



Healthy Schools – Healthy Environments

2009 Sponsorship Opportunities

BRING SUSTAINABILITY TO OREGON K-12 SCHOOLS THROUGH THE SUSTAINABLE OREGON SCHOOLS INITIATIVE (SOSI)

SOSI helps Oregon’s interested K-12 schools and districts integrate sustainability into their operations, teaching, and culture. SOSI is creating tools and resources, and provides information and assistance. This will enable Oregon schools and districts to lead the nation in sustainability and achieve:

- Cost savings
- Healthier spaces for our kids
- Stronger Communities
- Reduced environmental impacts
- Students prepared to be tomorrow’s leaders!



SOSI is endorsed by Oregon Department of Education, school districts and many diverse organizations.

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Sustainable Oregon Schools, c/o Zero Waste Alliance
121 SW Salmon St., Suite 210
Portland, OR 97204

SCHOOL SUSTAINABILITY TOPICS

Many things impact school sustainability. The Sustainable Oregon Schools Initiative is convening stakeholder teams for each of the topic areas listed below in the center. The teams will develop resources for each topic area.

<i>Category</i>	Topic Area	General Topic Area issues
<i>FACILITIES AND OPERATIONS</i>	Buildings	New construction, building operations and maintenance
	Landscaping / Grounds	Grounds: Natural areas, landscaping design & maintenance, food gardens
	Toxics / Indoor Environment	Indoor environmental quality, chemical management (pesticides, cleaning, lab, other), toxics
<i>SYSTEMS AND SERVICES</i>	Managing Sustainability	System and framework to guide school district progress toward sustainability
	Food and Wellness	Choices and sources of foods, wellness policies, farm to school, fitness
	Transportation	School vehicles, maintenance shop practices, alternative transportation options
	Procurement and Resource Management	<u>Procurement System:</u> Sustainability of goods and services, product stewardship, procurement infrastructure; bulk and cooperative purchasing. <u>Energy:</u> Amount and source of all energy used <u>Material:</u> Waste prevention, recycling, product stewardship <u>Water:</u> Water to and from facility (domestic and natural)
<i>COMMUNITY & CULTURE</i>	Community Involvement	Community support to school, learning opportunities in community, partnerships, school outreach to community
	Multi-Cultural Proficiency	Student and staff diversity, cultural understanding, language, communication
<i>EDUCATION</i>	Student/Teacher Sustainability Education	Formal (classroom), Non-formal (outside classroom) and informal education (school environment), service learning
	Sustainability Training for Staff	Opportunities and needs for sustainability training of school staff

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