

SERT

SCHOOL
ENERGY &
RECYCLING
TEAM PROGRAM



QUARTERLY RECYCLING AWARDS

THANKS TO THE OUTSTANDING RECYCLING EFFORTS OF OUR STUDENTS AND STAFF, Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS) recycled 1,336 tons of paper and commingled materials during the first quarter (September–November) of the 2018–2019 school year. During this period, our MCPS elementary schools recycled an average of 5.76 pounds per person (PPP); middle schools achieved an average of 4.19 pounds per person, and high schools managed 2.77 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
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
Wood Acres Elementary School

TOP 5 MIDDLE SCHOOLS:

Gaithersburg Middle School
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Middle School
Redland Middle School
Rocky Hill Middle School
Westland Middle School

TOP 5 HIGH SCHOOLS:

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

FIRST QUARTER