can help by choosing a 'bag for life', saying no to bags and packaging you don't need, and using the recycling banks you'll find in many places across the country. See [www.recycleforscotland.com](http://www.recycleforscotland.com)

### 2 Get out of the car!

Take public transport, hire a bike or dust off your walking boots and discover some of the fascinating places to be found right on your own doorstep! There are lots of ways to explore Scotland without adding to traffic. See [www.travelinescotland.com](http://www.travelinescotland.com)

### 3 Eat local, buy local, see local

Scotland's communities have lots to offer, from events, crafts and farmer's markets to local cafes and tearooms. Help our communities prosper by sampling the varied and distinctive local offerings. See [www.visitscotland.com/about/food-drink](http://www.visitscotland.com/about/food-drink)

### 4 Chill out – switch off!

Help us to reduce light pollution, energy use and carbon emissions by switching off lights and standby buttons when you don't need them. Help us to reduce water consumption by using only the water you need. See [www.greenerScotland.org](http://www.greenerScotland.org)

### 5 Go wild about nature

In Scotland, you are never far away from wild mountains, lochs and glens, or pristine beaches. Enjoy our outstanding landscapes, including national parks, country parks and nature reserves but wherever you go, take care by following footpaths, treading lightly to avoid disturbance and taking away your rubbish. See [www.outdooraccess-scotland.com](http://www.outdooraccess-scotland.com)

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