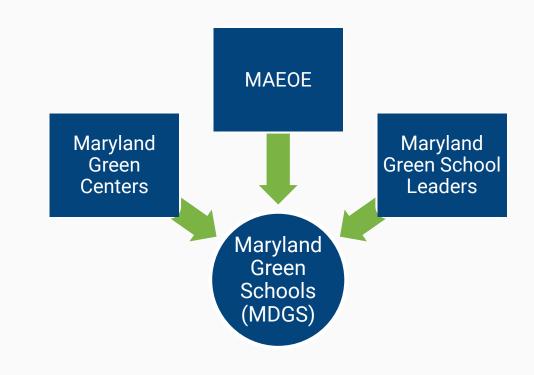
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### MAEOE Green Leader Training





## **Benefits of being a Green Leader**

- □ Join a network of Green Leaders
- □ Share your expertise
- □ Improve a school environment
- □ Imapct global sustainability
- □ Empower youth
- Increase environmental awareness
- Lead environmental justic initiatives

## What does a Green Leader Do?

A Green Leader will facilitate the continued growth and expansion of Maryland Green Schools because they will:

- □ Keep up to date on the MDGS program and resources that are available.
- Introduce schools to and excite schools about the Maryland Green School Program.
- Mentor and guide schools through their unique Maryland Green School journey.
- Celebrate the significant environmental improvements that Maryland Green Schools make within their communities



- □ Identify a recertifying/new Green School
- Establish a school contact
- Conduct a Green School assessment and use this to identify where he/she will be needed most.
- Outline a work plan for your involvement with the school

## What You Get in Return...

### Volunteer hours

- □ Access to the Green Leader Portal with resources
- Recognition on the MAEOE website, at annual MAEOE conference and Youth Summit
- □ Helping to create a new generation of environmentally literate citizens

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#### **Green Leaders Are Our Ambassadors and Navigators**



#### Volunteer to Make a Difference

Green Leaders are linked to a local Green Center and act as MAEOE's ambassadors and navigators for the Maryland Green Schools program by:

- · introducing uncertified schools to the Maryland Green Schools program
- · meeting with a school's Green School team as they work toward certification
- · assisting at the annual Youth Summit
- · volunteering as a Green Schools application reviewer

A Green Leader can be a parent, educator, student, naturalist, or anyone who is involved, committed and wants to make their community more sustainable. Other responsibilities of a Green Leader may include:

- staying up-to-date with the Green Schools application process and attend training every 1-2 years
- · helping review the Green Schools program application before submitting it to MAEOE
- assisting the establishment of Sustainable Practices (Objective 2 of the Green Schools Application)

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Green Leaders are a crucial part of a school's successful application to the Maryland Green Schools program.

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#### **Green Leaders Portal**

Welcome to the Green Leader Resource page. Explore the resource links and log your hours here. Let us know if there are any resources that should be added.

Additional Resources

Green Leaders Position Description

Volunteer Hours Log

Green School Application Resources

Online Portal Guide

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Info Session Recordings

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Resources and information to be used by Green Leaders

## What's Next

- Review the Green Leader Description
- Complete the Green Leader Interest Form
- Sign the Commitment Statement on the Green Leader Description (will be emailed to you after you confirm interest)
- Review the Green School Application Resources
- Complete the Volunteer Hours Log after review resources

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