



# OREGON GREEN SCHOOLS

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The Oregon Green Schools team would like to invite you to apply to join our Board of Directors in support of our mission to activate climate and sustainability leadership in students, schools and communities. We provide an inclusive network and educational resources because we believe that student stewardship and climate action are a top priority and we must act now. Oregon Green Schools (OGS) is a nonprofit organization, founded in 1997, that provides free assistance and support to schools across the state. We support schools in establishing and maintaining conservation and sustainability programs that shape the next generation of environmental leaders. We are operated by a volunteer [board of directors](#) with funding support from grants, partners, sponsors, and members.

**Our Values:**

- Environmental Stewardship
- Collective Accountability and Integrity
- Collaborative Leadership
- Optimistic Realism
- Holistic Community Engagement
- Ongoing Growth

We are uniquely positioned within the environmental education sector to nurture a thriving network of students, schools and communities, building mutually beneficial relationships with educators, government agencies and sustainability professionals.

**Our Resources Include:**

- [Certification Tracks](#):
  - At-Home; Waste, Reuse and Recycling; Green Lunchrooms; Energy Conservation; Gardens and Grounds; Walk and Roll to School
- [Annual student summits](#)
- Training and support to our network of [Regional Coordinators](#)
- Partnership opportunities bridging the sustainability industry and K-12 education sectors
- Educational resources to cultivate engaged climate advocates in local communities

Oregon Green Schools is seeking board members who have a commitment to resource conservation and sustainability education. Board members must be willing to promote and seek support for the organization within their spheres of influence. They are expected to attend and participate in monthly board meetings and equity discussions, and provide input on their area of expertise.

**OGS is currently seeking expertise in any the following fields:**

Finances and Fundraising	Environmental Justice
Climate Change	K-12 admin and/or classroom teacher experience
Water Conservation and Pollution Prevention	Gardens and Grounds
Transportation	Environmental Policy and Advocacy

**Additional Resources**

- [Board Job Description](#)
- [OGS 2017-2020 Strategic Plan](#) (updates in process)

**To apply:** [Complete the Application Process](#). The first wave of applications is **due on August 13, 2021**. After your submittal, an OGS representative will be in touch with further steps.

**Thank you for your time and interest.**