



Hilltop Elementary School

School district: Highline

School location: Burien

Began participating in the Green Schools Program: September 2017

Level One of the Green Schools Program: Achieved in May 2018

Waste Reduction and Recycling (Level One)

- Hilltop Elementary increased its recycling rate from 33% to 58%.
- A Green Team made up of 21 fourth-grade students and one second-grade student was formed.
- To kick-off milk carton recycling in its lunchroom, Hilltop conducted a Milk Carton Recycling Week in January 2018. School-wide announcements were made and student monitors helped fellow students sort at each lunch.
- Throughout the school year announcements were made to remind students and staff members about Green Team meetings and actions.
- The school hosted the King County Going Green Together assembly, classroom workshops, and Recicla Mas workshops to introduce students to waste reduction and recycling practices.