

Project Green Challenge Greener



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High School

Highland High School Report Card

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<u>PGC Theme</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Comments/Recommendations</u>
Food Waste	A	Highland High actively combats food insecurity & food waste issues through the Family Support Program, and the students & staff involved in it. This program addresses food insecurity in many ways, but most notably through the Highland Market. This food pantry provides the disadvantaged population on campus access to quality goods, helping to eliminate excess food waste.
Soil	A	Highland maintains a greenhouse on campus and the plants are able to thrive due to regenerative agricultural practices. Some of these sustainable farming methods are not tilling (or disturbing the soil), using organic mulch, composting, and covering the plants to allow carbon sequestration to occur.
Water	B	Water is a resource that Highland could work harder to preserve. Within the school, there are several water bottle refill stations which is an upside when considering efforts to preserve water and encourage the use of reusable water bottles. In order to conserve more water at Highland, we could install rainwater tanks, as well as aerators on taps. (Aerators reduce water flow by 50%, while maintaining the pressure)
Social Justice	A-	Social justice is a core value of Highland High. As a school, we support minorities and provide resources to those who are disadvantaged through the Family Support Program. These resources include clothing, food and medical assistance. Together as a community, we also support one another through school-wide protests/movements, helping to encourage positive change.
Adventure	B+	At Highland, students are educated to be green leaders, thanks to our teachers who strive to make students aware of how much our local parks contribute to the biodiversity within our community. In order to give back to our environment, we could help to make our AP Environmental Science class more comprehensive and immersive, as they often go to Utah's national parks as field trips. We can then learn to advocate for their preservation.

Grading Scale

A	93-100
A-	90-92
B+	87-89
B	83-86
B-	80-82
C+	77-79
C	73-76
C-	70-72
D+	67-69
D	63-66
D-	60-62
F	59

