

## CONNECT WITH THE COMMUNITY



### TAKE ACTION WITH YOUR PEERS

- ✦ SGA Committee on sustainability – work on campus initiatives
- ✦ SPROUT UP – environmental science education in first + second grade classrooms
- ✦ Barnard community garden
- ✦ BOAT (Barnard Outdoor Adventure Team)

### OUTSIDE THE GATES

- ✦ Harlem grown – local urban farm educating youth about food justice and healthy living
- ✦ We ACT – a local non-profit based in Harlem that expands political participation in communities of color to impact environmental decision making.
- ✦ Check out Barnard's new office of Community Engagement and Inclusion (CEI)

*Head to our website for more opportunities!*

## ACADEMICS

Barnard offers courses that engage with sustainability & climate across disciplines from the sciences to art history or anthropology. Find a complete list of these courses on our website.



### QUESTIONS?

**FACEBOOK:** Barnard sustainability  
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## BARNARD SUSTAINABILITY FIRST YEAR GUIDE 202



CLIMATE CHANGE IS ONE OF  
THE MOST IMPORTANT AND  
PRESSING CHALLENGES  
OF OUR TIME

The urgency of this climate crisis demands action that redefines leadership, crosses disciplinary and intellectual boundaries, and addresses the structural inequalities that contribute to our current global predicament.

Barnard's climate action vision, the result of campus-wide collaborative effort, outlines our 360-degree approach that prioritizes the role of women, people of color, and low-income communities in defining new paradigms for climate leadership.

Read the full statement on our website!



Sustainability

BARNARD COLLEGE

## CIRCULAR CAMPUS

Barnard's circular campus strategy is working to reduce waste, reimagine patterns of consumption on campus, and increase access and affordability for our students.

### RHEAPLY



Check out Rheaply! Our internal reuse and exchange platform at Barnard. Students can list, rent, and request items from the Barnard community.  
*You can also earn points and win prizes!*

### BUYING BOOKS, CLOTHES & STUFF SUSTAINABLY

- Buy & sell clothes, books, dorm goods, etc. on Barnard Buy Sell Trade Facebook
- Check [CLIO.COLUMBIA.EDU](http://CLIO.COLUMBIA.EDU) to search all Barnard + Columbia libraries
- Check the lending library at the Milstein center
- Donate to & buy from local thrift stores! Here are a few nearby:
  - Goodwill: 2231 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave
  - Housing Works: 2659 Broadway
  - Salvation army: 268 W 96<sup>th</sup> St.



## ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

The consequences of climate change have a disproportionate impact on women, people of color, and those who are most economically disadvantaged in the U.S. and across the world. It is vital that the search for climate solutions include diverse viewpoints and prioritize those who have been and will be most affected. We must embrace an intersectional climate justice movement when discussing our current climate issues. Check out our website for action items, resources, and courses you can take.

## SORT YOUR WASTE



## SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING



DONATE NON-PERISABLES TO THE CU FOOD BANK



POST ANY UNWANTED FOOD ON BARNARD PAY IT FORWARD