

**Greenhouse gas emissions from Central Bedfordshire Council's own estate,
outsourced operations and Schools for the years 2009/10 to 2013/14**

		Scope 1	Scope 2	Scope 3	Total	Combined total
09/10	Corporate	1,350.05	7,076.16	8,832.17	17,258.38	35,108.49
	Schools	8,615.72	9,234.38	-	17,850.11	
10/11	Corporate	1,653.14	6,549.20	6,761.17	14,963.51	34,214.32
	Schools	10,489.79	8,761.02	-	19,250.81	
11/12	Corporate	1,411.01	6,970.92	7,714.40	16,096.32	30,748.37
	Schools	6,623.68	8,028.37	-	14,652.04	
12/13	Corporate	1,423.84	5,917.60	7,681.40	15,022.85	31,457.48
	Schools	8,323.13	8,111.50	-	16,434.63	
13/14	Corporate	1,296.26	6,172.14	5,288.83	12,757.23	26,738.11
	Schools	6,399.73	7,581.15	-	13,980.88	

All figures in tonnes of CO_{2e}

Scope 1: Fuels directly combusted on site e.g. gas and oil for heating

Scope 2: Purchased electricity

Scope 3: Transport related activities (e.g. business mileage) and outsourced services such as Leisure Centres, Highways and waste collection

Observations:

- The figures quoted are not final and are in the process of going through verification checks, this means that the totals may be subject to change, although it is anticipated that this will be marginal and the general trend will remain the same.
- Steady progress has been made in reducing emissions representing a 23.8% reduction from the 09/10 baseline.
- This represents a saving in energy bills of approximately £104,670 from the Council's Corporate estate and £265,000 for Schools.
- The impact of milder winter in 2013/14 should be noted, especially when it comes to scope 1 CO₂ emissions.
- Reduction in emissions from schools has been delivered through much improved engagement with schools on energy issues.

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