

Team Sequoia: Food Waste

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What is Food Waste?

 Food that is fit for consumption but consciously discarded at the retail or consumption phases





Effects of Food Waste

- Harmful chemical methane
- 119 billion pounds in US/ yr
- 130 billion meals



Overall Concept/Planning Process

 Decided to focus on younger generation, and proper educating for better future decisions



Overall Concept







Collecting organic Food

Waste

- Folsom High School
 - Early March for a week
 - Over 62 pounds
- Malabar Indian
 Groceries
 - Over 30 pounds of organic waste
- 92 pounds in total













ECGFair Overview

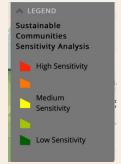
- Educated elementary students
- 3 booths:
 - 1. Trivia and Presentation
 - 2. Art Activity
 - 3. Planting Activity

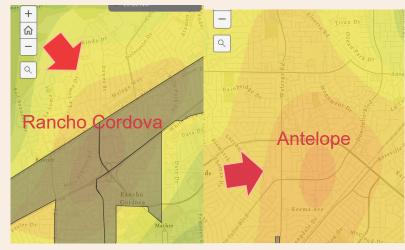


Underserved Schools and

Areas

- SB 535 Disadvantaged Communities
 - investments aimed at improving California's most burdened communities
 - Rancho Cordova
 - Schools:
 - Riverview STEM Academy
 - Cordova Gardens
- Sacramento Poverty Area (high sensitivity)
 - Antelope
 - Schools:
 - Cyril Spinelli Elementary





Our Impact in Schools

698

Total Students Reached

4

Total Schools Reached





Riverview Stem Academy

156 Students 3 - 5th graders





219 students3-5thgraders

Gold Ridge Elementary

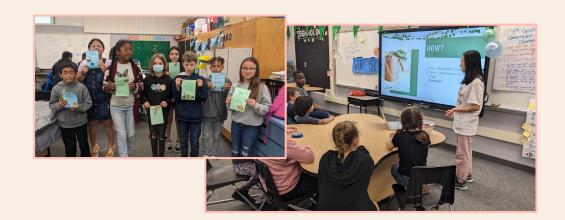






42 students

3 - 4 Graders







Cyril Spinelli Elementary

281 students

Kindergarten - 6th graders

Lunch-time activity:

- **Assembly**
- Planting activity
- Poster making activity







Social Media

Youtube, Instagram, TikTok

Views:

Youtube: 3,846

Tiktok: 4,105

Total: 7,951 views

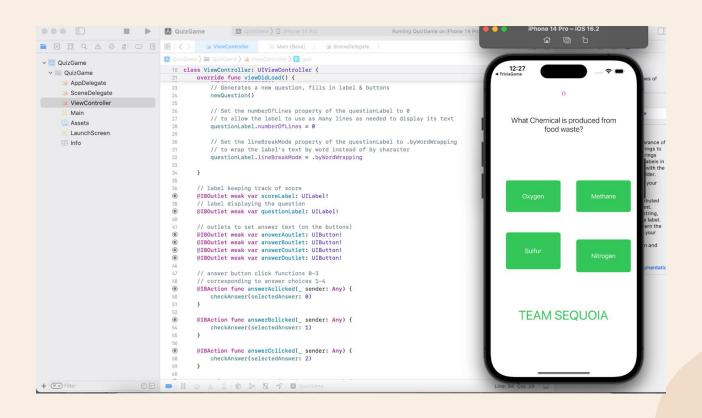
Likes:

Youtube: 115

Tiktok: 320

Total: 435 likes

Development of Trivia App







What did we learn?

Communicating with officials

Time Management

Impact + Future plans

- □ Spreading awareness to new generation
- □ We are booked for Carl Sundahl Fall 2023 Open House
- ☐ A non-profit
- ☐ Expand for more volunteers
- ☐ Host more eco-fairs
- ☐ Teach underprivileged schools and students





- Different
 - ☐ Contacted schools sooner
 - Posted more on social media
- ☐ Varied from concept time limit
 - □ No library activity
 - ☐ Kindergarten activity
- ☐ Worked well:
 - ☐ Eco-fair

"This is better than any field trip we've ever been to"

"Are you going to do this next year when I will be in 5th grade?"

- Riverview STEM Academy Students



Thank you!

