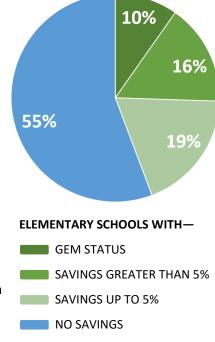


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We applaud all of our students and staff for their commitment to conservation and sustainability and congratulate the following 50 MCPS elementary schools for earning SERT energy awards:





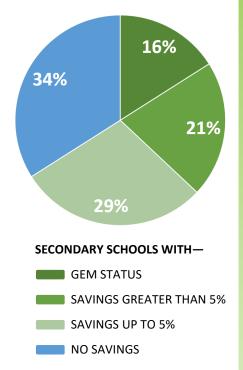
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Benjamin Banneker Middle School Cabin John Middle School Eastern Middle School William H. Farguhar Middle School Forest Oak Middle School Robert Frost Middle School Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Middle School Lakelands Park Middle School A. Mario Loiederman Middle School Montgomery Village Middle School Neelsville Middle School Newport Mill Middle School North Bethesda Middle School Parkland Middle School Rosa M. Parks Middle School John Poole Middle School Redland Middle School Ridgeview Middle School Rocky Hill Middle School Shady Grove Middle School

Silver Creek Middle School
Silver Spring International Middle School
Takoma Park Middle School
Westland Middle School
Julius West Middle School
White Oak Middle School

Clarksburg High School
Damascus High School
Walter Johnson High School
Montgomery Blair High School
Poolesville High School
Seneca Valley High School
Springbrook High School
Walt Whitman High School
Watkins Mill High School
Thomas S. Wootton High School