

## Douglas Green School Ambassadors Attend Green School Kick-Off

# Douglas Joins Green Schools



(Left to Right) Mrs. Leslie Breault, 8<sup>th</sup> grader Delaney Krasner, Mrs. Rachel Usher, Sienna Usher & Brady Usher

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Douglas was well-represented at the annual **Green School Kick-Off Event**, held last Sunday, Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>, from 2-4 p.m. at Mansfield High School in Mansfield, MA! The event was designed to introduce participating schools, students, and communities to Green Schools, an award-winning non-profit organization committed to

environmental education and action, with a particular focus on helping schools create green and sustainable school environments. This is the first time Douglas has been involved in the Green School program, and we are very excited to now be positioned to learn more about engaging environmental education programs and projects for our students and schools! Congratulations to eighth grader **Delaney Krasner** and seventh grader **Trevor Mungeam**, who were nominated and selected to be our Green Ambassadors! The Ambassadors are required to do 20 hours of environmental service, and to integrate and promote environmental education and awareness throughout their schools and communities!



**Mrs. Rachel Usher**, 7<sup>th</sup> grade Science teacher, attended this event along with **Trevor** and **Delaney**; and their parents, **Mrs. Leslie Breault** (Trevor's mother), and **Mr. Jay Krasner** (Delaney's father). **Mrs. Usher** said that they all enjoyed the day very much, and brought back helpful information from a variety of Green Schools sponsors and supporters who have unique environmental education programs and resources for schools that we could potentially utilize!

**Delaney Krasner & Trevor Mungeam**

A special event highlight was the welcoming address from Green Green Schools President Sean Sullivan and State Representative Jay Barrows were also in attendance, along with the Green Schools' staff and board of directors. Also featured were presentations by the Student Officers, the Board & Advisory Board of Directors, the Manchester Essex Regional School District, and Grace Your School – an organization that supports students, teachers, and parents with learning activities designed to enhance the well-being of students and the communities of which they are a part. A special "Thank You" to **Trevor** and **Delaney** for serving as our Green Schools Student Ambassadors, to **Mrs. Usher** for serving as Green Schools Ambassador faculty liaison, and to **Trevor's and Delaney's parents** for their help and support!

# Going Green!