



rethink rubbish

small actions, big changes



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Last year the average East Sussex household threw away over a tonne of rubbish.

This amount is growing by around 2% every year. But we can't go on throwing away ever increasing amounts of rubbish: it costs us money, it's a waste of resources and it damages the environment.

East Sussex County Council can help you to take small actions at home to reduce, reuse and recycle your rubbish.



How?

We are offering:

- *subsidised compost bins*
- *subsidised modern washable nappies*
- *a year's FREE subscription to Ergo, the lifestyle magazine and consumer guide to sustainable living*
- **We can also help you to set up an EcoTeam**
(see opposite page for details)



JOIN OUR ECO-TEAM PROGRAMME

EcoTeams is a programme which is new to East Sussex that helps you to save money, reduce your rubbish and make new friends into the bargain!

An EcoTeam is made up of six to eight households who work together for about four months to reduce the impact of our homes on the environment. Each team is supported by a coach who will help you through a step-by-step programme.



EcoTeams is fun, free and informative, with a range of practical ideas that will really get you on the way to a greener way of living.

Anyone can form an EcoTeam – on your street, workplace or interest group.

But places are limited!

To find out how you can take up any of these offers please talk to the Bus Team or contact us on:



01273 482323



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Ergo and EcoTeams are funded by East Sussex County Council, Global Action Plan and the European Union



BOOK THE RETHINK RUBBISH BUS



The Bus is available for open days and events. It's fun, it's free and it's fully staffed. Our specialist staff can also offer free talks and run workshops.

The Bus is packed with ideas, games and special offers to help everyone to cut the amount of rubbish we throw away.

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Or check out our website:

www.eastsussexcc.gov.uk/env/waste/rethinkrubbish.htm

The Bus exhibition has been designed by Science Museum Solutions, with content by East Sussex County Council.

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Bus Dimensions

Length	8.25m (27ft)
Height	3.5m (11ft 6")
Width	min 2.5m (8ft 2") max 5m (16ft 5")

