



Northwest Indiana
Solid Waste District

Benton, Carroll, Jasper, Newton, Pulaski and White Counties

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Education Staff,

Our **School Grant** program was created in 2004 because we know how challenging it can be to add programs and stay within budget. Since that time we have provided schools with over \$160,000 for recycling projects and recycling education. If you have an educational project that uses recycled material, collects recycled material or teaches about resources and waste reduction, consider our grant program. Our application is available on-line at www.nwiswd.org.

You will find four flyers about the **grant program** enclosed with this letter. Feel free to make more copies if needed and distribute them where you feel they will do the most benefit. The Teacher's Lounge, Teacher's Workroom, Office, Library or PTO President are great options.

OPPORTUNITIES WITH OTHER AGENCIES

3rd Annual Great American Can Roundup School Challenge – sponsored by The Can Manufacturers Institute (CMI) CMI is awarding a \$1,000 to a school in each state recycling the most aluminum cans per student and an additional \$5,000 to the top per capita recycling school nationwide. The contest period is from America Recycles Day (Nov. 15) to Earth Day (April 22) 2013. More details regarding the contest can be found at www.cancentral.com/roundup. Registration is required and is now open.

Keep America Beautiful – Recycle Bowl K-12 Recycling Competition. This competition begins in October and runs 4 weeks. Prizes will be given to the school with the top per capita recycling rate. More information is on www.kab.org.

If we can be of service to you in any other way, don't hesitate to call.

Thank you for recycling,



Marc Maguran
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"reduce, reuse, recycle"



Call or Email
800-856-0980
info@nwiswd.org

Purchase a drop off recycling collection trailer for school

Library resource materials, publications and newsletters

\$ Five Thousand Dollars \$
Attention Teachers and Educators
It is time to apply for Northwest Indiana Solid Waste District School Recycling and Resource Education Grant for 2013. There is up to \$5000 available for each county that we serve. We are here to help you with the grant process. You can give us a call or send an email, we would be happy to discuss your project ideas with you to ensure the eligibility of your grant request. Full grant details are available at www.nwiswd.org.
Hurry deadline is 4:00 p.m. Monday, October 1, 2012. We look forward to hearing from you. 800-856-0980 or info@nwiswd.org.

Compost Kits and Recycling Kits.

Be creative in your grant proposal

Deadline:
Monday,
October 1 2012
4:00 p.m.

Check us out on the web-
www.nwiswd.org

Clean Sweep program to properly dispose of laboratory chemicals

Programs to support Outdoor Lab or Environmental Learning



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