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SPACES AND SUSTAINABILITY IN LONDON

WHAT MAKES LONDON A GREEN AND ICONIC CITY ?



The greater London urban area has over 35,000 acres of public green spaces, including over 3,000 parks. Around 40% of the entire greater London area consists of parks and green spaces. In addition, London is a global leader in renewable energy, energy efficient and sustainable mass transit. London is considered one of the top cities in the world for green buildings due to their focus on developing energy-efficient buildings, such as BREEAM buildings. Roofs and walls covered in plants, street trees and small pocket parks in between buildings make the city a better place to live, work and invest. These green features act as part of London's green infrastructure network to help clean our air, reduce the risk of flooding and keep the city cool. One of the most iconic buildings in London is the Palace of Westminster. London is endowed with rich history and contemporary architecture and historical monuments. It also houses world-class museums, galleries, and cosmopolitan vibes, attracting tourists worldwide.

WHAT IS LONDON DOING TO BE EVEN MORE SUSTAINABLE AND ECOLOGICAL?

The Mayor of London has set a revised, more ambitious target of net zero carbon emission by 2030. The UK government has set a goal for the entire country to reduce greenhouse gas emission by 78% by 2035 compared to 1990 levels.

To achieve net zero, London is engaged in ambitious energy efficiency and renewable energy strategies. London boasts one of the greatest sustainable mass public transportation networks in the world. London recognizes the importance of new clean energy efficiency technology in contributing towards its carbon emission reduction goals. London has set a target of supplying 25% of London's energy from decentralized energy by 2025.

