**Circular Economy Schools Competition – Eligibility**

1. You must be a Toronto area secondary school student.
2. Each Circular Economy team must have between 2 to 4 students.
3. Registration must happen before November 1st of each school year. Registration requires the submission of the Circular Economy Schools Competition – Application Form
4. Each team must have a teacher advisor determined prior to registration who advises, monitors and completes an evaluation of the project performed by students
5. All teams must present their findings to the competition review committee on May 1st of each school year – the submission consists of 2 forms which the students must complete and send to their teacher advisor: 1. Project Submission Form (with a summary MS Word document) and 2. Group Evaluation From to the teacher advisor. The teacher advisor must then submit the Teacher Submission Form along with both forms (and document) that the team has submitted to the teacher.
6. Each entered submission must use one or multiple Circular Economy methods (eg. Share, reuse, repair, recycling, regeneration of the environment, composting, etc.) which will be noted in the Application Form. In the event that a non-Circular Economy topic is chosen the team will be ineligible from the competition.
7. In the event that a school team is selected to win the competition an interview between the student team and the competition judges might be required in order to verify the details of the submission
8. Note: all participants are asked to review all the forms before starting any work to understand the competition requirements and desired outcomes