



Default Question Block

Where did you grow up?

- Africa
- Asia
- Australia/New Zealand
- Europe
- North America
- South America
- Multiple continents

How many years have you been living in the United States?

- Under 1 year
- 1-4 years
- 4-6 years
- 6+ years

Please choose your BU affiliation.

- Undergraduate Student
- Graduate Student
- Post-Graduate
- Faculty
- Staff

Choose your affiliated school/college.**Please enter the name of your department.****Please enter your program of study.**

I am aware of Boston University's efforts in reducing our environmental footprint.

(1 = Strongly Disagree; 5 = Strongly Agree)

1 (Strongly
Disagree)

2

3

4

5 (Strongly Agree)

Please indicate the level of importance of the following sustainability-

related topics at a global scale.

	Not at all Important	Somewhat Unimportant	Neither Important nor Unimportant	Somewhat Important	Extremely Important
Slowing Climate Change	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Biodiversity Loss	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Population Growth	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sustainable Food Supply	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Economic Prosperity	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Public Health	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Access to Clean Water	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Access to Clean Air	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Access to Education	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Equality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please indicate the level of importance of the following sustainability-related topics at Boston University.

	Not at all Important	Somewhat Unimportant	Neither Important nor Unimportant	Somewhat Important	Extremely Important
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Preparing for

Climate Change	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Renewable Energy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Energy Conservation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Water Conservation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Green Buildings	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sustainable Purchasing	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recycling	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Waste Reduction	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Composting	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Indoor Air Quality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Organic and Locally-Sourced Food	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Public Transportation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you use energy-saving LED light bulbs in your dorm/apartment?

- Yes
- No
- Some
- I only use lights provided by BU

I have replaced the light bulbs in my office desk/table/floor lamp with LED

bulbs.

- Yes
- No
- Some
- N/A, I do not have any lamps.

Screen savers have been shown to waste energy and decrease the computer's battery life. My computer screen saver is set to 'blank' or 'none'.

- Yes
- No

My computer automatically goes to sleep after:

- 10 minutes or less
- More than 10 minutes/Never

Which of the following sustainable actions do you *do*?

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Most of the Time	Always
<u>Bring Your Own Mug</u>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<u>Think Before You Print</u>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<u>Turn Off the Lights</u>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<u>Recycle</u>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Unplug Your Power Cords	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Power Down Computers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Take Shorter Showers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Eat Less Meat	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wash Clothes in Cold Water	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

I am familiar with the following components of the [newly approved BU Climate Action Plan](#).

	Yes	No
A commitment for BU to achieve net zero direct emissions by 2040	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Prepare the campuses for climate change	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Begin to quantify indirect emissions by the Boston University community, such as waste, purchasing, and transportation activities.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Expand curriculum and research opportunities through an academic Initiative on Climate Change	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

and Sustainability

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sustainability@BU App	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Discounts for Using a Reusable Mug	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Annual Fund	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Goodwill, Not Landfill	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Green Buildings On-Campus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Green Restaurants On-Campus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recycling On-Campus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cardboard Recycling at Move-In	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Scarlet Squad	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sustainability Festival	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Earth Week	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sustainability Help						

Desk	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
BU Farmers Market	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dorm Energy Challenge	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Research	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sustainability-related Education	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Earth House	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
sustainability@BU on Social Media (Facebook , Twitter , Instagram , Pinterest)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Sustainability Help Desk	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
BU CRC Farmers Market	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Annual Fund	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Green Office Certification	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Sustainability Liaisons	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Research	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Sustainability Literacy Assessment

The following six questions relate to your general knowledge of sustainability concepts.

These are meant to gauge awareness. Please answer to the best of your ability.

What is the average annual cost of food waste for an American four-person household?

- \$50
 - \$230
 - \$780
 - \$1,600
 - I don't know
-

Climate change adaptation is defined as a strategy to reduce vulnerabilities to the effects of climate change. Which of the following are methods of adapting to climate change? Select all that apply.

- Adding bike lanes to streets
 - Water desalination
 - Flood defense infrastructure
 - Air conditioning in buildings
 - Funding renewable energy research and development
 - Eating less meat and dairy
 - Planting trees
 - Updating disaster response strategies
 - I don't know
-

Globally, communities face a variety of social injustices, including low wages, poor working conditions, and lack of access to education. Which of the following strategies can you employ to improve these conditions?

Select all that apply.

- Support corporations that are unaware of labor practices in their supply chain
 - Buy fair trade certified products
 - Make all purchases online
 - Learn how companies from which you buy conduct business
 - I don't know
-
-

In 2015 the total plastic bottle recycling rate in the United States was _____?

- 12%
 - 30%
 - 54%
 - 75%
 - I don't know
-
-

What is the leading driver of deforestation in the world?

- Urbanization
 - Desertification
 - Agriculture
 - Forest Fires
 - I don't know
-
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What is the definition of "carbon neutrality"?

- Having an equal number of electric vehicles and gasoline vehicles on the road
- Having or resulting in no net addition of carbon dioxide to the atmosphere

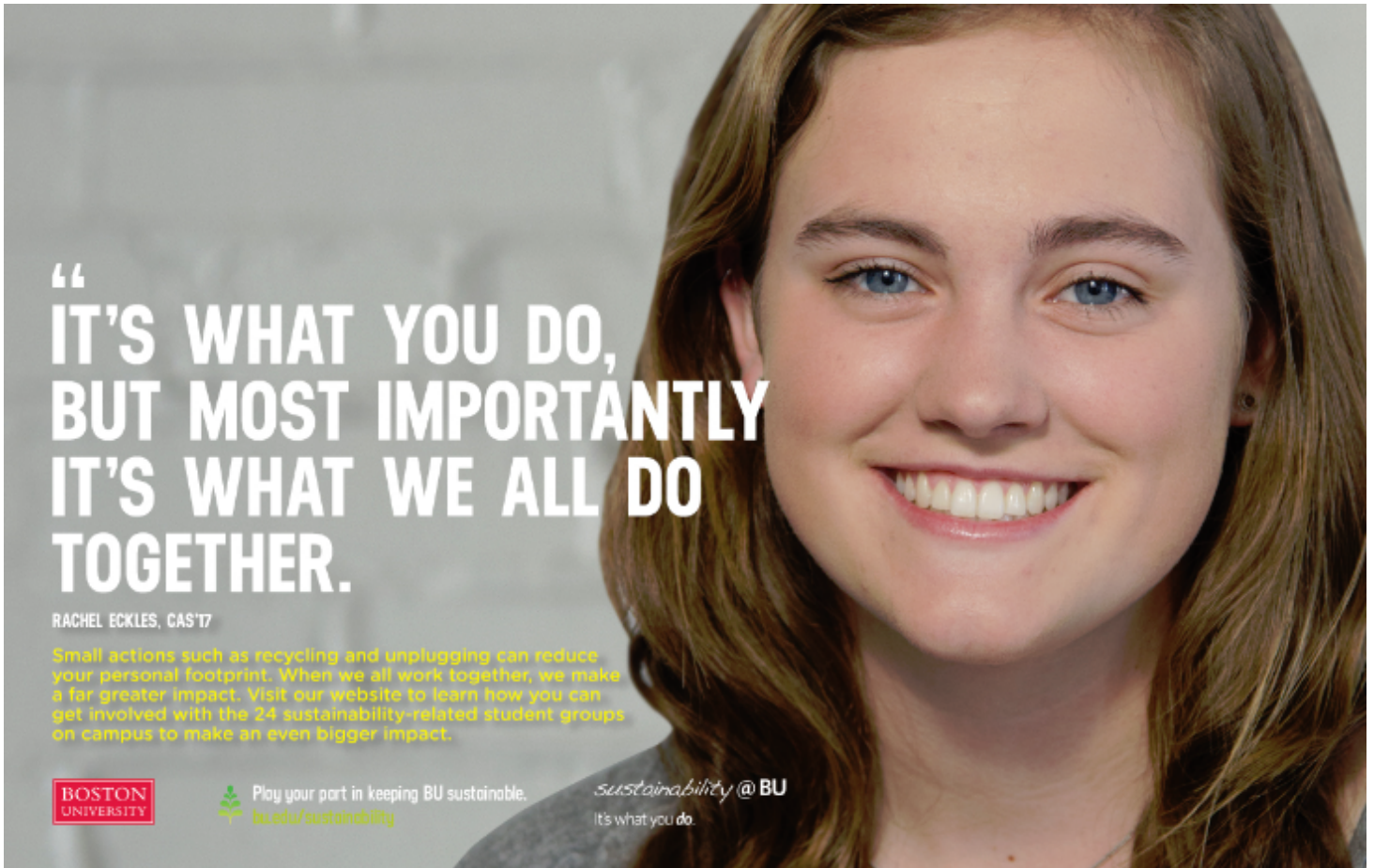
- Ensuring that global average temperatures do not increase by more than 2°C
 - Increasing the availability of carbon offset programs for consumers
 - I don't know
-

During your time at Boston University, how many courses have you taken that address topics presented in this survey?

- 0 (none that I remember)
 - 1-2
 - 3 or more
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If you have taken classes during your time at Boston University, how many courses have you taken that address topics presented in this survey?

- 0 (none that I remember)
 - 1-2
 - 3 or more
 - I have never taken classes at Boston University
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What are you doing?

We want to recognize people who are going above and beyond, living sustainably or bringing awareness to sustainability issues at Boston University. If you know someone making meaningful contributions, please identify them and state what they are doing.

We would love to hear your comments!

Thank you for your time in taking this survey. If you would like to be entered into a drawing for *your choice of BeatsX Wireless In-Ear Headphones or a fitbit Charge 2*, please click 'Yes' to submit your name and email address.

(Names and email addresses will not be associated with your answers to the survey above.)

- Yes, I would like to enter the prize drawing.
- No, I do not want to enter the prize drawing.



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