

Waste Reduction Tips

- Take only what you plan to use and eat. This includes food, napkins, straws, plastic drink tops, etc.
- Bring a reusable mug with you on campus for trips to coffee shops.
- Shut off all of your electronic equipment at night. It saves lots of energy!
- Edit papers on your computer rather than printing out copies to edit.
- Reuse paper printed on one side as scrap paper.
- Copy articles double-sided when possible and request double-sided printing at copy centers.
- Look for products that use less packaging. Many local stores now sell items in bulk.



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