HI, HOW ARE YOU?

WELCOME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO

We’re the UI Sustainability Center, and we’re happy to meet you.

We remember how it was to start college: exciting, terrifying, and the best thing we could ever imagine.

We’re all about making our university more sustainable, and that starts with you. The next few pages are packed with ways to make your time at this fine university better than you can even imagine with us!
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A TOOLKIT FOR YOU

Here’s your standard-issue toolkit. We’ve got everything you need to make this year your best yet.

Okay, maybe you don’t need a magnifying glass for college, but we can dream. These next few pages are the real toolkit.

Keep an eye out for bonus tips for surviving your first year at Idaho!
Volunteer with us to meet new people and make an impact on the Idaho campus!

We offer many volunteer opportunities and can help with your service-learning requirements and philanthropy hours. Click the pictures for more info.

**BONUS TIP:** Stay out of Brink Hall unless you have 45 minutes to spare. You’ll get lost.
A CAMPUS CULTURE SHIFT
SUSTAINING IDAHO

Each year we bust our butts putting on events and starting projects to make our university more sustainable.

We do it all:
Student grants
Movie showings
Recycling programs
Composting programs
Concerts
Jobs and internships
And much more!

BONUS TIP: Get a REC buddy. It never hurts to have help fighting the Freshman 15!
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RECYCLING PILOTS

You’ve picked the right time to come to Idaho. The Sustainability Center is launching pilot recycling programs in the fall. We’re also expanding recycling at UI sports and other events!

Each system will be centralized and hassle-free so you can easily recycle paper, aluminum, plastic, and cardboard.

Want to get involved? We’re always looking for volunteers to improve recycling on campus. Shoot us an email at uisc@uidaho.edu.

BONUS TIP: Alice’s Room on the fourth floor of the Commons is the perfect place for a nap.
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UIISC EVENTS

The Sustainability Center hosts all kinds of events for students.

Keep an eye out for the next Bike Fix. Win some cool swag and have professionals help you tune-up your bike for free!

Every year, we hold our Earth Week Concert — free music and free tacos. What more could you ask for?

**BONUS TIP:** Try to study during the day — relax at night! Join an intramural team with friends.

**BONUS TIP:** Be ready for your fifth week. That’s your first moment of REAL college.
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FOOD & FARM COMPOSTING

The Food & Farm program sorts food waste at the Commons Food Court for composting.

Food is then taken to the UI dairy and finished compost is used as bedding for UI dairy cows.

We’re always looking for students to help people sort. Volunteers get a free lunch!

BONUS TIP: Seriously, volunteer with the Food & Farm program and get a free lunch from Campus Dining!
MAKE A DIFFERENCE

STUDENT GRANTS

Have an idea for the next big project? We can help you out. We award $15,000 in grant money each year to self-motivated students who want to make a real, permanent, sustainable change on campus and in communities.

We’ve helped students build greenhouses and irrigation systems, publish large-scale photography books, and more.

BONUS TIP: Eat at the Commons and compost! If you don’t compost, the cows get sad.
RAKE IN THE BENJAMINS

A PLACE TO SUCCEED

The Sustainability Center hires 9 students to pursue opportunities in research, marketing, event planning, volunteer recruitment, and management each spring.

We also offer paid and unpaid internships on our website. Keep an eye on the UI Human Resources website for job openings or subscribe to our mailing list and get all the info first!

BONUS TIP: Don’t drink coffee? START.
CONNECT WITH US

CALL US MAYBE

The easiest way to keep up with the Sustainability Center is to follow us on Facebook and Twitter!

We post updates of our own projects and events as well as international and regional sustainability news.

We can be your own digital Pony Express!

On Twitter: @sustainable_ui

On Facebook: facebook.com/uisustainability

Email: uisc@uidaho.edu

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WHO WE ARE
A QUICK LOOK AT UIISC

The University of Idaho Sustainability Center organizes and supports efforts to create an active culture of sustainability on campus and in the communities where we operate through projects that reduce our environmental footprint and increase participation and collaboration among students, faculty, staff and community members in addressing sustainability-related issues.

BONUS TIP: Come visit us! We’re on the first floor of Shoup Hall — Room 105.