

EAQUALS ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

At Eaquals, we understand that our activities have an impact on the environment. We are committed to working to both manage and minimise that impact.

Eaquals is committed to:

- Encouraging the recycling of badges at all Eaquals training events and conferences
- Only using reusable cups at training events and conferences
- Encouraging speakers to share their handouts and powerpoints online rather than printing them out at conference
- Encouraging trainers at general training and inspector training days to share their handouts and powerpoints online rather than printing them out for participants
- Offering digital version of publications e.g. Eaquals Annual Trustee Report
- Moving towards increased number of online meetings and replacing face-to-face meetings e.g. two Eaquals Board meetings now take place online, weekly online admin meeting etc.
- Taking account of environmental and sustainability factors in the procurement of materials used e.g. sourcing recycled paper for office use, sourcing recycled paper for promotional materials etc.
- Providing conference attendees with the opportunity to offset their carbon footprint via donation at the point of conference registration.
- Encouraging members to reflect on their own environmental policies
- Reviewing, understanding and controlling the range of environmental impacts arising from our activities

Eaquals undertakes to review this policy statement on an annual base in order to promote good practice.