



Community Vegetable Exchange Point Rules

1. Purpose

To provide a space for residents to share surplus homegrown fruit and vegetables, reduce waste, and build community connections.

2. Operation

2.1 The swap point will operate as an unattended honesty table located outside Bedlington Community Table.

2.2 The table will be available from 3rd to 28th August 2026.

3. Accepted items

3.1 Only whole, uncut, homegrown fruit and vegetables may be left.

3.2 No cooked food, home preserves, eggs, meat, or shop-bought produce.

3.3 Items must be clean and free from obvious pests or rot.

4. Use at own risk

4.1 All produce is provided by members of the public without inspection by the Council.

4.2 Users take items at their own risk. The Council accepts no liability for the quality, safety, or consumption of any produce taken.

4.3 Signage will state this clearly.

5. Data and waste

5.1 No personal data is collected.

5.2 A compost bin will be provided for waste. Non-compostable waste must be taken home or placed in the general bin.