

# **Veolia's Recycling Fund for Communities**

Eligible projects could receive a cash boost of up to £2000, resources or staff volunteers. To be considered, your project must demonstrate one of the following:

- Its use of recycled, reused or reclaimed materials
- Its ability to protect and preserve resources
- Its enhancement of local environments
- How it will help the community group to bounce back from the pandemic

From repair workshops and community gardens, to park cleans and lantern festivals, we love to support grassroots projects that inspire people to think differently about waste and resources. This year the Recycling Fund for Communities criteria has been expanded to include projects that help communities to bounce back from the pandemic, supporting the #BuildBackBetter agenda.

Apply here!



### **Know Your Plastic!**

It can be hard to know what to do with all the various types of plastic items we use. That's why Veolia and Camden Council have partnered with Resource London to help Londoners understand which plastics can actually be recycled.

Find out more



### Got curious kids who love our planet?

Join our special #RecycleWeek Facebook live event where the Veolia team will be showing children (and adults!) how recycling works. We'll be recording live from the Southwark Recycling Discovery Centre, which has an interactive working model of our materials recovery facility. This event is suitable for all ages but best for 5-8-year-olds.

Register your interest here



### Join in the Great British September Clean

Veolia and Camden are supporting the <u>Great British September Clean</u> (<u>GBSC</u>), which runs from September 11-27. The GBSC is a UK-wide clean-up event, organised by Keep Britain Tidy. To set up a customised dashboard for your litter pick visit <u>the GBSC website</u>.

We can provide your group (up to 6 people) with litter picking equipment. To order your kit, complete the form below.

**Litter Pick Kit Booking Form** 



# Top tips for reducing food waste

Many of us are buying more food whilst staying at home, but this doesn't have to mean more waste! Remember:

- Keep your fridge below 5 degrees your food will last up to 3 days longer.
- Plan your meals make a shopping list and stick to it
- Freeze what you can't eat you can freeze loads more than you think, including fruit, vegetables, milk, eggs, herbs, spaghetti and more

Learn how to cook meals from your leftovers here



#### **#StreetSmiles**

Thank you for the support shown for key workers, including our collection crews and street sweepers during the Covid-19 pandemic. Please continue to show your appreciation and keep those <u>#StreetSmiles</u> suns smiling in your windows!



# **Help trial our Recycling Activity Pack!**

Veolia are developing resources for teachers and parents to facilitate home learning for pupils on topics themed around recycling, reuse and waste minimisation. To ensure that this a useful educational tool, we would appreciate feedback during this trial phase. If any interested Key Stage Two students would like to trial the digital Recycling Activity Pack, please click the link below for access. Please fill out this feedback form after completion.

**Access the Recycling Activity Pack here**