

Assembly Info

- The assembly focuses on aquatic ecosystems to demonstrate litter's negative impact on humans, the environment, and the world as a whole.
- The presenter discusses how litter travels from our cars, homes, bikes, schools, etc., through the storm drain system and to the ocean, where it kills plants and animals, restricts oxygen supply and creates hazardous beach conditions.
- The assembly highlights three important reasons to keep litter off the ground and out of the ocean:
 1. We need air to breath.
 2. We need food to eat.
 3. We need places to have fun.
- These three reasons are reinforced throughout the assembly.
- The assembly encourages students in Riverside County to realize how their actions can affect an ocean that is miles away, which in turn directly affects their lives.
- If time permits, students will view a video of a beach cleanup being conducted by students just like them!
- The assembly utilizes a slide projector and showcases photos taken by The Malibu Foundation.

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Western Riverside Council of Governments
4080 Lemon Street, 3rd Floor Annex MS-1032
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FREE! FREE!

Elementary School Recycling Assembly



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An Innovative Way to Learn About RECYCLING ...

WRCOG has formed a new partnership with The Malibu Foundation to conduct educational assemblies about recycling to elementary schools in western Riverside County. The Malibu Foundation is dedicated to teaching children about the environment.

Funded through the California Department of Conservation, Division of Recycling, WRCOG has created a program called the "Cleanest County in the West." The Program provides children with education regarding the need to reduce litter and increase recycling of beverage containers. During the last seven years, WRCOG has provided school assemblies to more than 80,000 children at elementary schools in western Riverside County.

From August 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008, your school can schedule the Malibu Foundation assembly by contacting WRCOG at (951) 955-8379. The program is provided to you at **NO COST!**

For more information, please visit our websites at www.wrcog.cog.ca.us or www.malibufoundation.org.

This program is brought to you by the Western Riverside Council of Governments, including the cities of Banning, Calimesa, Canyon Lake, Corona, Perris, Moreno Valley, Murrieta, Norco, Riverside, San Jacinto, Temecula, and the County of Riverside and is funded by a grant from the California Department of Conservation, Division of Recycling.

We All Benefit!

Each student receives a coloring book or activity book containing information and activities about recycling and the environment.

Each teacher receives access to a K-5 Standards Matrix that indicates the ways in which the assembly addresses the statewide curriculum standards.

Each school can receive FREE portable recycling containers to collect beverage containers that can be turned in for cash. The funds provided by beverage container recycling can be used to support additional school recycling programs and campus cleanups, as well as to subsidize transportation costs so that each school can participate in an Adopt-A-Beach Cleanup.

Assembly Requirements:

Assemblies last approximately 45 minutes each from start to finish and will need to be conducted in a room that can become very dark because the usage of a slide projector (i.e. a room with no windows, or tinted windows, or window coverings).



Please provide the following information and fax to (951) 787-7991.



School Name and Contact:

Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

Request assembly dates and times below:

We try to give each school their first choice, however, we request that schools pick more than one date.

1st
Choice: _____

2nd
Choice: _____

3rd
Choice: _____

How did you hear about us?

- This Brochure
- Participated previously
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