

# Sustainability at Concordia University

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## TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

We would like to begin by acknowledging that Concordia University is located on unceded Indigenous lands. The Kanien'kehá:ka Nation is recognized as the custodians of the lands and waters on which we gather today. Tiohtià:ke/Montréal is historically known as a gathering place for many First Nations. Today, it is home to a diverse population of Indigenous and other peoples. We respect the continued connections with the past, present and future in our ongoing relationships with Indigenous and other peoples within the Montreal community.

## SUSTAINABILITY RESOURCE GUIDE

Whether you are a student, staff or faculty member, this guide will help you navigate sustainability at Concordia University. We encourage you to take advantage of these resources and to join our sustainability community!

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# 1. Sustainable & Affordable Food

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## People's Potato

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Free vegan meals  
Every weekday from 12:30 to 2 pm  
7th floor of the Hall building

## Mother Hubbard's Cupboard

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\$2 vegan meals  
Mondays from 5 to 7 pm  
2090 Mackay (Z-105/106)



## The Hive Café

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Locally & ethically sourced, affordable food

Loyola: 7141 Sherbrooke  
Street W. SC-200  
Mon-Thurs: 8:30am to 4pm  
Fri: 9am to 2pm

Downtown: 1455 De  
Maisonneuve Blvd. W. H-290  
Mon-Thurs: 8:15am to 6:30pm  
Fri: 8:15am to 5pm

## Le Frigo Vert

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Cheap organic produce and bulk food, and a  
pay-what-you-can café  
1440 Mackay St



## Concordia Farmer's Market

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Selection of local and organic foods  
One Wednesday per month from 11-6pm  
SGW campus - in front of the Hive Café

[Click here to learn more about sustainable food initiatives at Concordia](#)

## 2. Sustainable & Affordable School Supplies

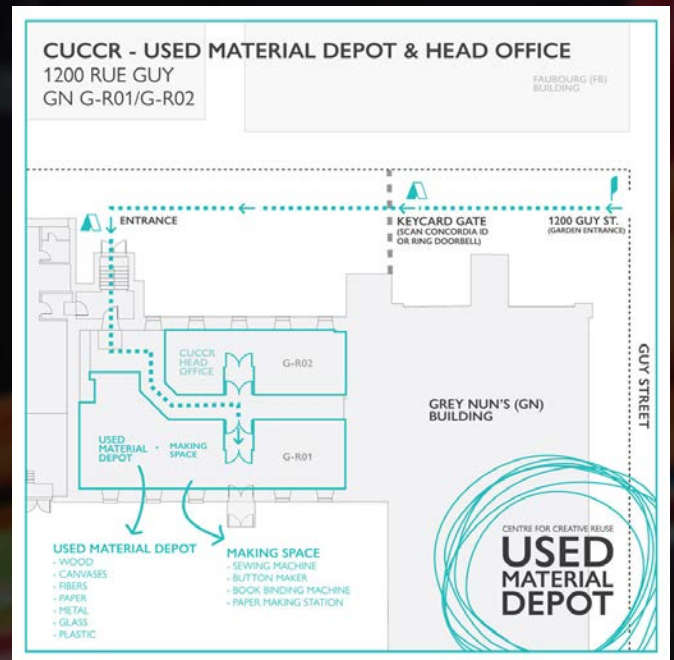
### Concordia University's Center for Creative Reuse (CUCCR)

CUCCR is dedicated to diverting materials from inside Concordia's waste-stream and offering them to the general community free of cost.

You can find some pretty cool stuff!

Have questions? Send them an email at [reuse@concordia.ca](mailto:reuse@concordia.ca)

Address:  
1200 Rue Guy  
GN G-R01/G-R02



### Concordia Co-op Bookstore



An independent, not-for-profit co-operative offering new and used books, and a wide variety of local artisan items.

Store Address:  
2150 rue Bishop  
Montreal, QC H3G 2E9

## 3. Sustainable & Affordable Transportation

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### BIXI Bikes

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There are currently six BIXI stations on or near the downtown SGW Campus and two at Loyola. Get 10% discount [here](#).

### Cycling Groups

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[Right to Move](#) is a non-profit organization that believes bicycles are a form of transportation that should be available to all.

[Le Petit Vélo Rouge \(LPVR\)](#) is a collectively run campus and community bike organization in Montreal.



### Reduced-fare Public Transit Pass

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All full-time students at Concordia have access to a 40% fare reduction on a transit pass with the STM.

More information on reduced-fare transit pass at [Concordia's Birks Student Service Centre](#).

[Click here to learn more about sustainable transportation](#)

## 4. Sustainability Engagement

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### Sustainability Ambassadors Program

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Ambassadors increase sustainability awareness on campus and support others to develop more sustainable behaviors while gaining leadership and development opportunities.

[Become a Student Ambassador!](#) [Become an Employee Ambassador!](#)



### Sustainable Concordia

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Sustainable Concordia is a resource initiative that takes action to reform, transform, and revolutionize unjust systems contributing to the climate crisis by connecting students, faculty, administration, and the wider community. Explore ways to [get involved](#), and keep an eye on their amazing [Sustainability Mixer!](#)



### CEED Concordia

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CEED Concordia is a non-profit organization focused on experiential learning and social change. CEED offers Concordia students an opportunity to contribute to sustainable community projects in northern Uganda, such as a 3-month internships during the semester.

### Sustainability Action Fund (SAF)

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SAF is on the mission to build an inclusive culture of sustainability at Concordia University by enabling, supporting, and financing student-driven projects that tackle interconnected environmental, social, and economic issues. Have an idea? [Apply for funding!](#)

Are you a student, staff or faculty ready to develop a project to help Concordia achieve the goals and targets of the Sustainability Action Plan? [Apply for the Living Lab Funding Program!](#)

[Click here to learn more about how to get involved in sustainability](#)

## 5. Sustainability in Curriculum & Research

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### Loyola College for Diversity and Sustainability

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Delve into some of the most complex and challenging issues facing humankind at this honours college. Loyola College for Diversity and Sustainability offers a Minor and Elective Group in Sustainability Studies and a Minor in Diversity and the Contemporary World, as well as a membership program.



### Loyola Sustainability Research Centre

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The LSRC brings faculty members, students, and post-doctoral associates from across the university together to explore the many facets of sustainability and resilience.

### Sustainability Programs & Course Lists

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Choose from more than 30 undergraduate, graduate and professional programs and certifications that can enhance your understanding of sustainability concepts. Check out our [sustainability programs list](#).

Concordia offers many courses with a sustainability focus. Explore our [sustainability course list](#) and integrate them into your curriculum. Be sure to check out the [Indigenous course list](#) and [BIPOC course list](#) as well.

## 6. List of Sustainability Resources

### Waste

- [Zero Waste Concordia](#)
- [Concordia University's Centre for Creative Reuse \(CUCCR\)](#)
- [Concordia Precious Plastic Project](#)
- [Waste Not, Want Not](#)
- [The Dish Project](#)
- [E-Waste Recycling](#)
- [Food Cycle](#)
- [Compost](#)

### Biodiversity

- [The WWF Living Planet @ Campus](#)
- [Concordia Pollinators Initiative](#)

### Social Justice

- [Sustainable Concordia](#)
- [Black Perspectives Office](#)
- [Indigenous Directions Hub](#)
- [CEED Concordia](#)
- [Centre for Gender Advocacy](#)
- [Queer Concordia](#)
- [Quebec Public Interest Research Group Concordia \(QPIR\)](#)

### Funding

- [Sustainability Action Fund](#)

*Pitch your idea!*

### Academic

- [Loyola College for Diversity and Sustainability](#)
- [Loyola Sustainability Research Centre](#)
- [Sustainability Courses](#)

### Food

- [People's Potato](#)
- [Hive Café Solidarity Co-op](#)
- [Le Frigo Vert](#)
- [Concordia Farmer's Market](#)
- [Fair Trade Concordia](#)
- [Concordia Greenhouse](#)
- [Concordia Food Coalition](#)
- [City Farm School](#)
- [Campus Potager](#)

*An awesome place to study!!*

### Events

- [Sustainable Event Certification](#)

*For students, faculty and staff!*

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