

## **2012-2013 ADVANCED SUSTAINABILITY COORDINATOR TRAINING RESOURCES**

### **School Recycling Resources**

**GrowNYC Recycling Champions:** [www.grownyc.org/recyclingchampions](http://www.grownyc.org/recyclingchampions)

A complete school recycling Tool-Kit with setup guides, checklists, editable presentations and memos, and more. Also, contact information for school recycling partners that can help with classroom lessons, auditorium assemblies, and recycling drives.

**NYC Department of Sanitation:** [www.nyc.gov/wasteless/schools](http://www.nyc.gov/wasteless/schools)

Comprehensive information about what and how to recycle at schools; how to order free decals, signage, and educational materials for students and staff; and how to get the free NYC Teachers' RRResource Kit.

**NYC Department of Sanitation Golden Apple Awards:** [www.nyc.gov/wasteless/goldenapple](http://www.nyc.gov/wasteless/goldenapple)

The DSNY Golden Apple Awards provide cash prizes to NYC schools for exemplary recycling programs, waste prevention initiatives, beautification community service projects, and composting efforts. [www.mfta.org/rrr.html](http://www.mfta.org/rrr.html) Materials For The Arts provides free "RRResources" for schools including field trips and teacher trainings on how to incorporate "Reduce, Reuse, Recycle" into classes, and how to enter the Golden Apple Awards.

**US EPA Region 2 Sustainable Schools Webinar Series:**

[www.epa.gov/region2/webinars/cafe\\_waste.html](http://www.epa.gov/region2/webinars/cafe_waste.html)

Sustainable Schools Webinar Series - Reducing Waste in Schools: Cafeteria Waste Stations. This webinar takes a look at managing waste in school cafeterias and includes examples of three NYC schools which worked to minimize waste and educate students in their cafeterias.