

JOIN US

National Public Works Week

Public Works Tour Day

Tuesday, May 6, 2025

A Complete Day of Touring and Hands-On Activities



Open to grades 3 – 5

Students rotate through six stations highlighting various activities in Public Works. Students learn about traffic signs, road striping, intersection signals, crosswalks, stormwater management, wastewater treatment, and how our garbage is processed.

Watch a highlight video at kcowa.us/NPWW

To register, visit

<http://kcowa.us/npww>



**Participation is limited.
Please respond by**

March 14, 2025



EVENT ACTIVITIES

Recycling & Composting Challenge

Study your recycling and composting guides because you will be competing to be class champions! Just before lunch, classes will have the chance to face off in the Recycling & Composting Challenge. The class with the least amount of recycle/compost contamination wins the challenge!

Sign Shop

Driving through the jungle of signs, lane stripes, and road markings can be a complicated ordeal. Check out what we do to make the roads as safe as possible. Learn how signs are made, how stripes are painted on the road and see the equipment we use to make our roads safer.

Surveying

Learn how land surveyors gather data for property lines and land features to create maps for engineering design and construction. See up close some of the equipment needed to collect data up close.

Public Works Game Show

In this fast moving game, teams of students will compete against each other to see who knows the most about Public Works and what we do.

Equipment Show

Keeping the roads safe and the stormwater and wastewater collection systems working right is a 24/7 job. Students will explore some of the equipment used to repave or plow roads, clean sewers and storm systems, and take video of the pipes in these systems.

Signal Shop

Take a tour of our signal shop and learn what makes traffic signals and crosswalks work; learn how sensors tell signals what to do and when to do it; and how the traffic technicians keep track of all the signals.

Sewer Utility

Find out what happens to our water after it goes down the drain. This video presentation provides an overview of the Kitsap County Sewer Utility Division, including information on wastewater treatment.

SAMPLE SCHEDULE

Time	Station
10:00 AM	Arrive
10:10 – 10:30	Sewer Utility
10:35 – 10:55	Surveying
11:00 – 11:20	Signals
11:25 – 11:45	Signs
11:50 – 12:10	Lunch - Recycling Challenge
12:15 – 12:35	Equipment Show
12:40 – 1:00 PM	PW Game Show

