

Waste Not Washington School Awards Feedback Report

Reporting Form Information

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) is interested in the continuous improvement of the Waste Not Washington School Awards program, and an integral component of that is feedback. Now that projects have been implemented, Ecology wants to hear about your successes, any opportunities, and how these projects have impacted your school and its students.

Complete the following questions with as much detail as possible and send your completed form to schoolawards@ecy.wa.gov. Please include any supporting documents or photos.

Please be aware that the information you provide in this reporting form may be used to promote the Waste Not Washington School Awards program, as well as inform Ecology of how this program functions and what changes may be necessary in future years. We greatly appreciate your time and responses.

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School and Contact Information

School Name:	Contact Person:
School District:	Title:
County:	E-mail Address:
Project Information	
Project Name:	
Date Implemented:	

Project Overview (1-3 Sentences):



Project Questions:

1. How has your school benefitted from this project?

- 2. Who was involved in the planning, implementation, and continuation of this project?
 - How many students and staff?
 - What were their roles?



- 3. What measurable outcomes have you seen as a result of your project? Do you have any waste or financial data you can report? For example:
 - Prevented waste as a result of witching to durable serviceware or after composting food waste (school waste totals before and after project implementation)
 - Cost savings from switching to durables rather than buying single-use
 - Cost savings from downsizing dumpster

4. What advice would you give a school wanting to implement a similar project? (Any advice on timelines, who to get buy in from beforehand, unforeseen costs, complications, etc?)

5. How do you feel about the longevity of this project? What processes and support have been put in place to ensure its success?



Process Questions:

6. Are there any changes you would make to the application process? Was there anything unclear about what was needed from you?

7. How did you hear about the Waste Not Washington School Awards program?

