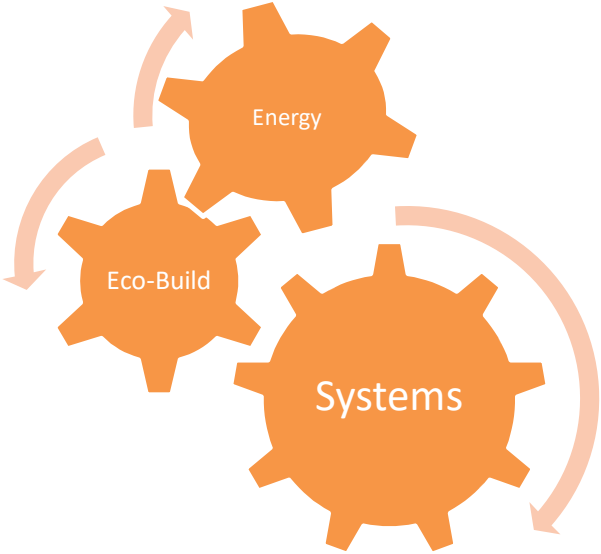
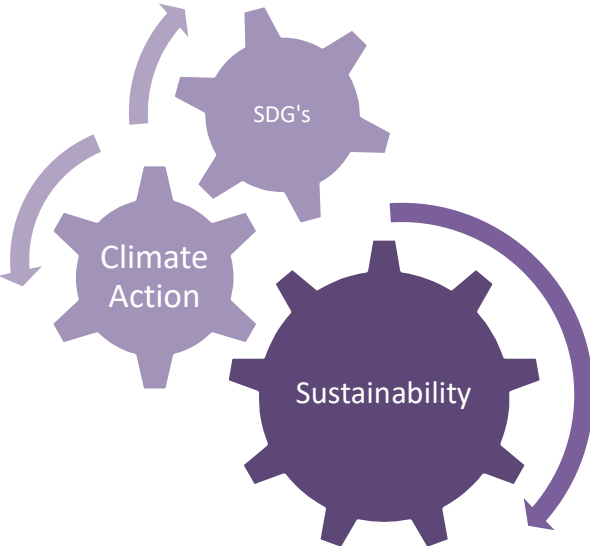


Look into wetlands as a key carbon sink. This includes field visits to manmade and natural wetlands; science based investigations with key projects

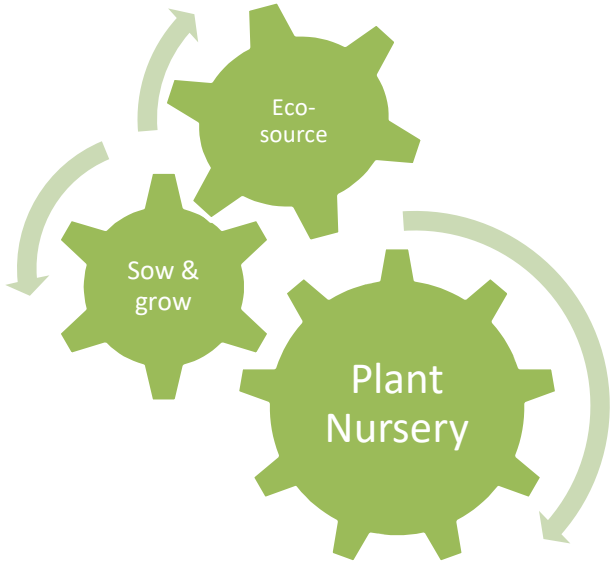
Interested in systems? This can be anything from the Principles of Permaculture through to looking at alternative forms of energy. Designing and building a tiny home, a terrarium, a bird-house or bug hotel fits in here. Very hands-on!



What does sustainability mean to your students? This theme will look into sustainability across your school. This is totally student focused for student led action.



Hort and Ag orientated from Primary to Secondary. Learn about plants, source seeds, build great soil, grow plants and become kaikiati of your planting area.



Go deeper – Get those students into nature for experiential learning. Orchards, worm farms, composting, waste avoidance, sharing kai and connecting to your community is all curriculum based and fun!



# Workshops, Events and happenings you and your students can get involved in

## January

Teacher planning support – we come to you. Book now or from 17<sup>th</sup> January

## February

Inspirational school visit – teachers do you want to see what building sustainability into your whole school looks like? Hear from the students from 2.15 then unpack how to do it yourself from 3.30 Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February. Spotswood College, New Plymouth

Wetlands field visit – open to Primary to Secondary. 25<sup>th</sup> February 10-2 @ Awatuna  
Fun science – water testing, carbon sequestration, importance of wetlands, macroinvertebrates and more. RSVP by 12<sup>th</sup> Feb.

## March

Seaweed & International Day of Action for Rivers - Litter surveys at the beach

Tues 8<sup>th</sup> Mar 10-12 @ Fitzroy Beach; Wed 9<sup>th</sup> Mar 10-12 @ Oakura beach; Thur 10<sup>th</sup> Mar 10-12 @ Patea

## April

Enjoy the holidays

## May

Biodiversity event for Primary – Int - Pukeiti Gardens, Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May 10-2. RSVP by 6<sup>th</sup> May.

## June

World Environment Day/Arbor Day – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> Jun mass planting. Book in for plants & support in your area

Garden Bird Survey – 25<sup>th</sup> Jun–3<sup>rd</sup> Jul activities your Facilitator can supply or run

Matariki/Puanga – weave the stars, build lanterns for your tupuna & share stories

Climate Change PD – Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> June. Building your confidence in teaching and supporting climate anxiety. Venue & times TBC

## July

Plastic Free July – workshops: 10 small changes. Let us know if you want to host. 3 workshops will be held

Enjoy the holidays

## August

Enviro Leaders hui/camp for students & key teachers – details TBC

Holistic Reflection hui – lead teachers prep workshop for Reflection in Terms 3 or 4. Tues 9<sup>th</sup> Aug @ TRC Stratford 3.30-5

Digging in! Compost, garden & worms workshops with students – Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug 1-3 @ Waitara, Wed 24<sup>th</sup> Aug 1-3 @ Opunake, Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> Aug @ Patea. Let us know if you want to host.

## September

Bee Awareness event for Primary-Int – Hollards Gardens - Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept, 10-2. RSVP by 9<sup>th</sup> Sept.

Te wiki o Te Reo – week 8

Transitions clusters – Teacher PD for ECE-Primary. And Primary/Int-Secondary. How do we keep the momentum moving? Focused clusters held in your Kahui Ako area. Tools for teachers and empowered tamariki. Open to non-Enviroschools as well.

## October

Enjoy the holidays

Save the Kiwi month – activity/event being planned with Rotokare Scenic Reserve

Focus on waste for Recycling Week & World Kai/Food Day – a series of workshops available on waste avoidance (composting 3 ways; preserving your harvest; a taste of the world: food from around the world). Book in if you're keen to host.

Prep your school garden for summer – potatoes, kumara and pumpkins are easy wins. Find out what else you can plant & do. Book in if you're keen to host.

## November

Sustainable Backyard Trail

Nothing New November – workshops/events available (the art of the repair: repair your clothing; clothing swaps; learn a craft: crochet, cross-stitch or knitting). Book in if you're keen to host.

## December

International Mountain Day - Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 10-2. Join your Enviroschools team, TRC and others as we learn more about and appreciate our maunga. Ideal for years 5 to 9.

Enjoy the holidays

**Contact for these workshops and events is [enviroschools@trc.govt.nz](mailto:enviroschools@trc.govt.nz)**

# Sustainable Living Programme 2022

## Future Living Skills

<https://sustainableliving.org.nz/>

### January

Sat 22/1, 10-12 Turning Green into Gold - Using your green waste as a tool—King Edward Park, Hawera

### February

Sat 12/2, 10-12 Smoke Food to Preserve your Harvest (hot smoked items) @ Opunake Community hall

### March

Fri 25/3 1-4 Preserve your Harvest (freeze, jam, pickle, dry, ferment & smoke) @ PAS—TBC

### April

Sat 23/4 10-12 Seed Saving in E-Kai Eltham Community Garden

Sat 30/4 10-12 Seed Saving in King Edward Park in Hawera

### May

Tues 17/5 10-12 Eco your Home - Stay warm for Winter in Waverley Library

### June

Sat 4/6 10-1 Composting 3 ways (bokashi, lasagne/no dig, hugelkultur), in Opunake



Are you, your community group, school, business kindergarten, marae, church or youth group keen to host a workshop like these we have 3 on offer for free

Minimum of 8 people to attend

Check out the website above for inspiration!

Please get in touch with the  
Enviroschools team on  
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We like these workshops to be open to the public and focused towards 15-105 year olds. Most are advertised on Facebook but please feel free to book your spot via the email above.

Enviroschools and the South Taranaki District Council (STDC) are proud to bring you this series of workshops