



CoSN Green Computing Award Certificate Application



Annual Renewal Submission Form

School/District Name:
 Address: City, State Zip:
 School/District Website URL:
 Applicant Name:
 Applicant Title:
 Phone: Email:
 Other Contacts:

This annual application for CoSN and EPEAT Green Computing Certificates indicates the policies implemented by this school/district to reduce the environmental impact of our computing technologies and operations. With these initiatives, outlined below, School or District Name is reducing IT energy use, reducing waste of natural resources and harm to our environment, and demonstrating both cost consciousness and environmental leadership.

Our School/ district has implemented the following policies and actions:

Purchasing

We have committed to purchase EPEAT™ and Energy Star® registered products wherever possible, and have developed policy or contract language which embodies this pledge. We have documented EPEAT registered products as specified on page 3.



Yes/No

We have arrangements with our primary computer vendor(s) to require use of reusable packaging or to combine machines into multi-pack packaging and eliminate extra paper copies of documentation to reduce packaging and paper waste. Yes/No

Disposal

We have contracted for a responsible vendor or independent disposal program. Yes/No. We have contracted with Name of disposal organization. (See EPA and BAN e-Stewards programs for list of independent e-waste management firms who have pledged to follow specific responsible practices.)



We have made arrangements to donate good working computers and related equipment that are no longer to be used by the school/district, depending on state restrictions on disposition of public assets. Yes/No



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Energy Use

We have investigated availability and requirements concerning energy certificates/credits in our area and are taking advantage of this program, if available. Yes/No



Using the CoSN Energy Use Calculator or actual measurements, our estimated current annual total computer infrastructure power consumption on a per-client-computer basis is now _____ KwH. Planned annual per-client-computer power consumption over the next year is _____ KwH; major energy reduction projects include _____.

We have joined the ENERGY STAR Low Carbon IT Campaign. To join the Low Carbon IT Campaign, your organization pledges to activate power management features on your monitors and computers to save energy and reduce your carbon footprint. Yes/No



Reduce Waste

We have investigated use of computers to reduce energy waste and to conserve natural resources around the district (such as reduced travel, printer supplies and building energy use). Yes/No



Projects that we intend to include in the technology plan are:

Reporting

I agree that we will continue to report annually on progress for all areas indicated as “Yes” Yes/No. CoSN and EPEAT will provide an ongoing Green Computing award certificate forms.

Please submit this completed form to rich@cosn.org

References

Purchasing - EPEAT: <http://www.epeat.net>

Disposal – EPA:

<http://www.epa.gov/epawaste/conserves/materials/ecycling/live.htm>

Disposal – BAN: http://www.e-stewards.org/local_estewards.html

Energy Savings Certificates – WRI:

<http://www.wri.org/publication/bottom-line-energy-savings-certificates>

Energy Use Calculator – CoSN:

<http://www.cosn.org/greencomputing>

Low Carbon IT Campaign – Energy Star:

http://www.energystar.gov/index.cfm?c=power_mgt.pr_power_mgt_low_carbon

Use Computers to Reduce Waste – CoSN:

<http://www.cosn.org/greencomputing>



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EPEAT Purchase Reporting

Consistent with our commitment as an EPEAT Purchasing Partner, we are reporting on our purchase of EPEAT Registered products in Fiscal Year .

Our reporting is self reported vendor/reseller reported . (check one)

EPEAT PRODUCTS PURCHASED (Qty)

Product Type	Bronze Registered	Silver Registered	Gold Registered	Un-registered	TOTAL
Desktops					
Notebooks					
Integrated Systems					
Monitors					

EPEAT INSTALLED INVENTORY ASSET ANALYSIS

Product Type	Percentage Bronze	Percentage Silver	Percentage Gold	Percentage Un-registered	TOTAL
Desktops					
Notebooks					
Integrated Systems					
Monitors					

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Applicant Name:

Applicant Title:

Other Authorized Purchaser Name/Title: