



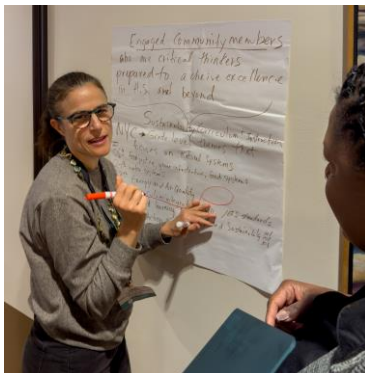
2025 Green Schools Conference Fact Sheet

The Green Schools Conference (GSC) presents an engaging and rich professional development opportunity for attendees. The conference program features expertise from diverse fields working together to facilitate progress in the green schools movement.

This spring, the 15th annual event convenes March 3-4, 2025 in the LEED Gold City of Orlando, Florida for two days of learning, sharing, networking, and creating lasting memories and relationships to help accelerate sustainable, healthy schools in your community.

GSC brings together a diverse audience of leaders and change makers impacting the green schools movement, including:

- Educators and school leaders
- School district level facilities and operations staff
- Green building professionals
- Non-profit partners and green school advocates



Designed to address today's issues

The impacts of the climate crisis on education and green schools have been profound. The 2025 GSC education program addresses:

- Environmental Justice & Health Equity
- Communication for Climate Action
- Partnerships for Sustainable & Equitable Schools
- Healthy, Zero Energy Schools
- Sustainable School Culture & Climate



Monday

March 3

8:15 - 9:15 am	GSC Opening Plenary
9:30 - 11:30 am	Workshops
12:00 - 1:15 pm	Best of Green Schools Awards Luncheon
1:30 - 2:30 pm	Education Sessions
2:45 - 3:45 pm	Education Sessions
4:00 - 5:30 pm	Speed Greening
6:00 - 8:00 pm	Annual GSNN Friends & Family Event

Tuesday

March 4

8:00 am - 9:00 am	GSC Opening Circles
9:00 am - 4:00 pm	Exchange Showcase
9:00 - 10:15 am	Education Sessions
10:45 - 11:45 am	Education Sessions
11:45 am - 1:30 pm	Networking Luncheon
1:30 - 2:30 pm	Education Sessions
2:45 - 3:30 am	Education Sessions
3:45 - 4:30 pm	GSC Closing Discussions
4:30 - 5:30 pm	Closing Plenary
5:30 - 7:00 pm	Closing Reception

Wednesday

March 5

9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Immersive Offsite Experiences*
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*additional registration required





The GSC Pass provides access to one half-day workshop, two days of interdisciplinary education, inspirational keynote presentations, networking activities, Exchange Showcase, Speed Greening, the Best of Green Schools Awards Luncheon, and Closing Reception. The 2025 program consists of:

- **Impactful education sessions:** Join us for an exciting series of one-hour educational sessions designed to empower educators, students, and community members with essential knowledge on pressing issues affecting our environment and society. Our program features a diverse array of topics, including Environmental Justice & Health Equity, Communication for Climate Action, Partnerships for Sustainable & Equitable Schools, Healthy, Zero Energy Schools, and Sustainable School Culture & Climate. Each session is designed to be interactive and informative, providing practical tools and resources to help participants implement positive changes in their communities.
- **Inspiring general sessions:** Thought-provoking keynote presentations give context to the education provided at the conference and stretch attendees' understanding of how to bring sustainability to life in the classroom. Former keynotes include photographer Matika Wilbur, author Charles Eisenstein, STEM advocate Justin "Mr. Fascinate" Shaifer, educator Chris Emdin, designer and urban agriculture advocate Emmanuel Pratt, Biomimicry expert and pioneer Janine Benyus, world-renowned artist Zaria Forman and ocean advocate and STEM TV series host Danni Washington.
- **Targeted networking and resource sharing:** This year, attendees will have dedicated time with industry experts and resource providers during the Speed Greening and Exchange Showcase where strategies, resources and advice will be shared for reaching attendees sustainability goals. Additionally, during roundtable discussions, audiences will convene to learn, share and network among a diverse group of school leaders ranging from teachers and school leaders to school district facility and sustainability staff, green building professionals, and green school advocates and community partners.



How much does full event registration cost?

- K-12 school and district attendees and government attendees: \$550 Confidence Pricing, \$575 Early Bird, \$625 Standard or \$700 Onsite
- Employees of USGBC and GSNN Members: \$600 Confidence Pricing, \$650 Early Bird, \$700 Standard or \$775 Onsite
- General: \$650 Confidence Pricing, \$700 Early Bird, \$750 Standard or \$825 Onsite

Conference Host Hotel

The 2025 GSC will take place at the Hilton Orlando Lake Buena Vista at Disney Springs. Details about discounted room rates will be shared later this fall.

