



We Are Hiring!

Facilities & Services is excited to share that they are hiring a student to help with sustainability efforts on campus! The student will assist with planning sustainability initiatives, help at events, design social media posts, conduct basic informational research for potential sustainability initiatives, and assist with office tasks such as newsletter preparation, organizing information for reports, and hanging posters. The student will also assist with other various projects around Facilities & Services as needed.

Starting wage of \$11.00.

Main work hours are Monday – Friday 8am – 5pm, however this position may require some irregular hours to work at different events on campus.

- Work up to 20 hours per week when class is in session
- Work up to 40 hours per week when class is not in session

Apply Today!



SUSTAINABILITY AMBASSADOR

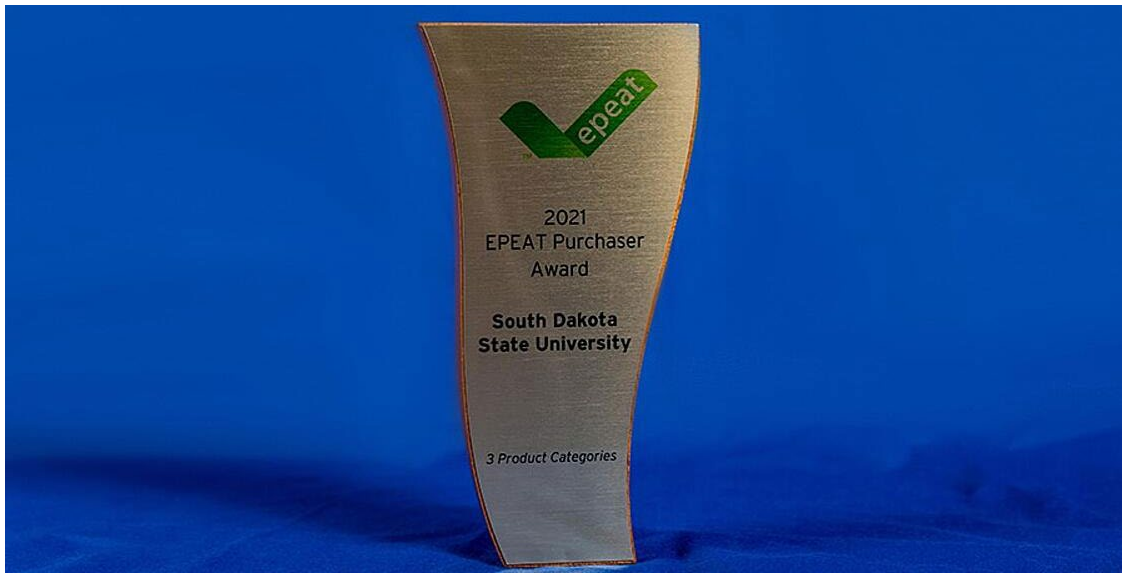
Sustainability Ambassador Program **Returns for Second Year**

Join faculty, staff, and students from across campus in the Sustainability Ambassador Program. This 5-week program will take a deep dive into sustainability concepts enriching participants' understanding and empowering them to share and practice what they learn. Each 1-hour session will consist of a presentation with room for engaging activities and meaningful dialogue. Program topics include definitions of sustainability, social equity, climate change, energy, and waste.

Sustainability Ambassadors will be held the weeks of Oct. 11 through Nov. 8. Program dates and times will be scheduled around participants' availability.

Registration closes September 30th.

[Register Today!](#)



[SDSU Receives 2021 EPEAT Purchaser Award](#)

South Dakota State University has been recognized as one of the 2021 EPEAT Purchaser Award winners for excellence in sustainable procurement of electronic equipment. SDSU and other organization were honored by the **Green Electronics Council** July 28 in a virtual ceremony.

Overall, 74 organizations, including cities, states, U.S. Federal agencies and companies from around the globe, were honored for their decisions to purchase sustainable information technology products.

[Learn More](#)

SDSU RECYCLING GUIDE

RECYCLE

TRASH



CARDBOARD



PAPERBOARD



CANS



STYROFOAM



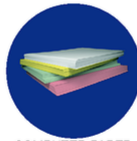
FOOD



PLASTIC BAGS



NEWSPAPERS & MAGAZINES



COMPUTER PAPER
WHITE & COLOR



PLASTIC
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STRAWS



NAPKINS, TISSUES, &
PAPER TOWELS



CHIP BAGS, CANDY, &
FOOD WRAPPERS

- No food or liquid.
- All recycling must be loose, not bagged.
- All recycling goes in blue recycling containers.

For more information about campus sustainability visit:
www.sdstate.edu/sustainability

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Recycling Guidelines Are Available

SDSU provides single stream recycling to all campus students, faculty, staff, and visitors. Recycling bins are placed around campus in many places such as offices, dorm rooms, hallways, and classrooms. **Recycling bins** are easily identified by being blue! As a single stream system, all recycling (cans, paper, plastic, etc.) goes into one bin and does not need to be sorted**. To learn what can be recycled on campus, please refer to the **SDSU recycling guidelines**.

Any questions regarding recycling on campus can be directed to Jennifer McLaughlin, Sustainability Specialist - 688-4136 - jennifer.mclaughlin@sdstate.edu

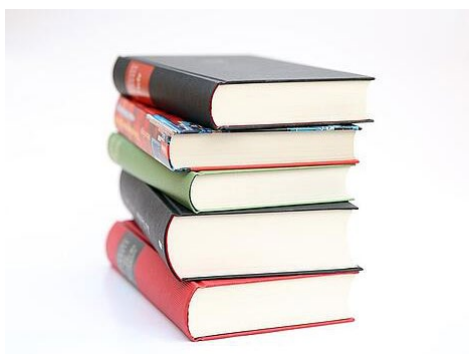
There are exceptions to this rule! Please follow the **SDSU Recycling Guide for what can be placed in the single stream recycling bins. Other items may be able to be recycled but must be handled separately. These items are listed **here**.

Recycling Guidelines

Sustainability Tidbits



The **Upper Midwest Association for Campus Sustainability virtual conference** will be held Sept. 23rd and 24th. Registration closes Sept. 21st. It is open to students, staff, and faculty.



Did you know that SDSU offers a variety of sustainability-related **courses** and **degrees**? A sustainability **research guide** is also available through Briggs Library.



Don't Dump! Donate!

During Don't Dump! Donate! 2021, 540 items were collected and donated to local nonprofits. This diverted over 2,300 pounds of material from the landfill!



Prairie Repertory Theatre went green! This summer, they offered their full program online in lieu of printed copies in order to be more sustainable. This effort saved approximately 130,000 sheets of paper!