

# GET INVOLVED



## CLUBS

Get more involved on campus and join one of our sustainability related clubs! You could work with bees, promote healthy lifestyles, and even help people in need!

- Beekeeping Society
- Sustainable Food Group
- Garden Club
- VegAware

For more information about clubs, visit:  
[bellevuecollege.edu/organizations/chartered-clubs](http://bellevuecollege.edu/organizations/chartered-clubs)

## SESF

Do you want to create positive social and environmental change on campus?

SESF is the Student Environmental Sustainability Fund that students contribute \$1 per credit up to 10 credits, each quarter. The money in this fund goes towards sustainability initiatives for the campus, student-led projects and events.

For more information, go to:  
[bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability/get-involved](http://bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability/get-involved)  
or email: [asgsocial@bellevuecollege.edu](mailto:asgsocial@bellevuecollege.edu)

Here are some things that SESF has funded:

Earth Week

BC Apiary

Student Garden



## CONTACT

### EMAIL

[sustainability@bellevuecollege.edu](mailto:sustainability@bellevuecollege.edu)

### VISIT

[bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability](http://bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability)



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# SUSTAINABILITY & STUDENT HOUSING



Make your project idea become a reality!  
**APPLY TODAY!**

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# YOUR HOME

The rain garden was an SESF funded project



# GETTING AROUND

A Bellevue College Rental Bike



# WASTE DISPOSAL

Compost, Recycling, and Landfill Bins inside Apartment Units

Your home is designed to be LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) Platinum. This is a green building standard that reduces energy and natural resource consumption during the construction and life of the building.

**The lighting** throughout student housing brightens up your space with less energy. LED lights in your home use a fraction of energy compared to traditional light bulbs, while the large windows take advantage of the sun. The outdoor lights are angled downwards to prevent light pollution that negatively affects wildlife and your view of the stars!

**The Rain Garden** filters out toxins and sediments in rainwater before reaching the storm drains and ultimately our rivers and lakes. This landscape feature is filled with native plants that pollinators love!

**The Dashboard** in the 1st floor Hub shows how much energy and water is being used by the entire building. Check in and keep track of how much you are consuming. Do you notice electricity use increasing? Remember to turn off lights! Do you notice water use increasing? Take shorter showers!

For more information on your home, visit:  
[bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability/we/student-housing](http://bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability/we/student-housing)

Bellevue College offers a wide variety of environmentally-friendly options for getting around.

## BIKES

Daily and quarterly bike rentals are available in the PALS Center (C105). These bikes include lights, locks, and saddlebags.

Secured and covered bike parking is located on the 1st and 4th floors of the parking garage.

For more information, visit:  
[bellevuecollege.edu/pals/pals-center-services/rent-a-bike](http://bellevuecollege.edu/pals/pals-center-services/rent-a-bike)

## BUSES

BC Student ORCA Cards can be purchased at Student Financial Services (B126), which are preloaded to double your money!

If you have an ORCA Lift Card, you can purchase a commuter check and receive the same value.

For more transportation information, stop by the transportation window at C106 or email [transportation@bellevuecollege.edu](mailto:transportation@bellevuecollege.edu)

### Want to explore the area?

- Downtown Seattle: Take the 554 route
- University of Washington Seattle: Take the 271 route
- Downtown Bellevue: Take the 271 route and stop at the Bellevue Transit center

Every apartment is provided with a garbage, compost, and recycling container. Remember, sorting properly helps protect our environment by reducing our landfill waste!

Bring full containers to one of the trash rooms in order to empty your bins and properly dispose of your waste.

### Where to find each trash room:

- First floor, 118R
- Second floor, 212R
- Third floor, 312R
- Fourth floor, 412R
- Fifth floor, 512R

## ALTERNATIVE WASTE

Contact [bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability/sustainbc/student-housing](http://bellevuecollege.edu/sustainability/sustainbc/student-housing) for current disposal locations.

**Donation Center:** Items that are in working condition and are still usable can be dropped off here.

**E-Waste:** Place broken small electronic devices here.

**Battery Bin:** Properly and safely dispose of all batteries here.

Keep an eye out for dashboard competitions to see which community conserves the most energy and water. Winners earn bragging rights and prizes!

To reduce the amount of landfill waste, all common area bathrooms have paper towel composting! Do your part and please place paper towels used to dry hands in the designated compost bin!