



The Environment & Climate Crisis Action Group

FOOD FOCUS FEBRUARY

Around a quarter of our total personal carbon footprint comes from our food so what we eat has a huge impact on our health and our planet!

In the UK £19 million worth of food is uneaten and thrown away. What a waste!

So how can we eat healthier and greener?

* Don't be scared of "best before" labels. If it looks and smells ok it probably is!

* Eat local food, in season, whenever possible.

* Plan your meals, saving time, money and creating less food waste.

- * Cook in bulk and freeze.
- * Have a meat-free day each week.
- * Ditch the junk food!
- * Increase the amount of fruit and vegetables in your diet.
- * Reduce the amount of fatty foods you eat.
- * Make sure any food waste goes into the new food waste recycling caddy for collection.