

# A STONE'S THROW

## ABOUT

A Stone's Throw is an independent gift shop based in the Sherwood suburb of Nottingham. Run by Pete and Rob, they opened the doors to their bricks-and-mortar shop at 672 Mansfield Road in May 2014, and sell a mix of local, handcrafted products as well as major gift brands.

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## WHAT THEY ARE DOING

A Stone's Throw is using a carbon neutral energy tariff, and is continuing to reduce energy use by installing LED lighting, reviewing lighting use, and switching off electronics overnight.

They are also looking into reducing their waste, asking suppliers to remove plastic sleeves, reusing existing packaging, composting biodegradable materials and using this compost to grow plants. In addition, staff use ceramic mugs for drinks rather than disposable cups.

A Stone's Throw have also partnered with Ecologi to fund tree planting schemes, which helps to offset their remaining carbon emissions.

Not only that, but they've also documented their journey towards becoming carbon neutral to their followers on their Facebook page.

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