

Be central. Be sustainable.

SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

GOALS:

Targets to reach by 2020 for significant environmental areas using a 2009 baseline (unless otherwise noted).



ENERGY REDUCTION

Reduce electric and natural gas energy use by 10% (EUI)

Save 1,000,000 KWH annually by implementing lighting efficiency measures

Obtain 1% of the campus energy use through renewables



WATER REDUCTION

Increase use of grey water by providing 15,000 gallons of storage to replace the use of potable water

Perform a campus wide water usage audit by September, 2020. Set goals based on the audit outcomes

Increase the use of sustainable stormwater infrastructor on campus by 45,000 sq ft.



WASTE REDUCTION

Increase annual diversion rate to 40%

Eliminate the use of Styrofoam throughout campus by implementing a campus wide policy



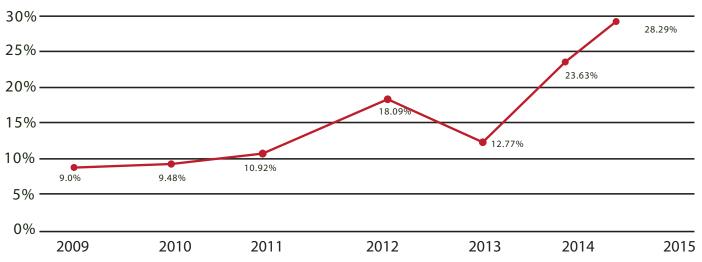
PAPER REDUCTION

Reduce paper use on campus by 30% from FY 2011 baseline



The College was awarded the Gold Level Illinois Campus Sustainability Compact through the Governor's Office. For the fifth consecutive year, the College was included in the Princeton Review's Guide to Green Colleges.

LANDFILL DIVERSION RATE



ENERGY SAVINGS

LEDs in Merner Field House saving 895 kWh per year

LEDs in upper WAC saving 25,513 kWh per year

LEDs in Residence Hall/Recreation Center saving 422,758 kWh per year

647,721.52 kWh - Annual kWh savings from campus LED projects to date

WASTE REDUCTION

323,760 sheets of paper saved from installing "Follow Me Printing" between January 1, 2015 -September 27, 2015

302 pounds - amount of food donations collected during Move Out 2015

345 pounds – amount of unwanted clothing collected from students during Move Out 2015 13,473 pounds – amount of carpet recycled in 2015

7,895 pounds – amount of electronics recycled in 2015

COMMUNITY GARDEN

436.5 pounds – Amount of food harvested from the North Central College Community Garden