



2021 IMPACT REPORT

IT RECYCLING AND REUSE
WITH A SOCIAL
CONSCIENCE



THIS WILL HELP
ME LOOK FOR
WORK AND
IMPROVE MY LIFE

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WE REFURBISH AND REUSE YOUR IT EQUIPMENT TO BENEFIT OTHERS

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“Will help me with job applications as I'm currently on JSA. Applying for jobs just using my phone is difficult, especially when creating my CV”

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We repair, refurbish and recycle donated IT equipment in order to:

- ♥ Provide them back into the community at low-cost to tackle digital exclusion
- ♥ Provide IT work skills to the long-term unemployed to support them back to work
- ♥ Reduce the amount of e-waste going to landfill and ensuring all hazardous materials are disposed of properly

I'm going into training, this will help so much for me to become a nurse in the future

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CHOOSE
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REUSE



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DATA SECURITY IS A HIGH PRIORITY

All data erased and destroyed to ATA secure erasure and DoD 5220.22-m 3 pass standards with certificate of destruction

Physical Destruction of hard drives with VS Data Crunch 250 drive destroyer

VS DataGauss for destructions of all magnetically stored media such as tapes and hard drives

Professional collection service with secure transportation and storage

Recycling materials and hazardous waste disposed of in accordance with WEEE regulations

HELPS WITH SCHOOL HOMEWORK AS AT THE MOMENT WE ARE SHARING A LAPTOP

THIS WILL HELP MASSIVE, WITH IMPROVING MINE AND MY CHILDREN'S FUTURE ENABLING ME TO STUDY ONLINE WHILST LOOKING AFTER MY CHILDREN. I CAN ALSO JOB SEARCH AS WELL AS HELP MY DAUGHTER ACCESS ONLINE HOMEWORK

DigiKnow

We're a Digital Inclusion Alliance Partner, working in partnership with Stockport Council and Stockport's Digital Device Lending Library to tackle digital exclusion in Stockport





7895kg
OF
E-WASTE
DONATED TO THE SCHEME

972
LAPTOPS

410
DESKTOPS

96
TABLETS

316
MONITORS

2025
ITEMS OF DEVICES
DONATED

92
OTHER

139
MOBILE PHONES



Our operations in 2021 were possible with the support of Renewal North West, Recycle for Greater Manchester Community Fund and Stockport Local Fund





Starting up the scheme in 2021, we were able to achieve the following:

61% of clients said the device will be used for job searching

A further 61% of clients said it would be used for school, college or higher education

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5629kg

OF E-WASTE REDIRECTED FOR RE-USE WITHIN THE COMMUNITY



1340

DEVICES PROCESSED FOR REUSE IN THE COMMUNITY

6

FORMERLY LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED INDIVIDUALS SUPPORTED WITH WORK PLACEMENTS, TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

2,624

VOLUNTEER HOURS

124

FAMILIES SUPPORTED WITH DEVICES THROUGH OUR DIGIKNOW PARTNERSHIP

3

COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS SUPPORTED WITH DEVICES

2

INDIVIDUALS GAINED EMPLOYMENT

7

DEVICES REPAIRED AT STOCKPORT DIGITAL DEVICE LENDING LIBRARY





Arrange for a free collection today

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Drop off at a local
Stockport library or at
Renewal North West
61-63 Shaw Heath SK3 8BH



“MY SON NEVER
HAVE LAPTOP. HE
ALWAYS WANTED
ONE. HE'S GOING
TO BE VERY HAPPY”



**COMMUNITY
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Your IT donations will help us to break down barriers and support long-term unemployed individuals with work skills and training as well as provide fully licensed, affordable devices back into the community at low cost.

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