

**The good news is that
you can make a
difference!**

Tools for Teachers

- ✓ Set an example for the kids
- ✓ Start a club
- ✓ Encourage good habits
- ✓ Apply for a D20 Green Grant
- ✓ Strive to be a Green Ribbon School
- ✓ Make it part of your curriculum
- ✓ Display the results of your efforts
- ✓ Etc.

It's easy being green!

Useful Links

For more info, go to the District 20 Green Team home page at:

<http://www.asd20.org/education/components/scrapbook/default.php?sectionid=3838>

<http://www2.ed.gov/programs/green-ribbon-schools/index.html>

<http://energy.gov/energysaver/articles/when-turn-your-lights>

<http://www.consumerenergycenter.org/index.html>



Academy District 20 Green Print

***Some easy tools to help
you make a difference***

D20 Green Team
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Myths and Legends

Myth #1: My “little” contributions won’t make a difference.

REALITY: They will! It all adds up – to a lot!

Myth #2: My generation doesn’t need to worry about this stuff.

REALITY: Now is the time to get ahead of the game.

Myth #3: Being green doesn’t make financial sense.

REALITY: Some technologies are definitely still expensive, but it’s good habits, which are FREE, that can make a BIG impact.

Etc...



Tips for Students

- ✓ Turn off lights
- ✓ Faucet dripping? Shut ‘er down!
- ✓ Re-purpose old items
- ✓ Recycle
- ✓ Plant a tree
- ✓ Walk/cycle to school
- ✓ Make it a habit!
- ✓ Make a friendly competition
- ✓ Join or start a Green Team at your school!

Interesting Facts

- Millions of gallons of gas, *per day*, are burned idling cars, not to mention the associated emissions
- Donuts are good

A little goes a long way!

Tools for Parents

- ✓ Set an example for your kids
- ✓ Minimize automobile engine idle time (including warm-up)
- ✓ Educate your kids (and yourselves) about energy sources
- ✓ Do it at home!