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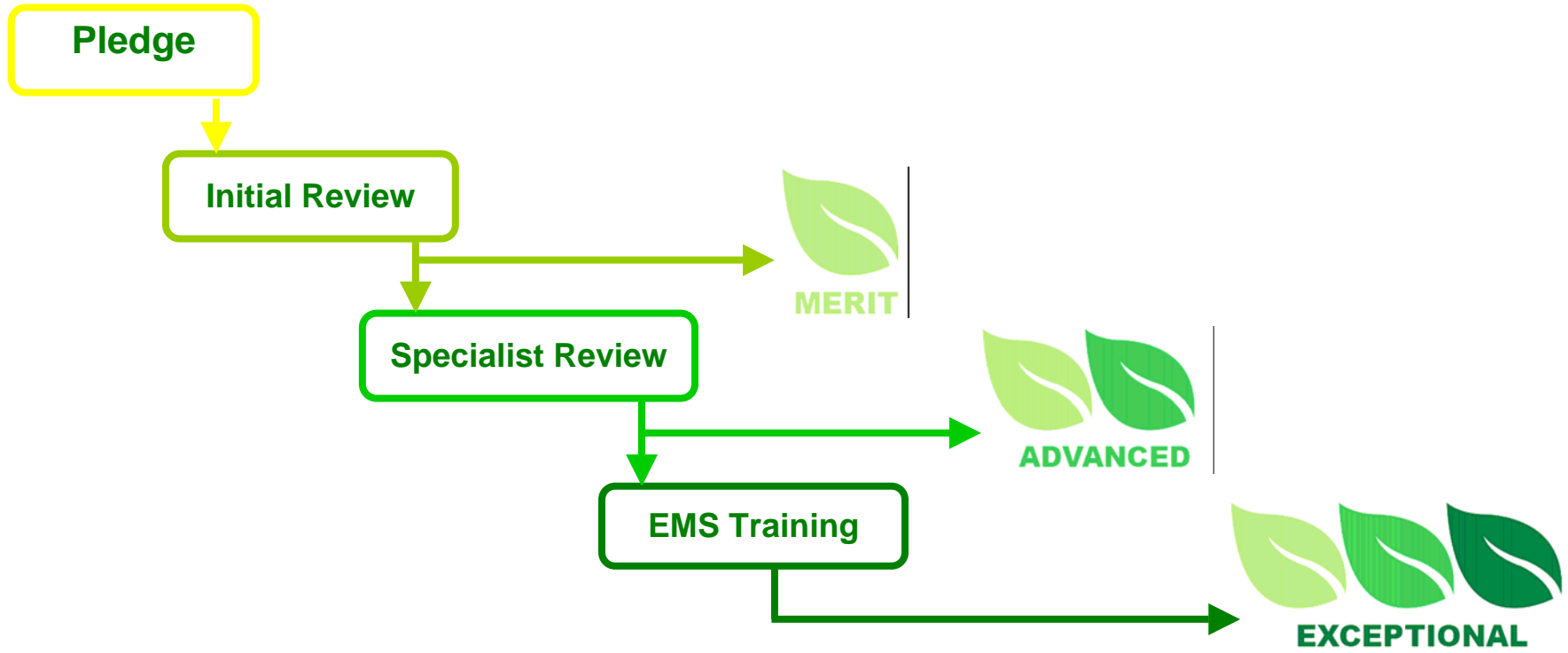
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# Pledge

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## Pledge to Go Green

We invite you to take the Go Green Pledge.

This scheme has been devised to reward companies who pledge to take action to reduce environmental impacts. Once you ✓ and submit your pledge we can provide you with support to help you to achieve your aims.



### Energy

- Turn off heating, lights and equipment out of business working hours and when not in use
- Fit energy efficient light bulbs



### Waste

- Recycle your business waste
- Donate unwanted materials to reuse schemes



### Water

- Install a water displacement device such as 'save a flush' in toilet cisterns
- Regularly check taps and pipes for leaks



### Travel

- Encourage staff and visitors to travel by bicycle, public transport, car share or walk to your business

For more ways to Go Green visit our site [www.richmond.gov.uk/gogreen](http://www.richmond.gov.uk/gogreen)



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Pledge

Initial Review

Specialist Review

EMS Training



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# Accreditation



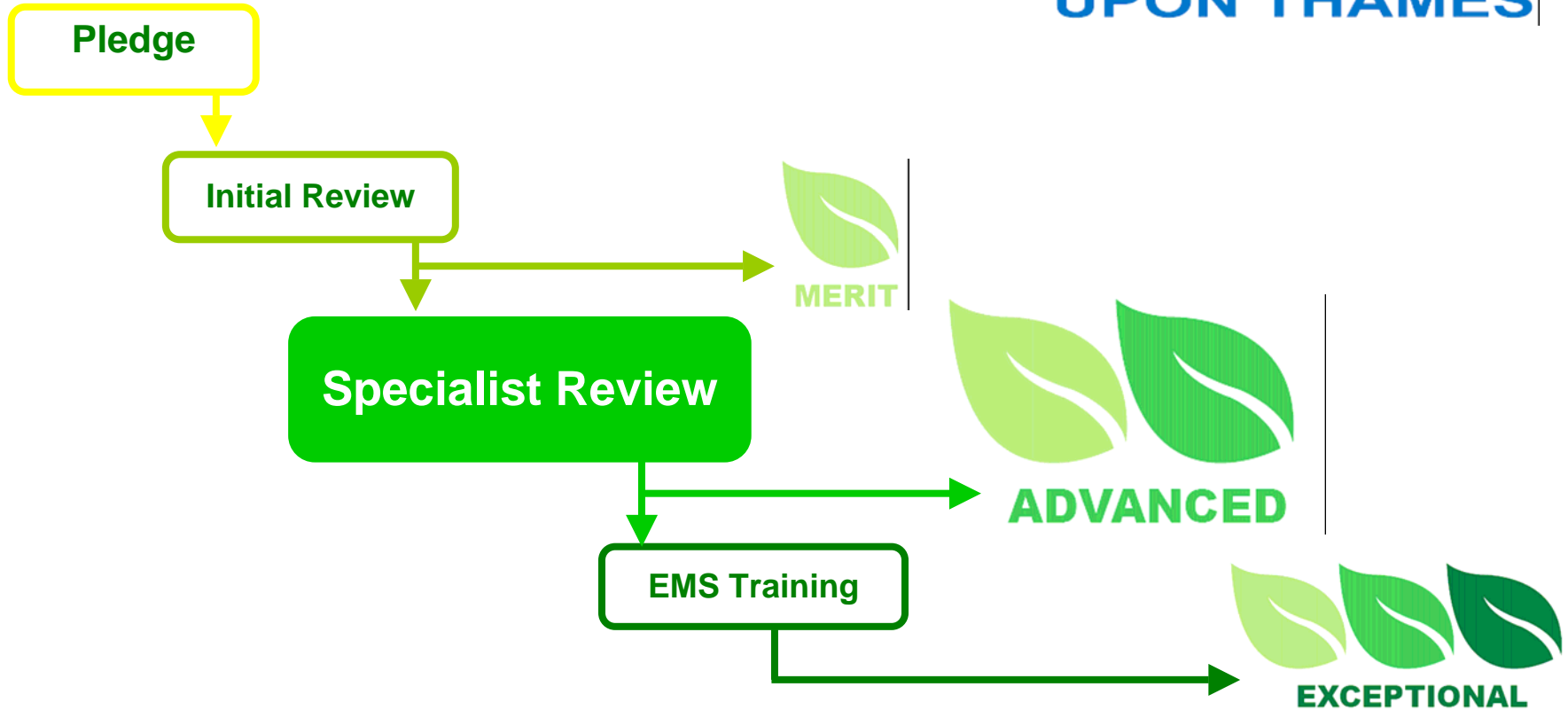
## Merit Award

- Implement basic steps from Initial environmental review
- Monitor consumption



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# Specialist support



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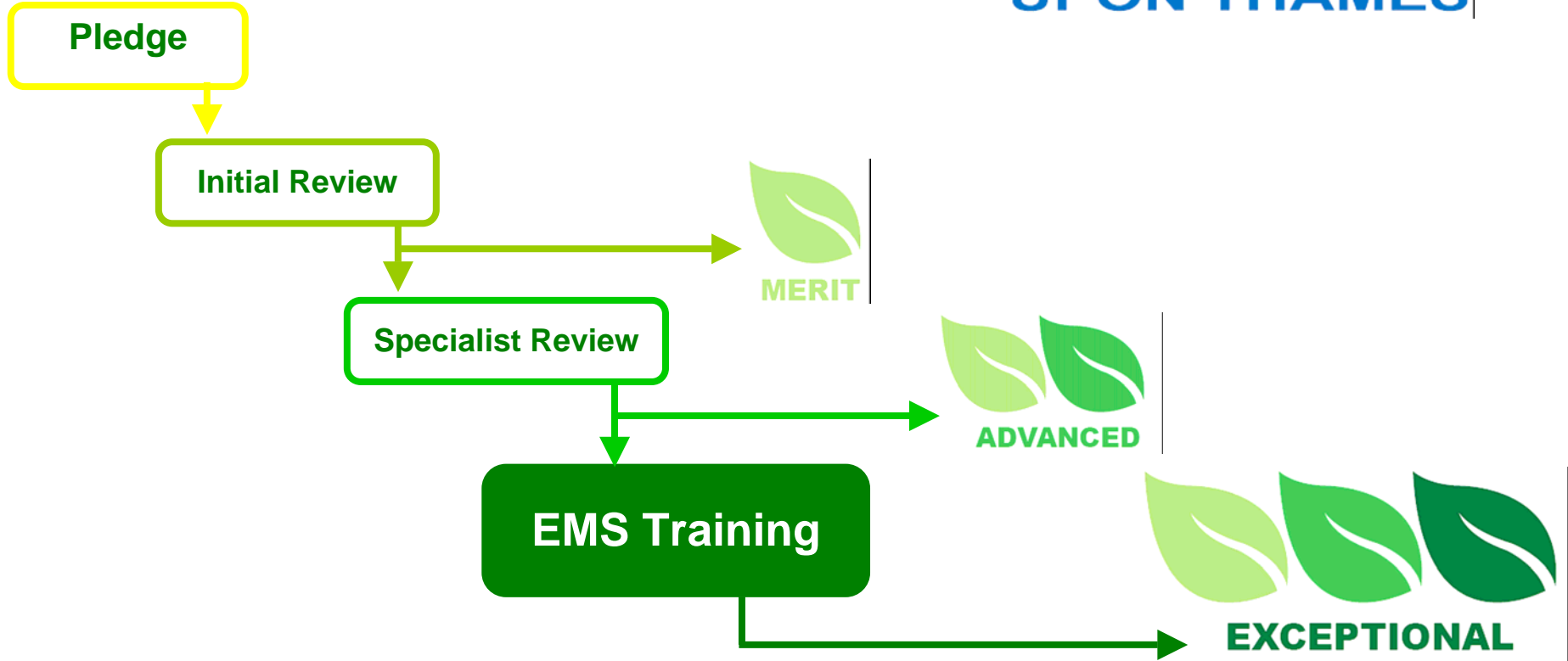
## Advanced Award:

- Implement improvements across two significant impacts
- Have quantifiable savings
- Visible commitment to environmental improvements



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# Accreditation



## Exceptional Award:

- Progress towards objectives and targets
- Environmental Management System
- Community engagement



# Accreditation Certificates

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has attained the Go Green Richmond upon Thames  
one leaf **MERIT AWARD**  
for improvements in environmental performance



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two leaf **ADVANCED AWARD**  
for improvements in environmental performance



**ADVANCED**

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for improvements in environmental performance



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Go Green at work

- Support
- Awards
  - Pledge
  - Merit award
  - Advanced award
  - Exceptional award
- Case studies and Press

### Awards

**MERIT**   **ADVANCED**   **EXCEPTIONAL**

Go Green Richmond upon Thames recognises good practice through a tiered accreditation scheme. Through achieving the awards your business will benefit from a range of free services and advice to reduce your environmental impact.

At each level of award you will receive a certificate and window sticker to display your credentials. You will also be added to the list of successfully accredited businesses on our website and benefit from publicity opportunities. Businesses that display their leaf awards can show their customers, staff and stakeholders that they are taking responsibility for their environmental impacts and making steps towards going green. It is quick and simple to apply for an award and there is support at each step to help your business make environmental improvements.

Accreditation is achieved for environmental improvements at your business' site. If you have several sites across Richmond you can apply for an award for each site.

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