# CSUDH SUSTAINABILITY Walking Map



- This cutting-edge commercial kitchen features all-electric appliances as part of a grant through Southern California Edison.
- CSUDH buildings are equipped with innovative energy-efficient lighting, HVAC, and occupancy sensors that have earned multiple recognitions and awards from the State of California
- The weekly Farmers Market brings fresh farm produce to the South Walkway every Tuesday 9am-3pm during the semester as well as EBT/Market Match services.
- This nationally recognized Tesla battery storage array allows the university to store 1MW/4 hrs of energy to reduce impact on the electrical grid.
- This 100% renewable energy picnic shelter features net zero technologies and also meeting space for the Sustainability
- The Science building is LEED Platinum certified, the highest green building LEED rating possible.
- Follow the signs for the campus walking trail to go on a flat ~2 mile walking loop of CSUDH and Dignity Sports Health
- This is one of multiple ecological areas and gardens on campus featuring California native species. Check the "landscape" section of the Sustainability website for more into
- The Campus Urban Farm grows fresh produce for students in-need. Visit the "Farm" section of the Sustainability website for more info.
- There are hydration stations to refill your reusable wate bottle on every water fountain in stateside buildings.
- Recycle used batteries at the public campus drop-off locations at the Visitor Information Center (WH), COE lobby, Library Front Desk, Physical Plant front desk and/or IT Help Desk (NSM 151)
- There is almost 1MW of rooftop solar on five campus buildings: Gym, SCI, Library, SBS, and WH

#### Other Useful Services:

- There are dedicated EV (electric vehicle) charging station parking spots in Lot 2 & 3 as well as LaCorte Hall.
- The bus stop in front of he North Lawn is serviced by three different bus lines (Carson, Torrance, Metro) as well as the free Toro Express campus shuttle to the Metro Blue Line and Artesia Transit Center.
- Planning a campus event? Consult the Green Event Checklist on our website (Sustainable Procurement section) to make sure you are requesting the most eco-friendly options and supplies.
- Love to garden? The CSUDH Seed Library offers seeds for vegetables, herbs, and flowers. All CSUDH Library users are
  welcome to freely take seeds from the collection, located on the 2nd floor of the Library (South).
- CSUDH is a member of AASHE (the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability In Higher Education, aashe.org) which
  means anyone with an @csudh.edu e-mail address can create a free log-in and access curriculum content, webinars, and other
  resources to support sustainability integration on campus.



# CSUDH SUSTAINABILITY Toro Green Guide

Your staff and faculty roadmap to becoming a greener Toro!

#### sustainable development

"Development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs."

World Commission on Environment and Development



Sun-power your devices! Plug in at our orange solar umbrellas via the USB port at the base. Find them in the Library Courtyard and other locations on campus!



Shop at the CSUDH Farmers Market! Every Tuesday during the semester 9am-3pm @the South Walkway

#### Where to Start:

Even small actions can help our campus go green. If every one of our 17,000+ Toros does their part, we can make a big difference in reducing our campus footprint!



The campus has nearly 1MW of rooftop solar as well as a 1MW/4 hour Tesla battery storage system which offsets about a third of our campus energy consumption. We rely on Toros to help us cut consumption on the rest!



We also use 54 million gallons of water, and produce almost 1200 tons of landfill waste every year.

#### Save Money

- Purchase a Toro Token (\$5) at Toro
   Fresh to gain access to a clean reusable container every visit as well as special deals on your meals there!
- Instead of buying bottled water, fill up at our free on-campus hydration stations.
- Get \$ incentives for ride-sharing and taking alternative transport to campus (visit csudh.edu/rideshare)

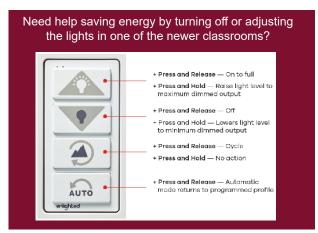




#### **Report Waste**

Report water leaks, hot/cold issues, and other maintenance issues to Facilities Work Control at x3804 or on the Facilities Services website. (QR code to the right).





#### Avoid the Landfill

Trash goes directly to the landfill. If you have an item that can be recycled, get it to the right bin!



## MIXED RECYCLING

Blue bins or blue lids accept:

- Plastics (hard)
- Paper & Cardboard
- Cartons and waxy paper
- Metal- cans, scrap metal
- Glass- jars, containers, all colors



Green "Compost" compartment in grey zero waste bins accept:

Food only! No packaging except **clear** plastic bags used to hold the scraps is allowed.

• Meats and proteins, bones, baked goods, pastas, fruits, veggies are all acceptable!

#### **Get Comfortable**

Need supplies for your office? Save money and pick up items for free at the Pop Up Thrift distribution events held at the Farmers Market the first week of every semester.

Trying to downsize? E-mail the DH E-mail listserv first to see if you can find your item a new home before contacting Facilities to haul it away.

**Bonus tip:** Try out ergonomic chairs for free before buying one by calling EHOS at x3012 to participate in their loaner chair program.



Free battery recycling buckets and pick up for batteries, e-waste, CD's/DVD's and used HP print cartridges is available. Place a Facilities Work Order to request pick-up or buckets.

#### **Contact Us**

Want to use the Campus Urban Farm or Net Zero Innovation Center for class tours or service-learning? Get involved with our green initiatives? Just get more information? Contact us!



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