

SCORING SHEET FOR THE ECO-RATING QUIZ

Energy Use **THE POINT VALUES ARE IN BOLD IN PARENTHESES AFTER THE ANSWERS**

- ___ 1. Do you have a car? Yes (**5**) No (**0**)
- ___ 2. On an average, how many miles a week do you drive?
 0-25 (**0**) 25 – 50 (**2**) 50 – 100 (**4**) Over 100 (**6**)
- ___ 3. What is the gas mileage of your car?
 Don't know (**5**) Less than 10 (**8**) 10-17 (**6**) 18-25 (**4**) 26-32 (**2**) Greater than 32 (**0**)
- ___ 4. Do you ever car pool? Yes (**0**) No (**5**)
- ___ 5. Do you ever take the bus?
 Yes (**0**) No (**5**) Don't like talking to the bus driver (**10**) Afraid I might see someone I know (**15**)
- ___ 6. How many hours a day is your computer on?
 Zero (don't have one) (**0**) 1-4 (**1**) 5-9 (**2**) 10-14 (**3**) 15-24 (**4**)
- ___ 7. How many hours a day is your TV on?
 Zero (don't have one) (**0**) 1-4 (**1**) 5-9 (**2**) 10-14 (**3**) 15-24 (**4**)
- ___ 8. How many hours a day is your stereo on?
 Zero (don't have one) (**0**) 1-4 (**1**) 5-9 (**2**) 10-14 (**3**) 15-24 (**4**)
- ___ 9a. Do you turn your lights off when you leave the room? Yes (**0**) No (**5**)
- ___ 9b. When you leave the shower/bathroom? Yes (**0**) No (**5**)
- ___ 10. How many loads of laundry do you do each week? 0-1 (**0**) 2 (**2**) 3 (**4**) 4 or more (**6**)
- ___ 11. Which cycle uses the least amount of energy?
 Permanent press (**2**) Delicates (**4**) Bright colors (**0**) Whites and colors (**6**)
- ___ 12. Which uses more energy, a five minute shower or 12 hrs. of computer use? Shower (**0**) Computer (**5**)
- ___ 13. What source(s) of energy does Skidmore use for heating?
 Hydroelectric (**5**) Biomass (**5**) Nuclear (**5**) Steam (**5**) Coal (**5**)
 Natural gas (**0**) Fuel oil (**5**) Solar (**5**) Wind (**5**) Geothermal (**5**)

Garbage

- ___ 14. Do you recycle:
 Always, even if it's out of my way (**0**) Usually, if it's convenient (**2**) Not usually (**4**) Never (**10**)
- ___ 15. Is a cup labeled #2 recyclable at Skidmore? Yes (**5**) No (**0**) In Saratoga County? Yes (**5**) No (**0**)

- ___ 16. Is a green glass recyclable at Skidmore? Yes (0) No (5) In Saratoga County? Yes (0) No (5)
- ___ 17. Pizza boxes recyclable at Skidmore? Yes (5) No (5) If clean (0) In Saratoga County? Yes (5) No (0)
- ___ 18. How about batteries? At Skidmore? Yes (0) No (5) In Saratoga County? Yes (0) No (5)
- ___ 19. How much trash do you create in one week?
- Less than one garbage can (0) One or two cans full (2) More than two cans (4)

Water Use

- ___ 20. Do you leave the water running while brushing your teeth or washing your face? Yes (5) No (0)
- ___ 21. How long are your daily showers? (If you take two showers per day, add the times. If you shower every other day, divide the number in half.)
- 5 minutes or less (0) 5-10 minutes (5) 10-15 minutes (10) More than 15 minutes (15)
- ___ 22. Do you know where your drinking water comes from?
- The faucet (5) Hudson River (5) Sacandaga Reservoir (5) Loughberry Lake (0) Saratoga Lake (5)
Geyser Crest Wellfield (5) Bog Meadow Brook (5) Pacific Ocean (5) Owens Valley (5)
- ___ 23. How much water does it take to produce one pound of beef?
- 100 gallons (5) 500 gallons (5) 1000 gallons (5) More than 1000 gallons (0)
- ___ 24. What is the biggest use of water at Skidmore?
- Drinking (2) Faucets (2) Laundry (2) Toilets (2) Showers (0) Cooking (2) Swimming (2)
- ___ 25. What is the biggest use of water in the US?
- Drinking (5) Faucets (5) Laundry (5) Toilets (5) Showers (5) Cooking (5) Swimming (5)
Manufacturing (0) Farming (0) Car washing (5) Lawns and golf courses (5)

Food

- ___ 26. Are you: Vegan (0) Vegetarian (2) Don't eat meat often (4) Gotta have meat! (6)
- ___ 27. When you need a cup of coffee, do you
- Use your reusable mug (0) Use a styrofoam or paper cup (5) Skip it altogether (0)

Misc.

- ___ 28. Circle the activities you do during a typical weekend.
- Homework/library (0) Drive to Boston or other city (10) Go to the mall (5)
Go camping/skiing/mt. Biking (5) Go for a hike in North Woods (0)
- ___ 29. Can you compost on campus? Yes (0) No (5) What's compost? (10)

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___ **Total Score** Eco-Score = 0 - 75 "Tree Hugger!" 76 - 125 take some ES courses 126 - 200 typical American