

EASTON, REDDING & REGION 9 SCHOOL DISTRICTS GREEN CLEANING PROGRAM IN SCHOOLS (CT PUBLIC ACT 09-81)

The State of Connecticut is requiring that each local and regional board of education implement a green cleaning program for all school buildings and facilities in its district.

The Easton, Redding and Region 9 Boards of Education are committed to the implementation of this law by providing the staff and, upon request, the parents and guardians of each child enrolled in each school with a written statement of the districts' green cleaning program as well as making it available on its web site annually. The policy will also be distributed to new staff hired during the school year and, upon request, to parents or guardians of students transferring in during the school year.

- 1. Green cleaning program means the procurement and proper use of environmentally preferable cleaning products as defined by the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) for all state owned buildings, schools and facilities. DAS currently requires that environmentally preferable cleaning products be independently certified by one of two third party certified organizations: *Green Seal or Eco Logo*
- 2. By July 1, 2011 and thereafter no person shall use a cleaning product in a public school unless it meets the DAS standard.
- 3. The types of cleaning products covered in this legislation include: general purpose, bathroom, and glass cleaners, floor strippers and finishes, hand cleaners and soaps. The preferred green cleaning products used by the school districts are listed on Attachment "A"
- 4. Disinfectants, disinfectant cleaners, sanitizers or antimicrobial products regulated by the federal insecticide, fungicide and rodenticide act are not covered by this law.

The following statement will be part of our districts' program as stated in the new law:

"NO PARENT, GUARDIAN, TEACHER OR STAFF MEMBER MAY BRING INTO THE SCHOOL FACILITY ANY CONSUMER PRODUCT WHICH IS INTENDED TO CLEAN, DEODORIZE, SANITIZE OR DISINFECT."

The implementation of this program requires the support and cooperation of everyone including administrators, faculty, staff, parents, guardians and facilities staff.

Any questions concerning the program can be directed to: Scott Reiss, Director of Finance and Operations, Easton, Redding & Region 9 Boards of Education 654 Morehouse Road, P.O. Box 500, Easton, CT 06612

EASTON, REDDING & REGION 9 SCHOOL DISTRICTS ATTACHMENT "A" GREEN PRODUCT LISTING

This chart lists the types, names, and manufacturers of the green products used by the school districts as well as the location/area of application and the schedule of when each is used.

PRODUCT/TYPE	NAME	MANUFACTURER	LOCATION/AREA	FREQUENCY / SCHEDULE
All Purpose Cleaner	Suprox #33	Hillyard	All Rooms	Daily
All Purpose Cleaner	Earth Sense #16 – pH Neutral All-Purpose Cleaner	National Chemical Laboratories	Table Tops, Counters, Sinks	Daily
All Purpose Cleaner	Earth Sense #18 – Multi-Surface Cleaner with H ₂ O ₂	National Chemical Laboratories	Throughout school	Daily
All Purpose Cleaner	G Force #72 Multi- Purpose Cleaner	Diversey	Classrooms, Hallways	Daily
All Purpose Cleaner	Speedball 2000 Heavy Duty Spray Cleaner Concentrate Outpost #32	Diversey	Classrooms, Hallways	Daily
All Purpose Cleaner	Suprox	Hillyard	Throughout school	Daily
Floor Cleaner	Top Clean #10	Hillyard	All VCT	Annually (Summer)
Floor Cleaner	Earth Sense #16	National Chemical Laboratories	Floors	Daily as needed
Floor Cleaner	Raindance Outpost #50	Diversey	Classrooms, Hallways	Daily
Floor Cleaner	Floor-Activator (soybean oil)	Fuel Activator	Hallways, Gyms	Daily
Floor Wax	Simply Perfect	Benman Ind.	All VCT	Annually (Summer)
Floor Wax	Aquaria Floor Finish	Diversey	All Tile Floors	Annually (Summer)

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Floor Wax	Aquaria Floor Finish	Diversey	All Tile Floors	Annually (Summer)
Floor Wax	Aspire	National Chemical Laboratories	Floors	Annually (Summer)
Floor Wax	Transcend #1 Code Green	M.D. Stetson Company Inc.	Classrooms, Hallways	Semi- Annually (Summer)
Floor Wax	Green Select EP-22	Hillyard	Throughout school	Annually (Summer)
Glass Cleaner	Green Select #27	Hillyard	All Rooms	Daily
Glass Cleaner	Earth Sense #19 Glass & Window Cleaner	National Chemical Laboratories	Glass & Windows	Daily
Glass Cleaner	Glance Non- Ammoniated Glass Cleaner Outpost #72	Diversey	Classrooms, Windows	Daily
Glass Cleaner	Ionized Water or Green Select	Hillyard	Throughout school	Daily
Hand Soap	Hillyard Green Select	Hillyard	Restrooms	Daily
Hand Soap	GOJO Hand Soap	GOJO Industries	Restrooms	Daily
Hand Soap	Earth Sense Green Liquid Hand Cleaner	National Chemical Laboratories	Restrooms, Kitchen	Daily
Hand Soap	GoJo Foaming Hand Cleaner	GOJO	Restrooms, Labs	Daily
Mineral Dissolver	Green Select Bathroom Cleaner #29	Hillyard	Restrooms	Daily
Mineral Dissolver	PolBlo Enzysan 2000	Pollet	Restrooms, Carpets, Drains, Kitchen	Daily, Weekly, Monthly
Mineral Dissolver	G Force #71 Washroom Cleaner	Diversey	Restrooms	Daily
Mineral Dissolver	Suprox	Hillyard	Sinks, Toilets, Urinals	As needed

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Mineral Dissolver	G Force #71 Washroom Cleaner	Diversey	Restrooms	Daily
Mineral Dissolver	Suprox	Hillyard	Sinks, Toilets, Urinals	As needed
Neutral Cleaner	Super Shine All #8	Hillyard	Classroom/offices	Daily
Neutral Cleaner	Earth Sense #16 – pH Neutral All-Purpose Cleaner	National Chemical Laboratories	Throughout school	Daily
Neutral Cleaner	Super Shine –All	Hillyard	Throughout school	As Needed
Water Soluble Cleaner	Bowl Cleaner (Powder)	Hillyard	Restrooms	Daily
Water Soluble Cleaner	Earth Sense #'s 16-19-20-35	National Chemical Laboratories	Throughout school	Daily, Weekly, Monthly
Water Soluble Cleaner	Ionized Water	None	Throughout school	Daily
Wax Stripper	Stripaway	Benman Ind.	All VCT	Annually (Summer)
Wax Stripper	Non-Ammoniated Battery Scrubber (water)	None	All Tile	Annually (Summer)
Wax Stripper	Green Select Stripper	Hillyard	Throughout school	Annually (Summer)