



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **1. How do I know if my school is eligible for this program?**

Send an e-mail to [greenschools@recyclebank.com](mailto:greenschools@recyclebank.com). We will look up the status of your town or city and confirm your school's eligibility.

### **2. What does "Green Schools Finalist" mean?**

Once the application period has ended, our committee reviews all applications. If your school's application is selected, your school will be designated as a Green Schools Finalist. All Green Schools Finalists will have a dedicated Points Donation Campaign page.

### **3. Do I have to be a teacher or a principal to complete the Green Schools Program application?**

No. Any adult affiliated with the school (parent, aide, staff member, teacher, principal, etc.) can complete the Green Schools Program application on behalf of the school.

### **4. Can I use this grant money to pay a staff person or cover fees for a consultant?**

No. Green Schools Program grants cannot be used exclusively to pay staff or cover fees.

### **5. Can my school apply for the same project as last year?**

No. Schools cannot send in duplicate applications from year to year. However, schools can apply for grants to expand or build upon a previous Green Schools project.

### **6. If my school is selected as a Green Schools Finalist, where will parents and supporters donate to my school's Points Donation Campaign?**

Every Green Schools Finalist will have a Points Donation Campaign page, where parents and supporters can donate their points directly to the school's green project.

### **7. If my school doesn't reach our fundraising goal, do we receive the amount of money we raise?**

Yes. At the end of the Donation Period, we will convert any points your school has into dollars and will send the school a check for that amount. Note: 250 points = \$1.

### **8. If my school is selected as a Green Schools Finalist, how will I get the word out to parents and supporters? Does you offer any support or assistance to schools?**

Green Schools Finalists will receive a toolkit of resources at the beginning of the Points Donation Period.