# **GREEN AND ICONIC CIT**

London, is a city that mixes history with modern sustainability. During my recent visit, I discovered how London is working to become greener and more environmentally friendly, while remaining an icon destination. Here are some examples of places and pratices that make London a unique and iconic green city.

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# Green spaces in the city:

London has many beautiful parks, like st James's Park, which we had the chance to visit. These parks are not only for relaxation but also help clean the air and support wildlife. You can find many animals there, like squirrels and geese.47 % of London is green space, making it one of the greenest cities in the world.



# **Eco-friendly transportation:**

London encourages eco-friendly transportation. We saw several traditional red buses, including some electric buses, and we noticed that many people were using the bicycles avalaible for transportation.

The city has a famous « Boris Bike » system, where people can rent a bike for a short ride. There are also many charging stations for electric cars, which help reduce air pollution.





## **Innovative green buildings:**

London is home to many green buildings that save energy and water. For example we were lucky to see the famous « gherkin », a building that uses a special design to save electricity by using natural light. Many other buildings have plants on their roofs, which helps reduce flooding and supports nature in the city.

### **Iconic landmarks and cultural experiences:**

London is not only a green city but also a city full of iconic landmarks.

During our visit, we explored some of its most famous attractions: The London Eye, the giant Ferris wheel offers breathtaking views of the city, showcasing both its modern skyline and historic landmarks. Tower Bridge, a must-see with its impressive architecture, offering panoramic views of the Thames. St. Paul's Cathedral, a stunning historic monument known for its magnificent dome, dominating the London skyline. Imperial War Museum, a fascinating museum that gives insight into Britain's war history. Science Museum a family-friendly museum showcasing impressive exhibits on technology and innovation. And finally Stamford Bridge Stadium, a legendary sports venue for football fans, home to Chelsea FC.

#### To conclude:

London is working hard to be a green city. With its parks, eco-friendly transports, green buildings, and iconic landmarks, London is setting an example for all cities that can be environmentally responsible while celebrating their unique heritage.

