

Improving Sustainability: Creating a Positive Impact with the NUS



Into our 8th year running Positive Impact alongside the NUS, our bespoke version of the United Nations award-winning programme 'Green Impact' we are set to take our sustainability commitments to the next level.

The programme is presented as a workbook which we've used to help reduce our environmental impact, support the wellbeing of our student customers, and promote access to higher education.



Unite Students is the only Purpose Built Student Accommodation provider signed up to the programme.

Green Impact is an international programme supporting organisations across the globe.

Within the UK this includes :

65

student's unions

40

universities and colleges

120

businesses, NHS Trusts and councils

Our bespoke version, Positive Impact, maximises engagement across all areas of our sustainability remit, broadening the scope to not solely focus on the environment.

Silver and Gold awards focus on community projects across our cities that create a positive impact in the locality.



canal & river restorations and clean ups



sponsorship and support of Pride festivals

At Unite Students every property operates to a minimum of bronze level with actions covering a range of themes:



Environment



Health & Wellbeing



Community & Social Impact



Health & safety

Ensuring our basic sustainability practices are embedded and consistent throughout our properties and employees.



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These projects are designed to have a long term positive impact on;

- local residents
- business owners
- our employees and customers