



St. James Goes Green

Steps Taken Toward a Greener Campus

- Became a member of California Interfaith Power & Light
- Replaced light switches (where possible) with “Auto-Off” devices to save energy costs
- Replaced T-8 Neon Light Ballasts/Bulbs with T-12’s to save energy costs
- Replaced incandescent light bulbs with CFL’s where possible
- Installed photo-cell fixtures for external light fixtures not already on timers
- Reduced exterior lighting times by ½ hour per day
- Began paper recycling program
- Began all recycle program effective May 26th, 2009
- Place a recycle bin in all offices and common areas
- Use recycled paper for bulletins, chimes, and internal printing where possible
- Discontinued use of Styrofoam cups
- Limited our use of desktop ink-jet printers to reduce the number of used printer cartridges which end up in the landfills
- Installed Everpure water filtration unit in kitchen to reduce the number of plastic water containers used
- Replaced washing machine with a High Efficiency model when old machine failed
- Replaced all exterior landscape irrigation system with an emphasis to drip systems where possible
- Reduced our external watering cycles to city regulated cycles
- Discontinued the use of the main fountain for the summer of 2009
- Repaired/Replaced all leaking or broken water fixtures
- Replaced all 50’s era toilets/urinals with low modern flush fixtures
- Began using “green” cleaning supplies where possible