



BRITISHMADE
Gifts
COLLECTION

2022

Icon Key



Full Colour Process Print



Spot Colour Print



Laser Engrave



This product was Made in Britain



Zero Air Miles



Materials used are Widely Recycled



Materials used are Not Widely Recycled



This product is made from Sustainable Material



This product is made from Carbon Neutral Material



This product is made from Biodegradable Material



This product is made from Part Recycled Material



This product is made from Recycled Material



This product ships in Plastics Free Packaging



This product will help plant trees*



This product will help offset unavoidable Carbon Emissions*



This product can be returned to the manufacturer for reuse or recycling of parts*

*Your product choices can help make a real difference. This UK manufacturer has introduced schemes which support environmental projects from: (1) the sale of waste materials (2) the reuse or recycling of key product components and (3) the promotion of sustainable materials. Find out more at sustainablebritishmanufacturing.info

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Who we are

We are British designers, manufacturers, printers and finishers of all of the gifts you will find in this brochure, specialising in sustainable materials. All stages of production are in house, backed by a multi award winning customer service team to help with your orders. No air miles are involved in the production of our goods, no finished product is brought in to simply be decorated in the UK, everything here is made from raw planks and sheet materials from scratch.

How we work

We created our original range of real wood corporate gifts 5 years ago to provide a genuine British manufactured alternative to the mass imports of glass and crystal from the far east that dominate the industry. Not only could we create more eco friendly choices for people but we could do this with print and engraving techniques that made those gifts really stand out from the crowd, so much more in fact, than standard laser engraved imports. Every year we have continued to develop our choices and in this brochure you will find lots of new ideas or alternatively send us your ideas and we can create something unique for you.

Sustainable British Manufacturing

We have introduced a unique initiative which directly supports environmental projects from the sale of factory waste materials, the reuse or recycling of key parts from our British made products and the promotion of changing to more sustainable natural materials. Your product choices can make a real difference. In 2022 we aim to plant over 20,000 trees and offset over 100 tonnes of carbon with your help. No loss in quality, no additional cost to you, no increased lead times, just environmental benefits from informed decision making.



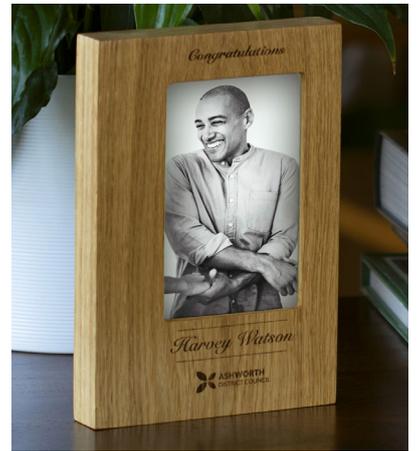
Executive Gifts



WDPW Three Tier Solid Oak Desk Organiser, Engraved Monogram Personalisation



WDPW-AC Oak Paperweight with Domed Metal Top, Printed Personalisation



WDPW-PFRR Solid Oak Picture Frame, Engraved Personalisation



WDCL-C Dual Wood Clock (Walnut/Maple), Engraved Personalisation



WDPS-R Solid Oak 'Rocking' Phone Stand Printed Personalisation



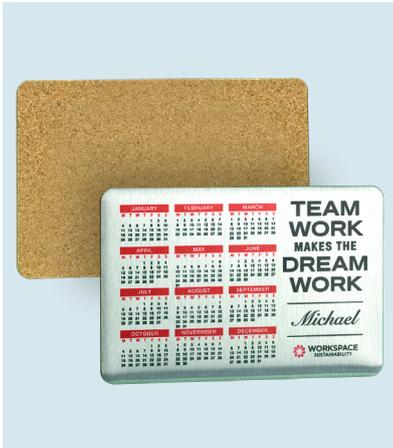
WD-MSG1 Solid Oak Message Block, Printed Personalisation



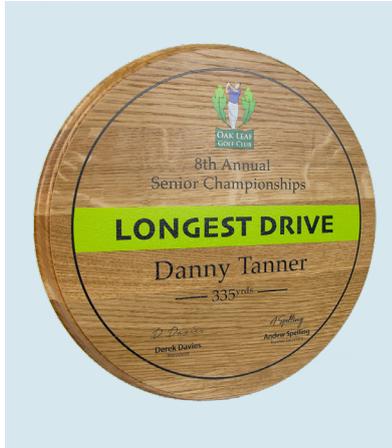
(Aluminium)



Executive Gifts



AAC Metal Calendar Coasters (Cork Back), Printed Personalisation



WDPW Solid Oak Plaque, Printed Personalisation



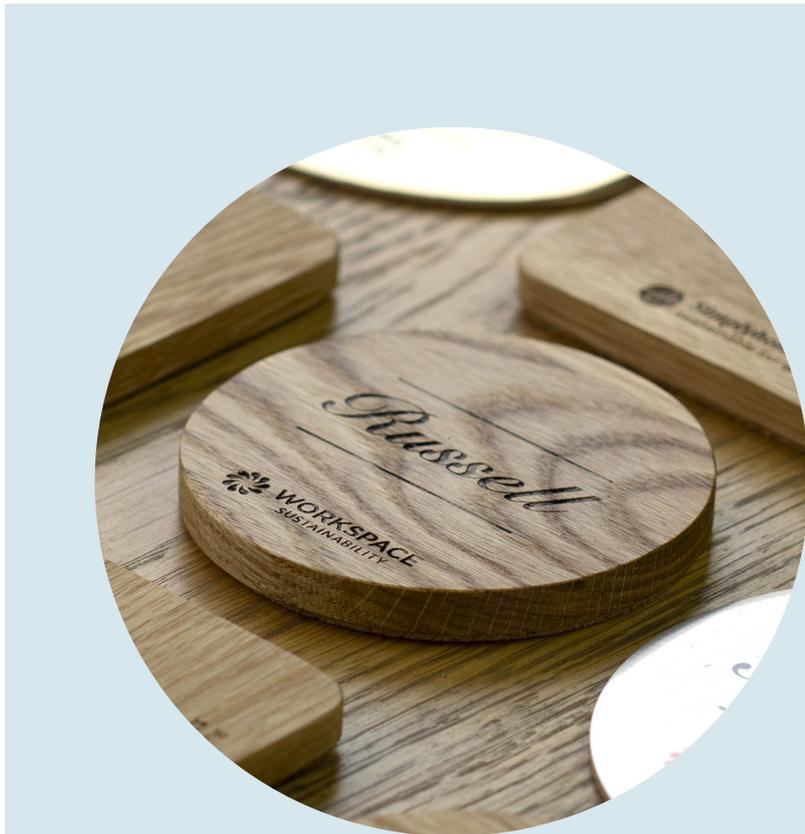
WDPS Solid Oak Flat Pack Phone Stand, Engraved Personalisation



WDCA Solid Oak Column Award, Printed Personalisation



WD-TBL Solid Walnut Jewellery/Storage Box, Engraved Personalisation



WDC Solid Oak Coasters, Engraved Personalisation



(Aluminium)



Eco Gifts



WDCAC 70mm Solid Oak Cubes, Engraved Personalisation



BM-CJ Bamboo Jigsaw Coaster (4 pieces), Engraved Personalisation



BMB-PC Bamboo Postal Card with Stand, Engraved Personalisation



BMB-PL Bamboo Plant Marker, Engraved Personalisation



BMB-CTO Bamboo Wall Hanging, Engraved Personalisation



WDK Solid Oak Keyrings, Engraved Personalisation



(Aluminium)

Eco Gifts



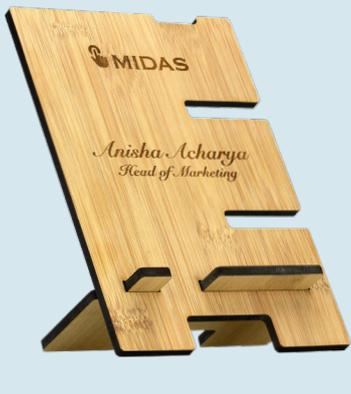
BMB-A30-P Photo Bamboo Block
Printed Personalisation



Bamboo Flat Pack Gift Set
(incl. Phone Stand, Coaster and Keyring),
Engraved Personalisation



BMB-MED Bamboo Medal,
Engraved Personalisation



BMB-PS-W Bamboo Flat Pack Accessories
Stand, Engraved Personalisation



BMB-CP Bamboo Clutch Pin,
Printed Personalisation



WDPS-W Solid Oak Desk Organiser
(Small), Engraved Personalisation



(Aluminium)



Gifts for the Home/Office



WDPS-WVHNR Solid Oak Test Tube Vase Holder, Engraved Personalisation



WD-THLH Solid Oak Large Heart Tealight Holder



WDPS-CLT 3 Column Tealight Holder Set with Tray, Engraved



WD-THSH Set of 4 Heart Tealight Holders (Oak, Maple, Cherry & Walnut)



WDCL-C Dual Wood Clock (Maple/Walnut), Engraved Personalisation



WDPW Solid Oak Paperweights (Cork Base), Engraved Personalisation



(Aluminium)



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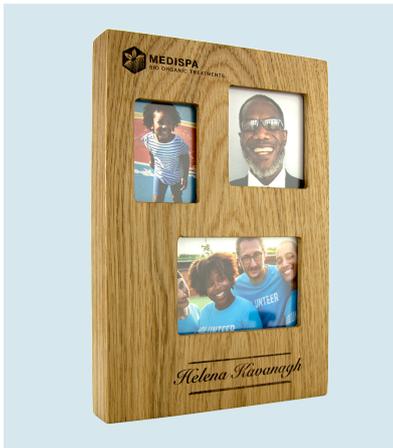
AAC Metal Coasters (Cork Base),
Printed Personalisation



WD-TBL Solid Oak Jewellery/Storage Box,
Printed Personalisation



WDPS-WVHNR Dual Wood Test Tube
Vase Holders, Engraved Personalisation



WDPW-PFRR Solid Oak Picture
Frame, Engraved Personalisation



WDBA2-21 Solid Oak 'Atlas' Wood
Block Award, Printed Personalisation



WD-THN 'Nautilus' Tealight Holder (Walnut, Oak & Maple)



(Aluminium)



Valentines Gifts



WDPW-PFRR Solid Oak Heart Window Photo Frame, Printed Personalisation



AAPB Aluminium Clutch Pin, Printed, with Backing Card



WD-RB Solid Oak Ring Box, Engraved Personalisation



WD-TBL Solid Oak 'Kiss' Jewellery/Storage Box
Engraved Personalisation to Base Only



BMB-C Bamboo Heart Shaped Coasters, Engraved Personalisation



BMB-CP Bamboo Clutch Pin, Engraved with Backing Card



(Aluminium)



Valentines Gifts



ACRFS-WB Acrylic Award with Engraved Solid Oak Base



BMB-PC Bamboo Flat Pack Postal Card, Engraved, with Stand



WD-MSH Solid Oak Heart, Engraved Personalisation



WD-THSH Solid Oak Heart Tealight Holder, Engraved Personalised Base



BMB-FMB Bamboo Heart Fridge Magnet, Engraved Personalisation



BMB-K Bamboo Heart Keyring, Engraved Personalisation



(Acrylic)

Xmas Gifts



WDBA-CIN3 Solid Oak Hearts (Set of 3)
Printed Personalisation



WD-CTO-1 Solid Oak Star with
Acrylic Bauble, Printed Personalisation



TTCT_BMBB Bamboo Flat Pack Xmas
Tree with Disc, Engraved Personalisation



BMBFS-GNK Shaped Bamboo 'Gonk'
Flat Pack Awards,
Printed Personalisation



WDBA2-C1-1-A Solid Oak 'Rising
Star' Award with Greencast® Acrylic
Front, Printed Personalisation



ACR-CTO Greencast® Acrylic Bauble
with Printed Card Back



(Acrylic)

Xmas Gifts



BMB-CTO Bamboo Bauble
Engraved Personalisation



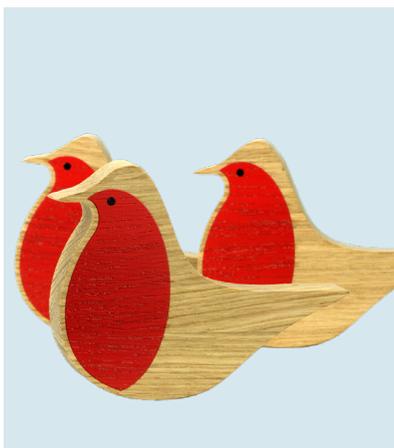
BMB-CO-1 Bamboo Flat Pack Reindeer
Printed Personalisation



WD-THSN3 Solid Oak Star Tealight Holder
Printed Personalisation



WD-DH Bamboo Door Signs,
Printed & Engraved Personalisation



WDB-CO-1 Solid Oak Robin
Printed Personalisation



TTCT-T Bamboo Flat Pack Desktop Xmas Trees Gift Set
Printed Personalisation



Sustainable British Manufacturing

Our commitment to sustainable British manufacturing



Driving innovation

Every year we will release new products and develop our services to offer our customers industry leading solutions. We are the originators of many innovative and unique products and have pioneered plastic free packaging and individual product personalisation in our industry with easy online solutions.



Our products

We ensure our products are safe and fit for purpose. We comply with REACH and all other UK regulations relating to the safety of what we make. Our company is ISO9001 quality and ISO14001 environmental certified and we will ensure that the systems and processes are in place so that the product you receive is what you expect.



we had the space to grow and improve our UK manufacturing base.

Packaging

Your goods will be despatched in completely plastic free packaging, made from different papers and card that is easily recycled in any home or office. We even go as far as to use plastic free tape on our boxes.

Our materials

We will research and promote the use of the most sustainable materials available, paying a premium where necessary for suppliers and materials with proven environmental credentials. Our choice of materials used in these products is fully explained on the following pages.

Minimising waste

We minimise the waste we produce and recycle what we can wherever possible. We prefer the use of materials where all manufacturing waste has a secondary use or will be recycled, such as products made from aluminium, bamboo, wood and recycled acrylic. We have also reduced our paper usage by approximately 75% in the last 2 years and will continue to develop our internal technology to run our factory as paper free as possible.

The UK economy

We pay our taxes, all of them, on time and comply with all laws and regulations relevant to our business which supports the wider UK economy. We use UK suppliers wherever we can, preferring to buy as locally to our factory as possible to further support the regional economy.



Infrastructure

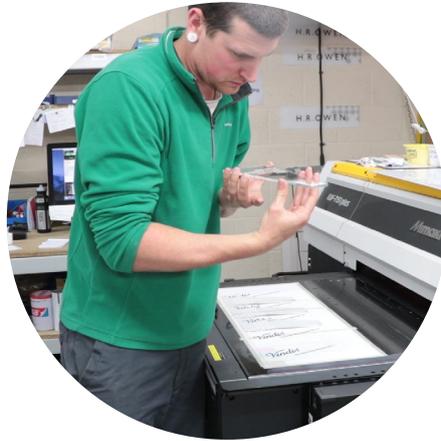
We invest in the long term future of the company. In 2019/20 not only did we invest in new print and production equipment, we also extended our factory by 6,000 square feet to ensure



Our commitment to sustainable British manufacturing

Our customers

We operate to an industry leading set of service level standards to supply you with the accurate information you need in a timely manner. Customers will be treated fairly, with respect and if we get something wrong we will admit it and put it right.



Our suppliers

We also endeavour to treat our suppliers fairly and with respect, looking to forge long term partnerships with like minded companies who reject any form of exploitation and bribery and can demonstrate there is no slavery within any part of their supply chain.



Energy & resources

Our factory is heated by a biomass boiler using only pellets made as a bi-product of UK pallet making. Low energy lighting is used throughout our factory and we are well insulated. When machinery needs replacing, energy efficiency will play a major part in choosing alternatives. Very little water is required in our production but water usage is always monitored for where savings can be made.

Our employees

We provide a safe and friendly place to work with good working conditions. All those who work in our factory have a contract of employment with us and comprehensive staff training and handbook outlining all aspects of working for the company. We aim to provide opportunities within the company for those who wish to progress and full training is always provided. Those responsible for factory health and safety are fully trained to ensure safe working practices throughout. We only create secure employment for the long term and do not use agencies. We employ over 50 people and will only create new jobs when we know they will be secure.

Real world recycling

Many materials identified as recyclable cannot currently be put into kerbside bin collections, or won't be recovered because they are deemed to be of little or no commercial value. So we focus on using materials in our products which can be easily recycled when it reaches the end of their useful life. However, in practice this is not a straight forward process. For

example, some of our products have fixings or use different material types which confuses their classification for recycling. Some councils allow small mixed metal items to be put in kerbside recycling bins, others will have dedicated mixed metal skips at the local recycling centre. Whilst we can't imagine that a company would wish to dispose of an award they



received, if you would like to ensure your goods purchased from us are properly recycled and do not end up in landfill, we offer a service where if you cover the cost of sending the product back to us, we will organise for the different materials to be separated and recycled properly. For more information on this service please contact the person you purchased from.



Our Materials: Bamboo



Moso® Bamboo

This attractive material is our most eco friendly.

- All MOSO® material is made in production facilities that are ISO 9001 quality and ISO 14001 environmental third party certified and comply with the most stringent international standards.
- All adhesives used by MOSO® easily meet the very strict E1 class following the EN717 standard with respect to formaldehyde emissions and all MOSO®'s solid bamboo materials are proven and certified to be carbon neutral or better over their full life cycle.

MOSO® bamboo combines all of the virtues of hardwoods with the immense growing capacity of the highly renewable giant MOSO® bamboo species and can therefore act as a green carbon negative alternative material. MOSO® bamboo is one of the quickest growing plants in the world and can grow up to 50 cm a day before reaching a height of twenty metres. After maturing over four to five years it's cut down, but amazingly the act of cutting down mature cane stimulates the plant to grow more canes. The result is the plant itself never needs to be dug up and so retains any carbon captured.



Our Moso® bamboo has warm 'caramel' tones. Bamboo is soft enough to get a beautiful deep engraving whilst hard enough not to burn and char.



Oak is light to medium brown in colour with varied and openly porous grain patterns. Engraving produces a distinctive 'burnt' effect quite different to other wood types but with a good level of contrast.



Cherry is pinkish brown when freshly cut and darkens to a warm reddish brown over time. Smooth, closed and straight grain it is great to engrave, producing strong contrast and good clarity.



Walnut ranges from lighter pale brown to dark chocolate brown with darker brown streaks. Moderately open grain, it engraves well but the darkness of the wood provides less contrast than other wood types.



Maple ranges from very light, nearly white to an off-white cream, sometimes with a golden hue. Closed straight or wavy grain, it engraves well with good definition but contrast is not as strong as other wood types.



Wood

We work with oak, cherry, maple and walnut woods - they provide a nice spectrum of natural wood tones to choose from, from the very light (maple) to the darker, more chocolate brown (walnut). Each wood type may have small inconsistencies i.e. lighter spots (sapwood) and/or darker spots (burl or crotch) and also different grain structures, ranging from wider open grain (oak) to more closed, smoother grains (cherry, maple). These characteristics are part of the natural beauty of each piece of wood and add greatly to the individuality and uniqueness of the finished product which is why our customers love it and will always choose it over more uniform man-made materials. Wood is inherently renewable and sustainable if properly sourced and managed and we only use wood from these fully certified sustainable supplies (see opposite for more details). Wood also has a lighter carbon footprint than almost all synthetic materials and, as a natural organic material, can be easily recycled or naturally decompose over time with no harm to ecosystems or the environment.

All wood types and bamboo have good ink adhesion, digitally print well with good color accuracy.

Our Materials: Wood

Oak



Cherry



Walnut



Maple



Oak

Cherry

Oak is a classic European timber, instantly recognisable by its distinctive medullary rays seen within its grain. It has amazing strength and stunning honey colour, making it our most desirable and popular material. Oak has been grown as a managed crop tree for many hundreds of years as a highly sustainable resource in Europe. In fact, for many years more oak trees have been planted year on year than are being harvested. As a result, NatureServe, a non-profit organisation made up of biodiversity scientists, presented oak a conservation status of G5 SECURE.

The oak we use for our products is grade A in quality which in principle means its free of defects on four sides. It is of Croatian origin and managed and approved under either FSC or PEFC certification schemes depending on the tree origin.

A beautiful hardwood renowned for its varying rich red to reddish brown colouration which will generally darken over time from exposure to UV light. This premium wood has historically been used to manufacture high quality musical instruments and features naturally occurring pin knots and gum streaks which create the overall character of the wood.

The cherry we use is sourced from the USA where it is grown as a crop plant for its fruit commercially. Over time, as the trees get older, they become less productive and are cut down, to be replaced with new trees to maintain fruit productivity. Due to the popularity of the fruit, growing cherry trees is increasing year on year and in doing so can be considered sustainable, and has been given the conservation status G5 SECURE by NatureServe.

Walnut

Maple

A stunning hardwood, light to dark chocolate brown colour with darker streaks and a close grain. Over time and exposure to UV light the dark colour lightens as it ages. Most commonly seen in high quality furniture production, walnut exudes an elegance in our products with its dark colour providing a particularly good background to vibrant and colourful printed art work.

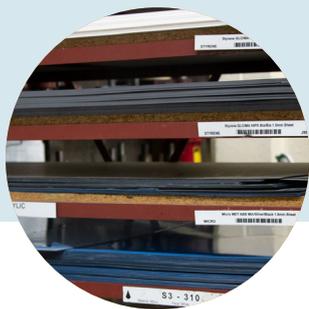
Our walnut is sourced from old crop trees that have been grown commercially for its produce in the USA. This material is carefully managed and cultivated to ensure that existing stock is always ample in ratio to what is being harvested, and it has also been given the conservation status G5 SECURE by NatureServe.

This hardwood has an amazing creamy white closed grain with a slight reddish-brown tinge throughout containing pith flecks which add to its natural character. It prints extremely well providing a stunning back drop to most artwork designs, however definition on laser engraving is less strong.

It has been given the conservation status G5 SECURE by NatureServe, and we are also proud to say that our Maple supply is FSC certified as well.



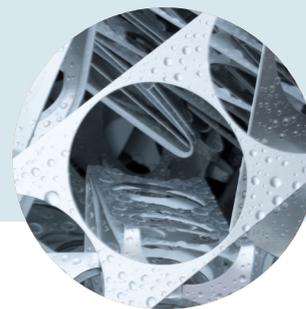
Our Materials: Acrylic & Aluminium



Greencast® Acrylic

Designed to create a future circular economy for the prevention of acrylic plastic waste ending up in landfill, Greencast® acrylic is produced from 100% recycled acrylic and is 100% recyclable at the end of its useful life. Unlike other techniques which depend upon melting the plastic down and then re-casting it into a new form, which degrades the quality of the material limiting the number of times this can be done, the production of Greencast® acrylic uses a proprietary process which allows for the recovery of the original solvent (PMMA). This solvent is a durable, noble plastic which is reused to produce new acrylic sheets. The benefit of this process is that recycled clear transparent acrylic has the same quality as new virgin acrylic, but more importantly it can be recycled, countless times, without ever losing its all important properties. An additional positive is this process also reduces water consumption and carbon emissions at the point of manufacture while being VOC and HFC free.

Greencast® acrylic finishes



Aluminium

Aluminium is an amazing material as it is infinitely recyclable and can be reformed endlessly whilst retaining its material properties indefinitely. All of the aluminium we use in our products has recycled content and it's one of the most sustainable materials on the market today. In addition, our zero-waste manufacturing processes allow for the collection of all unused 'offcuts' of aluminium for recycling as well. Recycling aluminium saves about 90% of the energy it takes to make new aluminium as well as helping to reduce the demand for mining the bauxite ore needed to produce new aluminium. Due to a combination of the wide and varied applications for aluminium, the commercial and domestic infrastructure to recycle aluminium is continually growing and increased public awareness of it's sustainable credentials means aluminium has become a very attractive and popular material choice. Below is the wide choice of metal finishes we currently offer:

Aluminium finishes



Brand New Sustainability Initiatives

We are introducing 3 new initiatives to help promote a change to more sustainable materials and directly support environmental projects around the world*. Simply by choosing more sustainable materials your product choices could help us make a real difference.

01

Tree Planting Scheme

We will count the total quantities of the products we make from natural materials, such as wood and bamboo, at the end of each month and purchase trees to plant in our sustainable forest*. For example 1 wood or bamboo award = 1 tree or 50 bamboo medals = 1 tree. In 2022, with your help, we aim to plant 20,000 trees!



Carbon Offset Scheme

02

We can offset the unavoidable carbon emissions of our manufacturing by selling valuable waste materials, such as aluminium offcuts, to invest in Gold Standard environmental projects*. In 2022, with your help, we aim to offset over 100 tonnes of carbon!



03

End of Life Return Scheme

Our simple end of life pledge: If we've made it you can return it to us and we will minimise landfill by reusing and recycling everything we can. Aluminium & acrylic components can be recycled, pillars on plaques & awards can be reused. Any money saved will be used to offset even more carbon and plant even more trees*



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Ecologi

*We have partnered with Ecologi to fund Gold Standard certified sustainability projects and tree planting schemes all over the world: ecologi.com/sustainablebritishmanufacturing

Our factory is a member of the below organisations and has earned the accreditations shown

