



## THE 2012 CHALLENGE

GRADES OF GREEN is challenging schools to **REDUCE** lunchtime waste by encouraging students to **PACK** trash free lunches and **SORT** waste into recycle, compost and landfill bins. The 2011 Trash Free Lunch Challenge schools **DIVERTED** over **10,000** bags of trash and **SAVED** schools thousands of dollars.

THE WINNING SCHOOL WILL RECEIVE A CHEVRON EDUCATION GRANT:

\$1,000 GRAND PRIZE,  
2ND PLACE \$750, &  
3RD PLACE \$500!



Nolan Gould, "Luke Dunphy" from Modern Family, with the 2011 Trash Free Lunch Challenge winning school.

*"The Challenge did more than just save us money and divert waste; it inspired our students to care for the environment and initiated environmental change within our school district."*

Principal Heinrich  
at Jefferson Elementary,  
2011 Trash Free Lunch Challenge Winner

## THE REWARDS

The first 16 schools to register receive an **ECO-STARTER KIT** valued at over **\$2,500**:

- Street Surfing Wave Board and six *Go Green Lunch Boxes*
- Seven *Wean Green* glass containers and five *neat-os* zippered reusable snack bags
- Eco-Consultation of school with personalized waste reduction plan
- Prep Rally School Assembly
- Hand stamps, *Trashy Trivia* Cards, Sorting System Signage and Raffle Prize Box
- Training Session with Puente Hills Landfill and Recycling Center tour

*Leave a sustainable legacy for your school!*

## HOW TO REGISTER

Register your school by Friday, **September 14, 2012** at [gradesofgreen.org/trashchallenge](http://gradesofgreen.org/trashchallenge) and e-mail Nicole Sevier, Challenge Program Manager, at [nicoles@gradesofgreen.org](mailto:nicoles@gradesofgreen.org) to schedule your **free Eco-Consultation!**



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