TOMORROW'S CLIMATE SCIENTISTS
Royal Society Partnership Programme

Sheffield Hallam University — Knowledge Applied | **Sheffield Institute of Education**

Researcher

A programme funded by the Royal Society

Work with a primary school in South Yorkshire to investigate an age-appropriate theme of climate change and sustainability

Audience: Researchers and lecturers, undergraduate and postgraduate students in Sheffield Hallam University and University of Sheffield who have an interest in climate change and sustainability.

Research topics: Air quality, energy generation, energy efficiency, flood management and biodiversity (you do not need to be an expert in any of these topics to participate)

Programme outline

October 2025 — February 2026
- **CPD researcher training** — 1-hour online training and 2-hour virtual workshop (delivered by the Climate Ambassadors programme)
- **CPD with your allocated teacher** — 1 day face to face training and planning at Sheffield Hallam University (planned for Friday 17 October 2025)

November 2025 - January 2026 (dates to be agreed between pair)
- 3 in school activities with your teacher partner/students (up to 2 hours)
- 2 virtual activities with your teacher partner/students (up to an hour)
- Ongoing support, as required from a mentor at SHU

January 2026
- Information session to apply for further funding

Researcher/university commitments
- Attend online and face to face training sessions
- Participate in 5 activities with their teacher partner
- Meet with a mentor mid-programme
- Engage with surveys and evaluation of the programme

- Researchers will be asked to select preferred training dates and a preferred research topic on signing up.
- Researchers will be able to claim up £75 for travel expenses, however we are unable to fund academic time. You will need to sign up to become a Climate Ambassador and complete a DBS check.
- Further funding is available to apply for a Partnership Grant from the Royal Society once you have completed this programme.

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CPD

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Working with partners

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Sign up using this link or QR code by **Friday 10 Oct 2025**

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