



All schools have some type of recycling program but school staff may not have recently evaluated the recycling program to determine effectiveness. If your school is not recycling 75% of its waste, Anoka County has resources available to help your school improve. By recycling and composting, schools have an opportunity to save on costs and positively influence the future of their school, district, students and the environment.

Free help is available. Get started today!

Contact Anoka County Recycling & Resource Solutions for:

- Waste reduction, reuse, recycling and organics recycling information
- Fluorescent lamp, electronics, battery and printer cartridge recycling information
- On-site technical assistance
- Container grant program up to \$10,000 per school
- Free recycling and trash container signs
- Tips for working with your hauler

Email: recycle@co.anoka.mn.us

Call: 763-324-3400

Here to Help: County Resources

We're in this together and want recycling and adding organics or food-to-hogs programs to be as easy as possible! State law requires schools to provide recycling, maximizing your program may help save money on solid waste taxes and fees.

• Technical Assistance

Anoka County staff can provide a walk thru of your school to provide recommendations and best practices. We provide solutions to fit into your current waste and recycling collection program without added staff time. We can also provide tips for working with your hauler to maximize your current contract.

• Signage & Educational Materials

Anoka County offers **FREE** signs for interior and exterior containers to make sure everything is labeled clearly.

• Anoka County Grant Program

Anoka County offers a grant program of up to \$10,000 per school to improve a recycling program. Contact us today for an application. Funding is available for items such as recycling containers, organics collection sorting tables or reusable cutlery.



Waste reduction is a smart, easy way to save money and natural resources.



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Resources available to improve
your waste management
program – see inside.

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School Recycling Resource Guide



A guide from Anoka County to help
you improve your waste
reduction and recycling program.

