Todd Beamer High School

School District: Federal Way
School Location: Federal Way
Began Participating in the Green Schools Program: March 2016
Level One of the Green Schools Program: Achieved in April 2017

Waste Reduction and Recycling (Level One)

- Todd Beamer High School improved its recycling program.
- Students in Mrs. Sproul's Environmental Science class visited every classroom, noted whether or not there was a recycling bin, adjusted bin placement if needed, and recorded the items they saw in the garbage and recycling.
- The school’s Green Team (also known as the Environmental Club) had seven consistent members. A member of Mrs. Sproul's Environmental Science class also participated in conservation activities.
- To reduce paper use, students created a handout to explain to teachers how to make double-sided copies.
- The principal began to send school newsletters via email.
- Students added signs to a share table in the cafeteria to increase its visibility and encourage students to place unwanted, unopened packaged items from the school lunch program on the table for others to take.

For more information about this school’s conservation achievements and participation in the Green Schools Program, contact:

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