Want to shrink school waste? Join us.

ECO-SCHOOL WASTE FELLOWSHIP

Teach children how to live gently on the earth by leading an elementary school waste reduction project

Who can apply? Parents, guardians, teachers, and school staff members at elementary schools in Portland, Beaverton, North Clackamas, and West Linn.

What do fellows do? Fellows each implement a one-year project to shrink cafeteria or other waste in an elementary school and gather data to help tell the story. Fellows will meet at a fellowship launch workshop on February 25 from 6:30—8:30 p.m. to hear tips for success and learn how to evaluate your project’s impacts.

What types of projects? Projects that reduce food waste, disposable cafeteria products, milk cartons, school supply waste and event waste are eligible. Fellows may also organize school swaps for clothes, books, gear, or costumes.

What support is offered? Experienced school waste mentors will help you plan, implement and evaluate your project. Some funds will be available for school waste reduction supplies.

Apply by February 11, 2019. Call us at 503-960-5252 or email a paragraph about your project idea to rachel@ecoschoolnetwork.org. Please let us know if your school is a Title 1 school.