

Over the last fifty years Scotland has seen a significant change in climate – to warmer and wetter weather with more extreme weather events. This trend is set to continue. The aim of Climate Ready Places is to get people thinking about Scotland becoming climate ready. What are the risks? What can we do? What do we want our future to look like?

The ideas displayed in Climate Ready Places have been collected from experts working on adaptation across Scotland in many different sectors.

We asked them to imagine what a Scotland adapting to climate change would look like. These visions for the future were then grouped under six illustrative Scottish ‘places’. The posters display each of the six places – the Uplands, Lowlands, Suburbs, City, and Coastal and Industrial areas – in first their current unadapted state, then in their adapting state. Can you spot the differences? All of the changes made to make each place more climate ready are detailed on the accompanying info sheets, with more information available on our [website](#).

The innovations described are a collection of ideas – it is not a plan – but we hope that Climate Ready Places will start a conversation about the Scotland people would like to see in the future. There will be many more ways to get your area climate ready. We hope that through using these resources you’ll have some ideas of your own.



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