# QUARTERLY RECYCLING AWARDS

#### THANKS TO THE OUTSTANDING RECYCLING EFFORTS OF OUR STUDENTS AND STAFF,

School Energy & Recycling Team Program

Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS) recycled 1,430 tons of paper and commingled materials during the third quarter (March–May) of the 2018–2019 school year. During this period, our MCPS elementary schools recycled an average of 6.21 pounds per person (PPP); middle schools achieved an average of 4.93 pounds per person, and high schools managed 2.99 PPP. To calculate pounds per person, we use this formula: total weight of recycled paper + total weight of commingled items ÷ total number of students + staff = PPP.

The SERT program is pleased to announce that the 25 schools listed below have earned recycling awards for the first quarter of this school year. Each of them recycled remarkably well, which resulted in PPP percentages that were well above the average for their level. We thank all of the students and staff for their outstanding recycling efforts throughout the quarter, and applaud the evidence of their commitment to conservation and sustainability.

### **TOP 15 ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS:**

Belmont Elementary School Chevy Chase Elementary School Cold Spring Elementary School Damascus Elementary School Germantown Elementary School Glen Haven Elementary School Highland View Elementary School Laytonsville Elementary School Monocacy Elementary School New Hampshire Estates Elementary School North Chevy Chase Elementary School Oak View Elementary School Sligo Creek Elementary School Travilah Elementary School Westbrook Elementary School

#### **TOP 5 MIDDLE SCHOOLS:**

John T. Baker Middle School Gaithersburg Middle School Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Middle School Redland Middle School Rocky Hill Middle School

#### **TOP 5 HIGH SCHOOLS:**

Damascus High School Albert Einstein High School Northwood High School Quince Orchard High School Seneca Valley High School

## THIRD QUARTER

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