



## Our Commitment to the Environment

### Suntrap Forest Centre commits itself to:

- **Communicate its environmental policy and strategy** to staff and service users and to raise awareness amongst these groups of their own environmental responsibilities and requirement to commit to environmental improvements;
- **Protect, develop & enhance natural habitats** and encourage local wildlife and biological diversity of the Centre's managed land;
- **Implement measures to encourage** walking, cycling and the use of public transport to access the site;
- **Reduce waste** created and where possible to reuse and recycle before responsible disposal of surplus materials. Use recycled and recyclable materials wherever possible;
- **Manage and reduce water consumption** through the use of water harvesting from our buildings and water saving devices;
- **Integrate principles of environmental sustainability** within all teaching & learning, policies and practices, including those relating to procurement of goods and services;
- **Avoid or limit the use of environmentally-damaging** substances, materials and processes wherever practical;
- **Work with partners** to realise environmental projects.

Progress on implementing all areas of this commitment will be reviewed annually by Suntrap staff. Review date February 2022.