

National Public Works Week

JOIN US

Public Works Tour Day

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

A Complete Day of Touring and Hands-On Activities



Open to grades 3 – 5

Students rotate through five 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.

(See sample schedule on back)

To Register, Visit

<http://kcowa.us/npww>

**Participation is limited.
Please respond by**

March 29, 2024



EVENT ACTIVITIES

Recycling Relay Race

Study your recycling guides because you will be competing for a class pizza party! Just before lunch, classes will have the chance to face off in the Recycling Relay Race. The class with the least amount of recycling contamination wins the race! Recycling guides will be provided to students before the tour.

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.

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

Take a trip through the sewers to discover the wildlife lurking there. This video presentation provides an overview of the Kitsap County Sewer Utility Division, including information on wastewater treatment plants and lift stations. You will learn how wastewater is treated, tested and analyzed.

SAMPLE SCHEDULE

Time	Station
9:30	Arrive
9:40 – 10:10	Sewer Utility
10:15 – 10:45	Surveying
10:50 – 11:20	Signals
11:25 – 11:55	Signs
12:00 – 12:30	Lunch - Recycling Relay Race
12:35 – 1:05	Equipment Show
1:10 – 1:40	Game Show

