

HOW DO I BECOME AN ECOREP?

The EcoReps Program is open to all levels of leadership experience and prior knowledge of sustainability issues.



No prior experience is required to be a great EcoRep!

...all you have to do is apply and attend training!

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FACT:

DID YOU KNOW?

In the past 7 years, the University of Rochester has increased local food purchasing from 1% to 39.2%.

WHAT KIND OF THINGS DO ECOREPS DO?

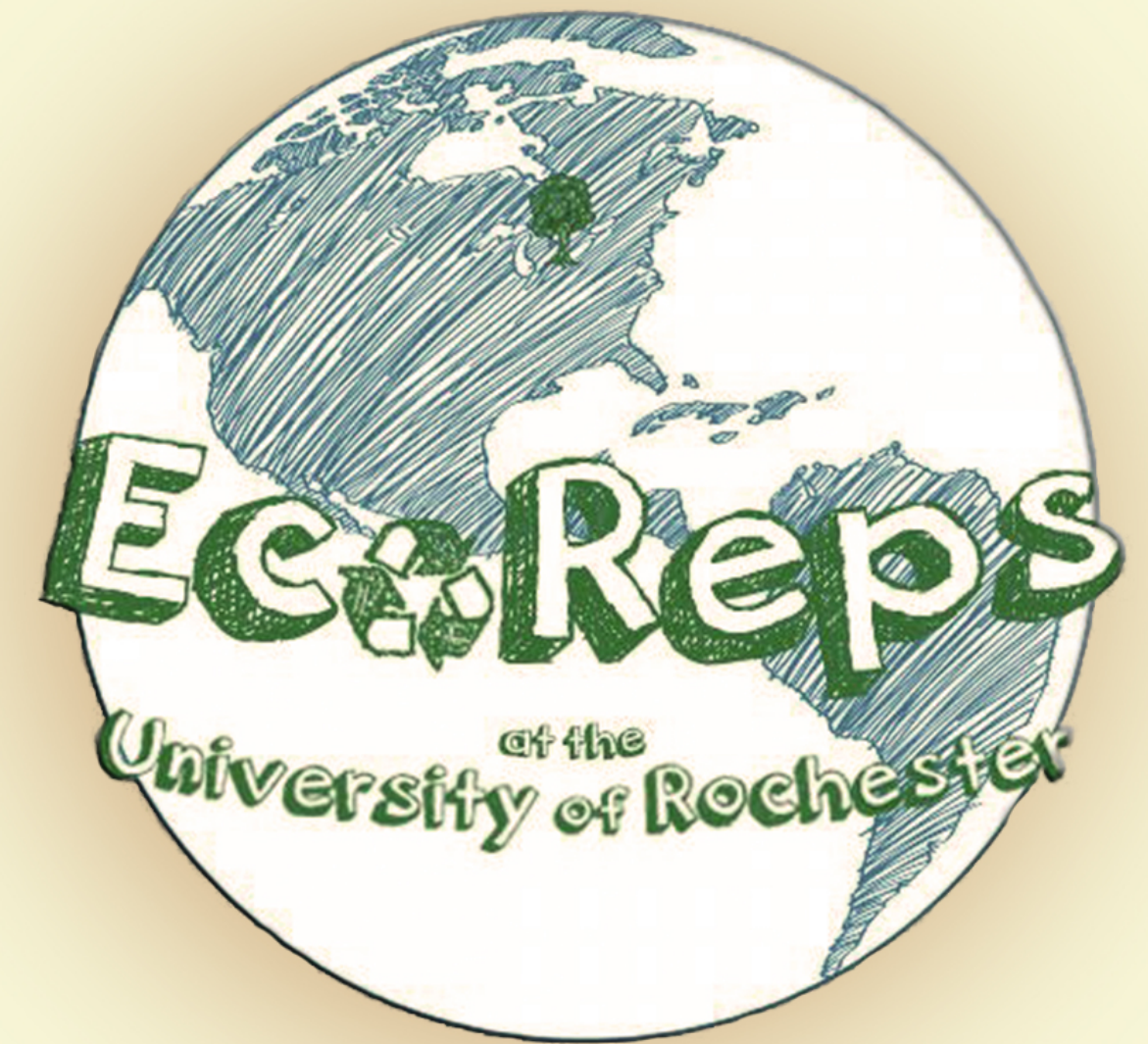
EcoReps meet twice a week for event planning as well as participation in discussions on topics such as:
Environmental Health,
Water Conservation,
Climate Change,
Energy Use,
Conscious Consumption
and more.

APPLY TODAY!

For more information and to complete the online application visit:

<http://www.rochester.edu/sustainability/ecoreps/>

Completed applications are due by JUNE 1ST.



OUR MISSION:

We seek to train students to be leaders of sustainability for their class and school.

By giving the EcoReps the skills and knowledge needed to promote environmentally responsible behavior in all students living on freshmen residence halls, our program strives to create an environmentally literate student population.



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ECOREPS

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Planning Hall Programs
- Helping to organize campus events
- Attending meetings twice a week
 - Updating EcoBoards
- 2-3 hours of independent work per week

All EcoReps enroll in two semesters of CAS 303:

EcoReps and Sustainability; a 2-credit, graded course that will help teach the EcoReps to ask hard questions and come to their own conclusions about sustainability.

EcoReps move in 3 days early for training on Saturday, August 23rd at 12pm.



WHAT IS THE ECOREPS PROGRAM?

The program was inspired by similar EcoRep programs at schools across the country.

The EcoReps at the University of Rochester are unique because the program is specifically geared toward freshmen, with the expectation that they will work to create change within their new community. EcoReps are a group of freshmen with a passion for creating a sustainable community.



EcoReps are led by students with the help of faculty and staff advisors. At least one EcoRep is placed on each floor of the freshmen residence halls; they are representative of sustainable leadership here at the University of Rochester.

WHAT WILL I GAIN FROM THE ECOREPS PROGRAM?

- Leadership experience
- Knowledge of environmental and social topics
- 4.0 credits for the academic year
- Getting involved immediately in the on-campus community
- Building lasting relationships with staff, faculty and students
- Experience working with other passionate students and staff to achieve common goals
- Assist the University in obtaining a more sustainable future

