

## Green Workplace Survey Ideas

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### GENERAL SECTION

How satisfied are you with various aspects of your workplace?

*Mark only one oval per row*

*(-3 very dissatisfied, -2 somewhat, -1 slightly, 0 Neutral, +1 slightly satisfied, +2 somewhat, +3 very)*

- Overall thermal comfort (temperature, humidity)
- Air quality (smells, irritants, allergens)
- Lighting (level, intensity, color)
- Recycling & trash collection system

Please rate your thermal comfort in your workplace during different seasons:

*Mark only one oval per row*

*(-3 too cold, -2, -1, 0 comfortable, +1, +2, +3 too hot)*

- During hot or warm weather (summer)
- During cold or cool weather (winter)
- During mild weather (spring or fall)

Do you have any suggestions for improving these aspects of your workplace?

*And if you would like to allow someone to follow up to address your thermal comfort issues, please describe the location of your office, cubicle or desk (indicate floor # in the building, room number, etc.)*

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### RECYCLING / WASTE SECTION

What are your recycling habits in your workplace?

- I recycle as much as possible
- I try to recycle most of the time
- I recycle sometimes
- I don't usually recycle
- I never recycle

What are the primary obstacles to recycling in your workplace? (choose up to 2)

- Not applicable – There are no major obstacles for me
- Inconvenience – There are not enough bins conveniently available
- Uncertainty – I'm not sure what items are recyclable
- Insufficient collection – Bins are usually full when I need them
- Lack of faith – I've heard it all just goes to the dump anyway
- Redundancy – I've heard recyclables get sorted out of the trash by someone else
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any suggestions for improving recycling in your workplace?

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## TRANSPORTATION SECTION

What is the zip code of your primary residence?

What is your primary mode of commuting between home and your workplace?

- Drive alone
- Carpool / Vanpool (2 or more people)
- Bus / Shuttle
- Bicycle
- Walk
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

What is your primary mode of transportation around Grounds?

- Drive alone
- Carpool / Vanpool (2 or more people)
- Bus / Shuttle
- Bicycle
- Walk
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

## GREEN ACTIONS SECTION

How familiar are you with the following UVA resources?

*Mark only one oval per row*

*(0 not at all familiar, 1 somewhat familiar, 2 very familiar)*

- Hoo's Well health resources and deals
- Free public transportation with Charlottesville Area Transit (CAT)
- The Cavpool carpool incentives program
- Occasional parking permits
- E-cycling spent batteries, ink cartridges, and other electronics
- The Reusable Office Supply Exchange (R.O.S.E.)
- The UVA ReUse Store
- Zero-waste event support

For the following sustainable actions, check the first box if you are already doing this, the second box if you would be interested in doing this, or the third box if you are not interested:

- Use energy- and paper-saving settings on my computer
- Toss trash in a centralized receptacle instead of having a personal trash can
- Use a common printer/copier instead of a personal one in my office or cubicle
- Use a common refrigerator/microwave/coffee maker instead of a personal one
- Use natural light or otherwise minimize my use of electric lighting
- Seek out office supplies that are reused, recycled, or sustainable in some way
- Use washable plates and cups instead of disposable ones
- Work toward making events involving food and beverages 'zero-waste'
- Compost food waste in the workplace
- Attend an optional event with a sustainability-related speaker
- Hear a guest speaker share sustainable workplace actions
- Other sustainable action: \_\_\_\_\_

Please share any other thoughts or ideas related to sustainability in your workplace:

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#### CONFIRMATION SCREEN

Thank you for completing the survey. Consider the following ways engage in sustainability at UVA:

- Stay in the loop by subscribing to the bi-weekly Sustainability Newsletter
- Indicate an interest in joining a “Green Team” in your workplace by emailing [sustainability@virginia.edu](mailto:sustainability@virginia.edu)