

Suffolk Case Study - Silver

Business Name	Pro Corda Trust
Sector	Music education charity
Business Size	SME
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1. Short description of the business (guideline 50 words)

Pro Corda is a year round music school and registered charity based at Leiston Abbey. We train 2,500 young people between ages 5 and 24 each year in small ensemble music making through residential courses for instrumentalists and the country's largest dedicated course series for young people with special educational needs and disabilities.

2. Green credentials (any awards etc.)

3. Key lessons – what would you do differently? What has worked well?

Thinking about the positive environmental outcomes from bringing in new initiatives and equipment.

Getting the staff team onboard with ideas.

4. Where did I get my advice? Any sources of support you found particularly helpful.

Aimee Clark and colleagues at Suffolk Carbon Charter.

The Suffolk Carbon Charter initiative presents a helpful opportunity for us as an organisation to assess our current carbon footprint with the help of experts and to make improvements to the way we operate our business so that we can bring about a positive change to our environmental credentials and reduce our energy consumption in the long term

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