



WANT YOUR STUDENTS TO LEARN ABOUT
WASTE AS A RESOURCE AND SEE

WHERE WASTE GOES?



ABOUT OUR FACILITY

The Dane County Department of Waste & Renewables operates an active landfill, household hazardous waste collection facility (Clean Sweep), construction and demolition waste recycling facility, and renewable gas plant at our location at 7102 USH 12 in Madison, WI (across from Yahara Hills Golf Course). Each year, we host nearly 750 students (of all ages) for tours of our facilities. Our tours offer an excellent opportunity for lessons in environmental stewardship, science, engineering, and technology.

250,000
TONS

of waste is responsibly
landfilled each year.
This is equivalent to the
weight of over

40,000
elephants!

3,000,000
GALLONS

of renewable vehicle fuel will
be produced each year from
landfill gas. This is enough to
power

6,000
cars for a year!



BUS FEE WAIVER PROGRAM

The Department of Waste & Renewables will pay for transportation costs (up to \$250 per group) for schools that find transportation fees a barrier to visiting our site. The bus fee waiver is subject to the need of the school and preference will be given for schools with over 40% of students approved for free and reduced meals.

CONTACT US

Email younes@countyofdane.com for additional information about the program and to set up a tour.