
Green County Leaders 2024 - 2025

Green County Smiles



Green County Smiles is an extension of a project that was launched in last year's Green County Leaders class, with a goal of improving overall oral health in Green County. Practicing proper oral hygiene is a lifelong skill that begins as a young child, so to address this issue we visited a first-grade classroom in Juda, WI to teach the children proper tooth brushing technique and to get them excited about it. Many children do not receive the proper guidance or accountability at home to prioritize their oral health, so teaching them proper techniques in a way that is engaging and fun can create a lasting impact. Many of these children excitedly shared with us that they went home and taught their parents and siblings what they learned during our time there!

Dr Allison Agnes from Fowler Dental Clinic made both of our classroom visits exciting for the children by bringing props such as a large set of dentures and a giant toothbrush to go with it, and the tooth-flossing game (pictured above). Additionally, she took the children in small groups to go practice brushing and flossing their teeth using the proper technique.



"The first graders at Juda loved having Dr. Allison and her associates come into our classroom to teach dental health lessons. A lot of the students shared that members of their families don't consistently brush their teeth at home, so many of the students were excited to go home and teach their family members about how to take good care of their teeth. Dr. Allison and her associates are very passionate about their mission to educate students about good dental health, and I appreciate them taking time out of their busy schedules to work with the first graders. It was a wonderful experience." - Mrs. Ross, 1st Grade Teacher at Juda School District

The 2025 stage of Green County Smiles aimed to expand the volunteer base and the school participation by standardizing assets and lesson plans. By learning from our partners at Fowler Dental and shadowing their school visits, we were able to consolidate information in an easy to read format and develop outreach materials to recruit schools and volunteers.

6 lesson plans developed

Volunteer recruitment
letter and brochure
developed

Marketing Assets and
Video Content