



Maryland Green Schools Award Program

Application Review Rubric-Recertifying Sustainable Schools

Save form as “**School Name - Review # - Yes/No/Maybe**”. Review application and complete the form. When complete, re-name the file depending on your recommendation and email it to applications@maeoe.org with the same file name in the subject line.

School Name:		Review 1, 2 or 3	
Reviewer:		Approve? Y/N/Maybe	
County:		Excellent application?	
Award #: 5 and beyond		Application type: PPT or website	
Goals stated in application For award #4 and beyond		# of teachers: from cover sheet	

To receive the award, schools must meet every standard except those marked as *Optional* and must include documentation in chart form about the standard.

Objective 1 – Curriculum & Instruction

	Meets standard Y/N		Remarks
1.1 Environmental Issue Instruction Elem/Middle - all grades; High – at least 4 subjects	Doc		
1.2.1 Professional Development All staff know of Green School App	Doc		
1.2.2 Professional Development 10% have EE Prof Dev	Doc		
	Doc		
1.3. School-Wide Environmental Behavior Changes At least one non-student driven practice	Doc		
Additional Notes:			

Objective 2: Sustainable Practices

Required: A minimum of four Sustainable practices, each with 1 example of student involved/driven activities in each. Ideally, most students in the school will be involved in at least one practice, a breadth of ages and grades would be seen on the application. Chart activity with name, date, 1-2 sentence description, and metrics.

	Meets standard Y/N		Remarks
2.1 Water Conservation / Water Pollution Prevention	Doc		
2.2 Energy	Doc		
2.3 Solid Waste Reduction	Doc		
2.4 Habitat Restoration	Doc		
2.5 Structures for Environmental Learning	Doc		
2.6 Responsible Transportation	Doc		
2.7 Healthy Home /School Environment	Doc		
2.8 Citizen Science / Community Science	Doc		
Additional Notes:			

Objective 3: Community Partnerships and Special Recognition

Required: One sustained partnership where the partner is active in the school. **Optional:** One sustained partnership where the school is active in the community (can be the same partner organization or a different one).

	Meets standard Y/N		Remarks
3.1.1 School active in the community	Doc		
3.1.2 Community active in the school	Doc		
3.2 Awards and Recognition Optional	Doc		
Additional Notes:			