



greensCHOOLS is a non-profit corporation dedicated to help and support those involved in the school community, or in other areas of learning, such as Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, after school programs, camps, and more.

Our mission is to create healthier/ "greener" learning environments through education and awareness.

WHAT IS GOING GREEN? Traditionally, Going Green is about recycling, reusing, and reducing. Going Green is also about being environmentally responsible. **This greensCHOOLS program looks at internal and external environments through better nutrition, recycling, creating less waste, and using less toxic products.**

A green team can come to your school to show students, teachers, staff, and parents how to make healthier/more environmentally responsible choices both in and out of the classroom. We have a variety of programs that you can mix and match to create your own plan of action. **greensCHOOLS** connects your school with numerous resources, and reinforces the ideas of being **green** throughout the year!



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YOUR SCHOOL
TODAY!**



*Creating Healthier Learning
Environments*

PRESENTATIONS

FUND RAISERS

STUDENT ASSEMBLIES

ESSAY CONTESTS

SCHOLARSHIPS

and

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Why I Created greensCHOOLS

Since the age of three, I remember suffering from chronic ear infections [multiple sets of tubes], colds, viral infections, and more. If you saw me then you would have said what others said, "she looks like a strong and healthy child". The truth as I have come to learn, is that I was far from it!

I was a teacher of English, theater, and public speaking for eight + years and then it happened. After the birth of my second daughter, my body just couldn't take any more. I became hypersensitive. I am still allergic to everything [trees, grass, dust, mold, pets, and almost all foods and chemicals.

This experience literally stopped me. I made the decision that I was going to get back on my feet, get back to teaching, and be the best mom I could be for my two girls, who I suspected were suffering from the same problems. Along the way, I have come across some very caring and knowledgeable individuals. I hope I can share what I have learned with your school, and help to create healthier learning environments.

Sincerely,

Robin Organ-President/Founder

A HEALTHY CHILD

A healthy child does not get cold after cold, or chronic infections. A healthy child does not need to stop and worry about allergic exposures, chemicals, dietary restrictions, taking medicine, inhalers, shots, or even having surgeries. The trouble is, when we look around us, we see that our health, and our children's health is not what it should/could be. Our schools have the opportunity to help students and staff for the 8+ hours they spend inside and beyond...

Presentations

STEP 1: A sit down discussion and walk through your school with an administrator to identify ways to become more green.

STEP 2: A presentation to the staff about what can be done immediately to improve the classroom/school environment.

STEP 3: A presentation to the PTO/PTA & Parents about what can be done in the classroom, and at home to further support the efforts of the school.

STEP 4: A kickoff presentation to students about fundraising activities, scholarships, etc... and the benefits to a "greener" school/lifestyle.

As an educator, I am well aware of the fact that no two learners or schools will be exactly the same. green schools works hard to create individualized presentations geared toward the needs of your school.

Fundraising and earn money to "go green"

greensCHOOLS asks you to make healthier, more environmentally responsible decisions when it comes to selecting a fund raiser for your school or program.

We have a variety of cool and safe products for your students to sell. Some items include: t-shirts, sweatshirts, recycled mugs made from corn plastic, the *Believe Bracelet* and more...

A HEALTHY SCHOOL SHOULD NOT BE SELLING CANDY, COOKIE DOUGH, AND LOLLIPOPS! THERE ARE OTHER THINGS WE CAN DO TO RAISE MONEY!

Student work, Scholarships, & more...

Preschool/Nursery School students will have the opportunity to engage in a variety of fun, hands-on, learning activities based around green concepts.

Elementary and Middle School students will be involved in age appropriate activities. They will play an active role in green decision making wherever possible. Students will also have the opportunity to enter an essay/poetry contest. The student who wins this contest will receive a public award, a greensCHOOLS t-shirt, and have his/her work published in a local and school newspaper.

High School students will have numerous opportunities to work with/learn about green education. They will apply learned concepts in their classrooms, and throughout the school. Students will also be encouraged to use green ideas when planning events in & for the school.

Seniors [*in schools that work with our corporation*] will have the opportunity to apply for a scholarship. We will use a portion of the money raised from our fundraising efforts to make this a generous award. Students interested will write an essay discussing his/her outstanding contributions to a "greener society", or how your life has changed by "going green."

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