



QUEEN'S
UNIVERSITY
BELFAST

EUROPEAN WEEK FOR WASTE REDUCTION

2024 TIMETABLE

16 - 24 NOVEMBER 2024
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EUROPEAN WEEK
FOR WASTE
REDUCTION

MONDAY 18 NOVEMBER

11:00 - 14:30

1 ELMWOOD, MAIN FOYER
STAFF & STUDENTS

REPAIR CAFE - CLOTHING & TEXTILES

Does your favourite jumper or shirt have a rip or need a new button? Our wonderful team of volunteers have repaired things from teddy bears to jeans and everything in between. Bring your item along to our team for advice and help with repairing. First come first served. Tea, coffee and sweet treats available - bring your own cup. Email sustainability@qub.ac.uk to find out more.

11:00 - 14:30

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REUSE & REPAIR

Join us to celebrate the opening of the new Student Swap Shop. You can find out all about the world of reuse and repair with the Northern Ireland Resources Network and Belfast Tool Library. Put your reuse, repair and reimagine questions to Sue Bamford from Tools for Solidarity – view her latest collection of reimaged pieces from preloved textiles. Email sustainability@qub.ac.uk to find out more.

17:00 - 21:00

SWANSTON HOUSE
STUDENTS

PRE-LOVED POP-UP SHOP

Come along to Swanston House where we will be hosting a Preloved Pop-Up Shop by CSB Streetwear. Email accommodationevents@qub.ac.uk to find out more.

19:30 - 21:00

ELMS VILLAGE, TREEHOUSE
STUDENTS

COOKERY CLASS

Come along and find out how you can turn leftover food into tasty dishes avoiding food waste. Delivered by Active Campus. Email accommodationevents@qub.ac.uk to find out more.

TUESDAY 19 NOVEMBER

11:00 - 14:00

MEDICAL BIOLOGY
CENTRE / MBC
STAFF & STUDENTS

POP-UP BIKE CHECK

Freedom Bikes welcomes you to join them for a free pop-up bike check in the Foyer of the Medical Biology Centre / MBC. Once your bike has been checked, get a free tea or coffee from Clements - bring your own cup. Email freedommethodcycles@gmail.com to find out more.

WEDNESDAY 20 NOVEMBER

10:00 - 11:00

ELMS VILLAGE BT1 & BT9
STUDENTS

ZERO WASTE VEGAN BREAKFAST

Start your day with a zero waste vegan breakfast and find out how to reduce waste that is generated by what we consume. Students in Elms BT2, JBH & SWH welcome. Hosted by Queen's Accommodation. Use our campus Hydration Stations to stay hydrated. Email accommodationevents@qub.ac.uk to find out more.

11:00 - 13:30

McCLAY LIBRARY
STAFF, STUDENTS AND
LOCAL COMMUNITY

BIG AUTUMN LITTER PICK AT QUEEN'S

This is a wonderful opportunity to get away from the desk or laptop and join your colleagues in the great outdoors and tidy up your local community - great for your health and for our local environment. Join us afterwards at 1 Elmwood (Blue Skies Room) for a well-deserved Pizza. Email sustainability@qub.ac.uk to find out more.

THURSDAY 21 NOVEMBER

11:00 - 14:00

JUNCTION
STAFF & STUDENTS

HYDRATION STATION

Learn more about why you need to keep hydrated for your health and wellbeing, find out where you can top up your water bottles on campus and tell us where you would like to see more Hydration Stations by taking part in our survey. Email sustainability@qub.ac.uk to find out more.

ONLINE EVENT

STAFF & STUDENTS

CARBON LITERACY

Take part in the third instalment of the Carbon Literacy Programme – to find out more about future Carbon Literacy courses, go to ITrent. Email sustainability@qub.ac.uk for more information.

SATURDAY 23 NOVEMBER

13:00 - 15:00

ELMS BT9 - COMMUNITY
GARDEN & ALLOTMENT
STAFF & STUDENTS

WINTER PREP GARDENING

No dig permaculture and winter planting. Join our accommodation team for a gardening session taking place in the BT9 Community Garden and Allotment. Email mailto:accommodationevents@qub.ac.uk to find out more.