

SUSTAINABILITY AT CNM

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CNM's overarching Sustainability goal is to reduce waste, water use, energy use, and carbon emissions while educating the CNM community about sustainable practices.

Sustainability best practices for students

- ▶ **Recycle More**
 - Plastic, paper and aluminum are recyclable and may be placed together in any recycling bin on campus. **DO NOT CONTAMINATE** the bin with food, grease, gum or liquids. If a bin is contaminated with a single item, often everything becomes contaminated and gets thrown into the landfill!
 - ▶ **Conserve Water**
 - Don't leave water running for any reason at CNM. Report any leaks to Physical Plant through the work order form found on their Maintenance tab on their website.
 - ▶ **Reduce Waste**
 - Bring your own reusable coffee and water containers from home and receive the "refill" discount for coffee at the Grab and Go shops on campus!
 - We have hydration stations with filtered water all over campus for you to enjoy. This water is treated to the same or a higher standard than bottled water!
 - To dry your hands, fold your paper towels once in half, to reduce the need for additional paper towels—it works!
 - ▶ **Conserve Energy and Reduce Emissions**
 - Be aware of occupancy sensors in rooms. Wait for the light to turn on. If you need to turn the light on manually, do not forget to turn it off!
 - Buttons are fun! But PLEASE do NOT use ADA compliant doors (automatic) unless necessary. ALWAYS use the other door.
 - Bicycle and take public transportation as much as possible. CNM offers free bus passes to all students, staff and faculty. This further supports our commitment to the climate!
- For more information on the many sustainability related activities on campus, contact CNM's Campus Living Lab & Sustainability Project Manager, Molly Blumhoefer: mblumhoefer@cnm.edu



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