

Visit the Waste Education Cabin

...for a free, interactive and educational session at Edinburgh's largest Community Recycling Centre.

WHAT?

Find out what happens to Edinburgh's recycled waste and why it's important to reduce, reuse and recycle.

WHO?

The events are suitable for schools, community groups, youth groups, church groups and families in groups of up to 15.

WHERE?

The Waste Education Cabin is based within **Seafield Community Recycling Centre, Fillyside Road, Edinburgh EH7 6RD.**

WHAT HAPPENS?

A visit lasts about one and a half hours and includes:

- a waste talk
- fun activities
- a guided tour of the Community Recycling Centre
- a chance to see some special machines at work.

THEMED VISITS

You can choose from these themed visits:

Composting

Study mini beasts under the microscope and explore how they help create compost from our organic waste, plus much more. This event includes storytelling and puppetry.



Reduce reuse recycle

Learn about the three Rs in a fun and creative way, plus measure your own waste footprint. This event involves problem solving.



Make waste history

Learn about recycling and reuse through the ages and dress up as a bin collector from the past. This event includes role-playing.



HEALTH AND SAFETY INFORMATION

It is important that you follow these safety instructions when visiting the Waste Education Cabin:

- The maximum number of people that we can accept for each visit is 15 pupils and two teachers, or in the case of community groups, 15 residents and two group leaders.
- Please ensure all members of the group are appropriately dressed – everyone should bring warm, waterproof clothing and sturdy shoes or boots.
- We will provide high-visibility jackets, hard hats and protective glasses to each person for the site tour of the Community Recycling Centre.
- Groups are asked to remain together at all times within the marked out walkway and respect that this is a working site, with moving vehicles and heavy machinery.

LOCATION AND TRAVEL INFORMATION

The Waste Education Cabin is based within **Seafield Community Recycling Centre, Fillyside Road, Edinburgh EH7 6RD.**



If you are coming by public transport, you can download a map and timetable for route numbers 12 and 25 from www.lothianbuses.com

If you'd like to contact us to find out more about a visit:

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Interested in booking a visit?

Complete these boxes and return to the Waste Education Officer. Once we have agreed a time and date with you for your Cabin visit, we will contact you to confirm the booking.

Name of group:

Group leader/teacher:

Tel:

Fax:

E-mail address for group leader:

Average age of group:

Number of people in group:

Talk request (please tick)

Reduce, reuse, recycle

General waste talk

Make waste history

Composting

Food waste