

Climate change commitment at the University of King's College

The University of King's College recognizes the importance of taking climate change action by reducing greenhouse gases to adapt to a different climate than we have known in the past. Work has begun to integrate climate action into the education King's offers as well as through its research, and operations.

In keeping with provincial, national, and international ambitions, the University of King's College commits to meet and exceed the greenhouse gas emissions reduction targets for Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions set out in the provincial Environmental Goals and Climate Change Reduction Act. These targets include reaching "...at least 53% below the levels that were emitted in 2005;" by 2030, "...and by 2050, to be net zero, by balancing greenhouse gas emissions with greenhouse gas removals and other offsetting measures." Further to this, King's will work to address the impact of Scope 3 emissions.

Some of the key strategies to achieve these reductions and adapt to a changing climate include using passive systems with enhanced design, energy and water efficiency, renewable energy on-site, renewable electricity power purchasing, and nature-based solutions. As we progress toward these goals, more information will be made available.

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