**Sustainability Literacy Assessment

The Sustainability Literacy Survey is created to gather information about the awareness levels of USD students.**

**1. Are you:**

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|  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifAre you:  Undergraduate Student. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifGraduate Student. |

**2. Are you aware of composting on campus?**

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|  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifAre you aware of composting on campus?  No. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifYes, but I do not dispose of my food scraps there. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifYes, and I use it to dispose my food scraps sustainably. |

**3. Are you aware of the Zero Waste Initiatives and Zero Waste events?**

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|  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifAre you aware of the Zero Waste Initiatives and Zero Waste events? No. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifYes, I am aware of Zero Waste initiatives, but have not been part of one. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifYes, I am aware of Zero Waste initiatives, and have attended Zero Waste events. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifYes, I am aware of Zero Waste initiatives and am enthusiastic to volunteer for spreading awareness. |

**4. Are you involved with campus sustainability clubs such as Be Blue Go Green and Net Impact?**

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|  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifAre you involved with campus sustainability clubs such as Be Blue Go Green and Net Impact?  No. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifI know of them, but not involved. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifI know and have been involved with them in the past. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifI am involved in another "Green" club on USD campus. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifI am involved deeply in sustainability related clubs on campus. |

**5. Taking shorter showers will:**

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|  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifTaking shorter showers will:  Save water by reducing water use. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifSave electricity and/or gas by reducing water heating needs. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifSave money by reducing the electricity and water use. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifAll of the above. |

**6. Turning off lights when you leave a room will:**

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|  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifTurning off lights when you leave a room will:  Save electricity and reduce energy consumption. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifSave electricity by reducing air conditioning need during hotter seasons. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifWaste electricity as all light bulbs use more energy to start up several times than remaining on. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifa and b. |

**7. Did you learn something new about sustainability at USD this year?**

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|  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifDid you learn something new about sustainability at USD this year?  Yes. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifNo. https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gifSomewhat. |

**8. What is one way that you think USD can be more sustainable?**



**9. On a scale of 1-5, with 5 being confident about subject and 1 being no knowledge of the subject, how would you rate your knowledge of the following sustainability topics?**

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| Causes of climate change |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| Global impacts of possible sea level rise |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| Causes and effects of air pollution |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| Causes and effects of water pollution |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| Emissions trading and carbon taxes |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| Effects of population growth on food security |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
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| How the electricity you use at home is generated |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| Ecological implications of global warming |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| California drought conditions |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| Safe disposal of E-Waste |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |

**10. From a scale of 1 to 5, with 1 being the least important and 5 being the most important, answer the following questions.**

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| How important is sustainability to you? |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |
| How important is it that USD is involved in sustainable activities? |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |  https://www.surveymonkey.com/i/t.gif |