



Meet the team helping Illinois schools go green!

Simple Green

The Original Green Cleaner

About Simple Green

The GS-37 Certified Simple Green Clean Building™ Product line includes Simple Green Clean Building™ All-Purpose Cleaner Concentrate, Simple Green Clean Building™ Bathroom Cleaner Concentrate, Simple Green Clean Building™ Glass Cleaner Concentrate, and Simple Green Clean Building™ Carpet Cleaner Concentrate. Further, Simple Green provides a complete usage system by also offering two Proportioner systems with bucket and bottle fill accessories, wall-mount product racks, and Secondary Container Labels. The entire system is color-coded, number-coded, and bilingually-labeled in English/Spanish for simplicity and accuracy of use. All four products have been certified as concentrates, and at use-dilution, so dilution can be done manually if required.

This breakthrough product line was designed specifically for industrial/institutional use in schools, universities, government facilities, hotels, motels and other hospitality/lodging facilities, hospitals, clinics, nursing homes, day care centers, and any place where professional cleaning is required, but health and safety are of the utmost concern. The Simple Green Clean Building™ line of products has met all aspects of the Green Seal GS-37 Standard, including reduced health, safety, and environmental impact of formulations as well as product efficacy requirements. These products comply with the environmentally preferable product purchasing programs that are in place throughout federal, state, and municipal governments.

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Required Products

The green cleaning requirements established by the state of Illinois require that schools purchase green cleaning products in six categories: bathroom cleaners; carpet cleaners; general purpose cleaners; glass, window and mirror cleaners; hand cleaners and hand soaps; and paper products. The following listings include the products provided by Simple Green that meet the relevant standards for each category.

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Bathroom Cleaners

Illinois Green Clean Schools guidelines require that bathroom cleaners used in schools meet standards set by Green Seal, Environmental Choice, or U.S. EPA Design for the Environment.

Simple Green Clean Building Bathroom Cleaner Concentrate

Green Seal certified

Certified to mix manually or use in the Clean Building Proportioner System, Simple Green Clean Building Bathroom Cleaner Concentrate offers economical dilution, tackles tougher restroom soils, has bilingual Eng/Spn labeling, and no fragrance additives. Numbered and color-coded for easy identification and simple use system. (case of 2 ea. 1-gal bottles)

Carpet Cleaners

Illinois Green Clean Schools guidelines require that carpet cleaners used in schools meet standards set by Green Seal, Environmental Choice, or U.S. EPA Design for the Environment.

Simple Green Clean Building Carpet Cleaner Concentrate

Green Seal certified

Certified to mix manually or use in the Clean Building Proportioner System, Simple Green Clean Building Carpet Cleaner Concentrate is Carpet & Rug Institute certified, offers economical dilution, bilingual Eng/Spn labeling, and great performance for pre-spray and extraction. Numbered and color-coded for easy identification. (case of 2 ea. 1-gal bottles)

General Purpose Cleaners

Illinois Green Clean Schools guidelines require that general purpose cleaners used in schools meet standards set by Green Seal, Environmental Choice, or U.S. EPA Design for the Environment.

Simple Green Clean Building All-Purpose Cleaner Concentrate

Green Seal certified

Certified to mix manually or use in the Clean Building Proportioner System, Simple Green Clean Building All-Purpose Cleaner Concentrate offers economical dilution, excellent cleaning performance, bilingual Eng/Spn labeling, and no fragrance. Numbered and color-coded for easy identification and simple use system. (case of 2 ea. 1-gal bottles)

Glass, Window and Mirror Cleaners

Illinois Green Clean Schools guidelines require that glass, window and mirror cleaners used in schools meet standards set by Green Seal, Environmental Choice, or U.S. EPA Design for the Environment.

Simple Green Clean Building Glass Cleaner Concentrate

Green Seal certified

Certified to mix manually or use in the Clean Building Proportioner Systems, Simple Green Clean Building Glass Cleaner Concentrate gives streak-free results with economical dilution, bilingual Eng/Spn labeling, and no fragrance additives. Numbered and color-coded for easy identification and simple use system. (case of 2 ea. 1-gal bottles)

Hand Cleaners and Hand Soaps

Illinois Green Clean Schools guidelines require that hand cleaners and hand soaps used in schools meet standards set by Green Seal, Environmental Choice, or U.S. EPA Design for the Environment.

Simple Green does not currently offer any products that meet the Illinois standards in this category.

Paper

Illinois Green Clean Schools guidelines require that paper products used in schools meet standards set by Green Seal, Environmental Choice or the U.S. EPA Comprehensive Procurement Guidelines.

Simple Green does not currently offer any products that meet the Illinois standards in this category.

Recommended Products

The green cleaning guidelines include recommendations for products that go beyond the law's requirements. While the law requires that schools purchase and use green cleaning products in the previous six categories, it recommends (but does not require) that schools use green cleaning products and practices in a broad range of additional categories. The guidelines' authors explain that in addition to meeting the requirements, "schools may wish to implement a more comprehensive green cleaning program and are encouraged to do so." The following listings include the products provided by Simple Green that meet the guidelines' recommendations.

Recommendations

To learn more about the guiding principles behind the recommendations, please download the full guidelines, available online at www.GreenCleanIllinois.org.

Simple Green Clean Building 4-Product Proportioner

This simple device dispenses correct dilutions of all four Clean Building products, or any combination of them. Easy to install and use, this system fills bottles or buckets and with the wire rack, offers lockable security to halt tampering or theft. Proportioning tips, hoses, labels, bottle and bucket fill hardware are included.

Simple Green Clean Building 4-Product Lockable Wire Rack

This sturdy wall-mounted wire rack provides a secure station for Simple Green Clean Building products. The Proportioner mounts above (on rack provided), product resides below in a lockable cage where product levels can be easily monitored.

Simple Green Clean Building 1 Product Proportioner

This simple device dispenses the correct dilution of any single Clean Building product. Easy to install and use, this system fills bottles or buckets and with the wire rack, offers lockable security to halt tampering or theft. Proportioning tips, hoses, labels, bottle and bucket fill hardware are included.

Simple Green Clean Building 1 Product Lockable Wire Rack

This sturdy wall-mounted wire rack provides a secure station for a single bottle of any Simple Green Clean Building product. The Proportioner mounts above (on rack provided), and product resides below in a lockable cage where product level can be easily monitored.

About Green Clean Illinois

The Green Clean Schools Act, effective May 9, 2008 in Illinois, requires schools to use cleaning products that protect health without harming the environment. It requires that certain cleaning products meet third-party certifications, and offers overall guidance for an effective green cleaning program.

The distributors and manufacturers who provide cleaning products to schools play a key role in protecting the health of children, teachers and staff by working with schools to design effective green cleaning programs. The organizations who have joined the Green Clean Illinois team have either attended a Green Clean Illinois workshop provided by Healthy School Campaign, ISSA and the Office of the Lt. Governor of Illinois or have provided information ensuring that they sell products and services that comply with requirements and/or recommendations of the Green Clean Guidelines for the State of Illinois.

Listing fees provided by companies are used to promote training, education and awareness of green cleaning programs by the Healthy School Campaign, ISSA and the Lt. Governor's Office. Listing on this web site does not constitute an endorsement or recommendation by the aforementioned groups.

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