

JOIN THE DETROIT ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY ON OUR GREEN JOURNEY

ENTER THE **GREENPRIZE** AWARD COMPETITION!



The Detroit Zoological Society's (DZS's) GREENPRIZE Award recognizes schools that inspire, motivate and engage their students to develop green solutions for their school.

**Who can participate?**

- K-12 classes, schools or Green Teams in Macomb, Oakland and Wayne County 2018-2019 Green Schools programs.

**Main points to include:**

- Identify an environmental or sustainability issue
- Propose a solution that would address the issue
- List materials/labor that would be needed to implement the solution
- Describe the positive impact it would make

**Entries will be evaluated based upon the following criteria:**

- Student-led initiative
- Impactful, long-term solution
- Practicality of implementation
- Creativity
- Presentation (Have fun! Send a video, artistic rendition of plan, etc.)

**Dates to Remember:**

March 1 – Final date for submission to the Detroit Zoological Society

March 15 – Top three entries will be selected and notified

April 27 – Detroit Zoo's *GreenFest* event – first-, second- and third-prize winners will be showcased. All entries will be on display.

**Cash award for implementation:**

**First prize** - \$1,000 and a class field trip to the Detroit Zoo to learn about the DZS's Greenprint initiatives such as our anaerobic digester, permeable pavement, water bottle refill stations, solar energy and more.

**Second prize** - \$600

**Third prize** - \$400

All entries will receive a certificate of participation (include with your Green School application)

**Submittal Information:**

Submit all entries to Rachel Handbury at [rhandbury@dzs.org](mailto:rhandbury@dzs.org)