To ensure that the installation of water bottle refill stations at selected schools is a springboard for waste reduction and ecological literacy, this application asks questions about your school team and their commitment to promoting the use of the new refill stations. **In order for your school to be considered you must fill out the information requested in this application**.

**Application submitted by:**

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| **School:** Click to enter text. |
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[ ]  Please check to acknowledge your principal’s approval regarding the installation of **one** water bottle refill station at your school.

**Team Structure:**

**Who are your water champions?**

Please list the members of your school staff that will ensure project commitments are fulfilled.

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**Site Information:**

1. **Does your school already have any water refill stations?** [ ]  **Yes** [ ]  **No
Please note:** If yes, schools that do not already have a water refill station will be given priority in the selection process. If your school would like to purchase water refill station contact Justin.Nadeau@tdsb.on.ca
2. **How many water fountains does your school have?** Click here to enter text.
3. **List the top three locations for the water bottle refill stations in your school, including why they are your preference. Note:** Refill station replaces a pre-existing water fountain

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\*Download your school’s site plan from [Facility Services Website](http://fsweb/FSReports/Reports/SchoolLevel_SearchMode.aspx?ContentId=41&ContentNm=Drawings) and mark the preferred locations on the plan. Include photos of the 3 locations and submit the plan and photos with this application.

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| **School Commitment:**1. **What has your school already done to promote the use of reusable water bottles and/or tap water?** Please describe any relevant EcoTeam actions, school commitments and/or teaching and learning related initatives. Strong applications will include details on duration and level of engagement (see [rubric](http://www.tdsb.on.ca/Portals/ecoschools/docs/EnrichYourProgramRubrics1.pdf)).
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1. **How is your team planning to promote the importance and use of a water bottle refill station at your school? (Please keep in mind the timeframe when planning)**

Successful applications will have **at least 2 targeted campaigns**. One must be connected to an EcoTeam Action and one must be connected to teaching and learning in the classroom. For ideas on what this might look like please refer to the [Project Refill ideas and resources section](http://www.tdsb.on.ca/Portals/ecoschools/docs/Project%20Refill%20Resource.pdf) listed on the EcoSchools website.

**\*Tip:** Successful applicants had a number of initiatives that contributed to a single campaign e.g., posters, announcements, water bottle audit and water taste test. Be sure to describe the duration and level of engagement for each initiative (see [EcoAction rubric](http://www.tdsb.on.ca/Portals/ecoschools/docs/EnrichYourProgramRubrics2.pdf) and [Teaching and Learning rubric](http://www.tdsb.on.ca/Portals/ecoschools/docs/EnrichYourProgramRubrics3.pdf) for more details).

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1. **EcoTeam Action:**

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1. **Teaching & Learning Action:**

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1. **Additional plans (optional):**

[x]  Please check to acknowledge your commitment to having evidence of your Project Refill related projects in your portfolio binder for the EcoSchools certification.

**Note:** Connections could be made to the following portfolio requirements:
- Waste Minimization: Example of a waste reduction and awareness campaign
- Ecological Literacy: Examples of student work accompanied by the teacher notes
- Healthy Communities: Example of a community project that shows learning and action

Please send this application to Jenn Vetter using one of the following methods:

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**Applications received by March 31st, 2017 will be considered for the fall/winter 2017 installation period.**