

JOIN OUR 2013/14



SAVE ENERGY SAVE MONEY

Healthier Students and Environment. Efficient Buildings and Community

It is our honor to invite all K-12 public, private, and charter schools to participate in the Green Schools Challenge (GSC). The GSC involves students, teachers and school staff in designing and implementing environmental and energy solutions at their school. Students will learn about environmental sustainability and build leadership skills by getting involved in real world, no-cost solutions, and organizing environmental campaigns and Eco-Summits.

The GSC provides clear guidelines, motivating incentives, and strong support to help schools reduce their carbon footprint, save energy and save money. Your schools' cost free participation in the program will deepen the impact the youth play in transitioning towards a more sustainable society.

Applications for the 2013/2014 GSC program are being accepted now for a limited time only.

Program Features

- Support to GSC participating schools and teachers through site visits, emails, and newsletters.
- Master Plan credits offered in September for attending a professional development workshop.
- GSC school representatives are invited to attend a mid-year planning meeting.
- Successes are celebrated in an end-of-year Awards Ceremony.

The Benefits

- Helps schools reduce utility costs by becoming more energy and resource efficient.
- Increases environmental literacy.
- Develop leadership skills in young people.
- Fosters long-term sustainable behaviors.



How to Participate

- Fill out the attached application form and return to Dream in Green.
- Attend a Professional Development Training Workshop in September. First year GSC school representatives will learn how to involve students and staff in sustainability activities.
Returning teachers from GSC schools can select from different green-specialty workshops.



QUESTIONS/INFO

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Contact Information

School: Region:

Principal: Code:

Principal's email: Telephone:

Assistant Principal: Telephone:

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Please indicate how many **student** members you anticipate will be part of your **Green Team**:

Numbers of **years** enrolled in the Green Schools Challenge:

Teacher Participants: (Please include at least 2 or more teacher representatives)

Name	*	Subject Area + Grade Level	Teacher's Email/Phone
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Please place an asterisk (*) beside the name of the GSC Teacher Champion.

The Teacher Champion will be the 'go-to person' for the Green Schools Challenge in your school. Participating teachers listed above will need to attend two professional development trainings: *The Fall Workshop and the Mid-Year Meeting*.

Schools agree to Dream in Green's unrestricted use of student and school staff's work, including photographs and audio/visual recording made of/by participants in Dream in Green events, website/social media, publications and any promotional materials. Dream in Green must be notified in writing of any exceptions.

Administrative + Facilities Staff Participants:

(Please include 1 Administrative Staff + 1 Facility Staff)

Name	Title	Staff's Signature

Principal's Approval:

By signing here I am indicating that I am in support of this team of teachers, administrators & other school staff implementing the Green Schools Challenge.

Principal's Signature: Date:

Fax completed application to Dream in Green at 786-472-4128 or email to Karla@DreamInGreen.org