“EcoReps has been an amazing opportunity for me and has opened a number of doors. From community partners to administration, I have gained a number of resources which have helped me in every aspect of my academic career.”
- Rosemary Aviste ’20

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“EcoReps was the first group on campus with which I was able to bond with others who had an appreciation for nature and conserving natural resources. During the first week I met people with whom I have formed deep friendships that I will carry with me through the rest of college.”
- Skylar Schutter ’21

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EcoReps are seen here making a vegan dinner.

Pictured here in an Urban Food Forest, we can see students engaging with local community leaders to enhance their experience.
What is the EcoReps Program?

The EcoReps program at the University of Rochester is unique because it is jointly run by The College and Residential Life Office. It is also one of the only leadership organizations specifically geared toward first-years, with the expectation that they will work to create change within their community.

No prior experience is required to be an EcoRep.
All you have to do is apply and be open to changing the world around you!!

Benefits

* Leadership experience
* Knowledge of environmental and social topics.
* 4.0 credits for the academic year.
* Experience collaborating with key administration, faculty members of the university and community partners.
* Arriving early to the campus and creating lasting bonds with other like-minded students.
* Assisting the University in obtaining a more sustainable future through collaboration with the community.
* Interact and grow relationships with other environmental group on campus: Greenspace, Grassroots, SAVVY, etc.

EcoReps' Responsibilities:

* Organizing campus events and hall programs.
* Attending class twice a week.
* Updating EcoBoards twice a semester.
* Developing a year-long committee project targeting sustainability issues on campus.
* Participating in 2-3 sustainability events put on by other Green Groups (per semester)
* Attending two semesters of CAS 303: EcoReps and Sustainability; a two credit graded course that will help teach the EcoReps to ask thought-provoking questions and come to their own conclusions about sustainable solutions.
* EcoReps move in 3 days early for training on August 19, 2018.

Come along with us on our annual kayaking/hiking trip during pre-orientation!