Office of Sustainability
November 2021

Happy Texas Arbor Day!

Texas Arbor Day Tree Planting
Texas Arbor Day, established in 2013, is celebrated on the first Friday of each November. Texas trees are planted in fall, as opposed to national Arbor Day in April, since temperature and rainfall conditions in Texas are not suitable for young trees at that time. Join us for a tree planting along Facilities Way as a late Texas Arbor Day celebration on the morning of November 19th (time to be determined). Read more >
Final E-Waste Recycling Event of the Semester

Meet us at the SU Plinth on November 9th from 12pm to 2pm! Don’t miss your last opportunity to recycle your consumer electronic waste ethically, sustainably, and free of charge. We take most small consumer electronics such as laptops, cell phones, TVs, printers, and more. Email sustainability@utdallas.edu with questions! Read more >

Trick or Trash!

Got Halloween candy wrappers left over? Don’t throw them out! The Office of Sustainability is participating in Trick or Trash this year and will be collected used candy wrappers from your Halloween cand haul. Bring them to the Office of Sustainability in trailer 2 at the Facilities Management complex or participate in our collection event at the SU Plinth November 5th from 10am to 12pm. Read more >
Eco Hub Launch a Smashing Success

On the morning of Saturday, October 23rd, 45 undergraduate and graduate student volunteers convened at our brand-new student farm. They had the opportunity to paint a paver that represents their plant family, research their vegetables, and plant seeds, and have been tending to the new seedlings since. We are not accepting additional volunteers for the fall, but more opportunities may be available in spring. Follow our newsletter and social media for more information when it's available. Read more >

Got old pumpkins?

Are you hanging onto a Jack-o-Lantern laying round that has simply outlived its purpose? Throw it right in the compost or try one of these four creative reuse ideas. Read more >

The Greenhouse

Here you can find updates to the UT Dallas Eco Rep blog!

Texas Arbor Day

Get the scoop about Texas Arbor day from
Keeping UTD Green
How can you be sustainable as we transition to a more normal semester? Yen has some tips for you. **Head to The Greenhouse!**

Trick or Trash
How can you dispose of your Halloween candy sustainably? Hear about an initiative led by Anastasia. **Head to The Greenhouse!**

UNIV 3310 and Trinity River Audubon Center
What is restoration ecology, and how can you get involved at UTD and in DFW? Mohini has more information. **Head to The Greenhouse!**

Last, Don't Crash
Swap sugar for your honey in your coffee for a better energy boost! Learn how from Eve. **Head to The Greenhouse!**
Important Dates

Trick or Trash

**Nov 5th**, 10a - 12p

November E-Waste Recycling

**Nov 9th**, 12p - 2p

Create Your Own Herb Garden

**Nov 18th**, 11a - 12p

Texas Arbor Day Tree Planting

**Nov 19th**, Morning (Time TBD)

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