

Recycling COLORING BOOK



for Children



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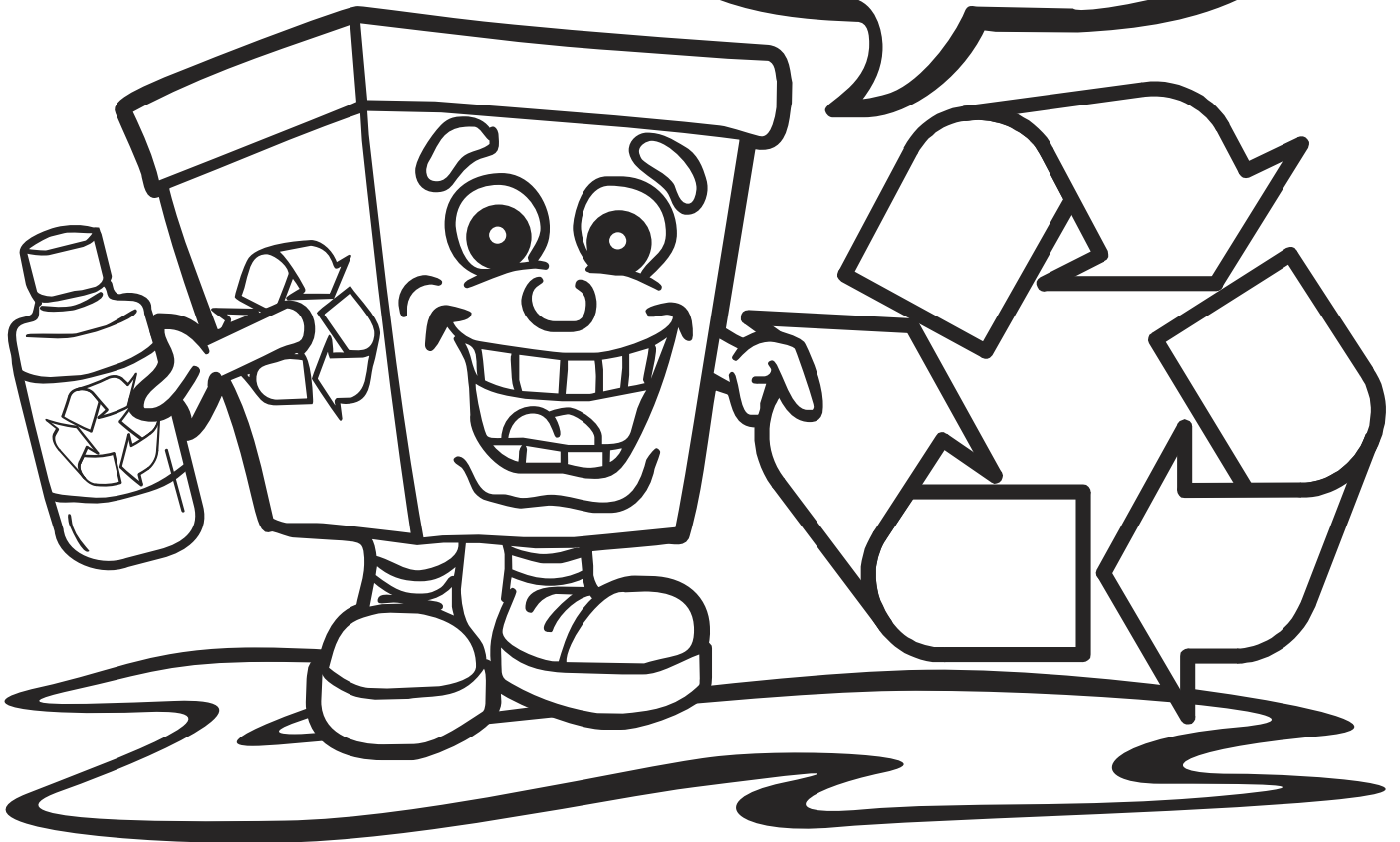
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WHAT IS RECYCLING?

Recycling means to turn waste into something reusable. Instead of throwing recyclable items away they can be taken to places where they are collected, processed and remade into new usable products.

It's the best thing you can do for our Planet Earth!

Many items that can be recycled have this recycling logo on them



HOW CAN I RECYCLE?



Recycling is Easy.

Anyone can do it, including you. Some of the most common items that can be recycled are aluminum cans, plastic containers, newspapers and glass jars. Ask your parents and teachers to help you start recycling.

Recycling is good for us and the environment. When we recycle, we save money, use less energy and save the Earth's natural resources, like trees.

You can start recycling today, it's easy!





Can you find the
10 cans to recycle?

RECYCLING METAL

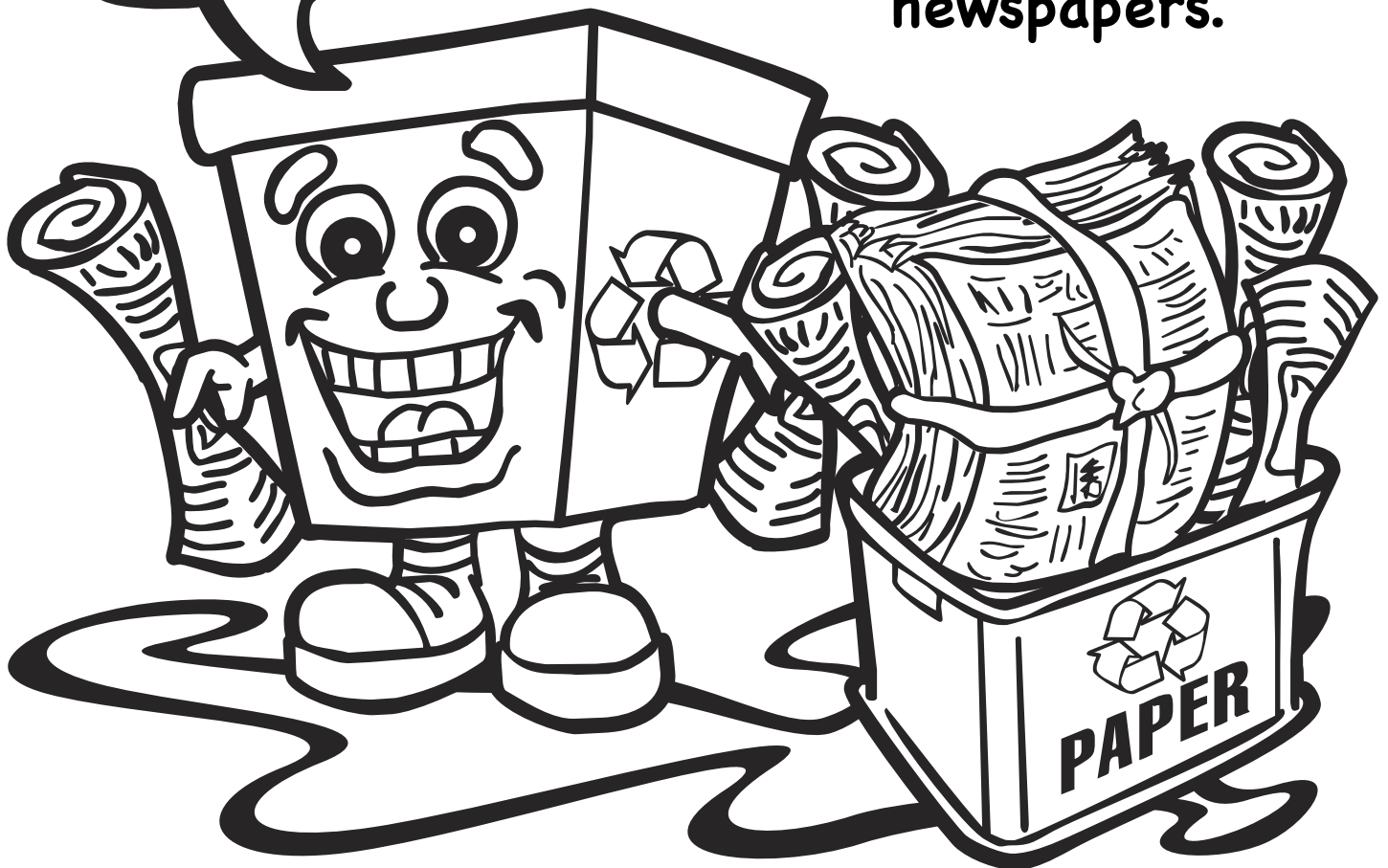


Aluminum and steel cans and containers are used by us every day. We can recycle the metals used in these objects. The aluminum and steel can be melted down and made into a variety of new objects, like a new bicycle or another soda can.

RECYCLING PAPER

Almost all paper used today can be recycled. This includes old newspapers, books, paper bags and boxes. Used paper material is mixed with fresh wood pulp and then made into new paper items. This coloring book was made with recycled paper. So are many other items like magazines and newspapers.

Most of our trash is paper, we can recycle it instead of putting it in the trash



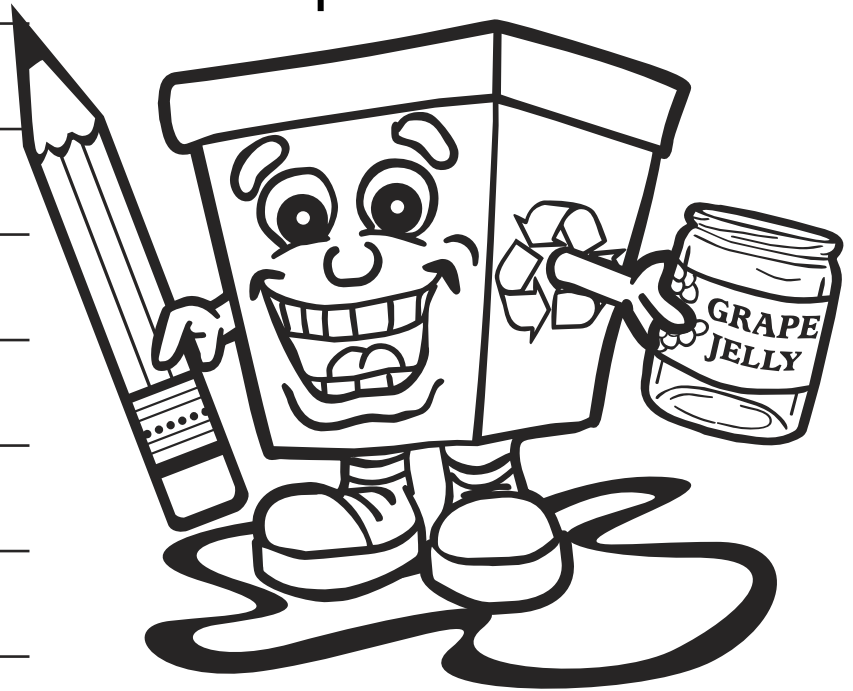
RECYCLING PLASTIC

At home or school we are always using plastic in our daily life. Many soda and milk containers are made of plastic. These items can be recycled. The used plastic items are melted down and made into pellets. These pellets are melted again and made into new items such as a computer or bottle.



How many things can you name that come in a glass jar or container?

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
5 _____
6 _____
7 _____
8 _____



RECYCLING GLASS

Glass bottles and jars are often thrown away after they are empty. These containers that used to be filled with peanut butter or jelly can be recycled. They can be melted down and formed into new bottles and jars. These new glass containers can be used for chocolate fudge, fruit juice or many other items we use everyday.



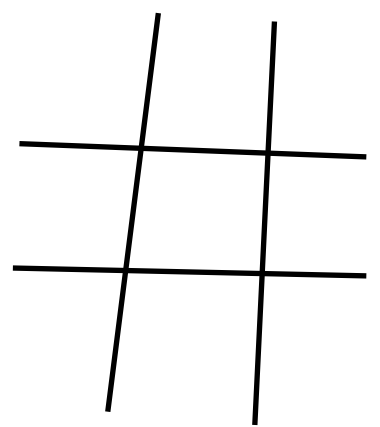
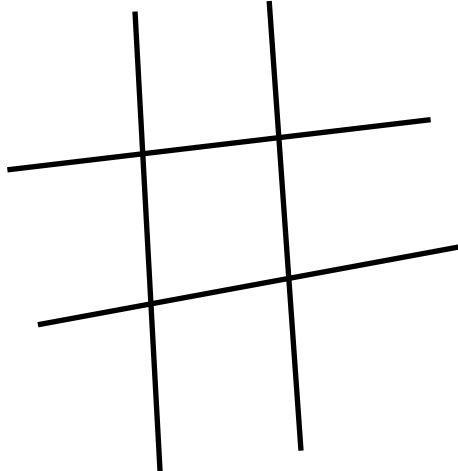
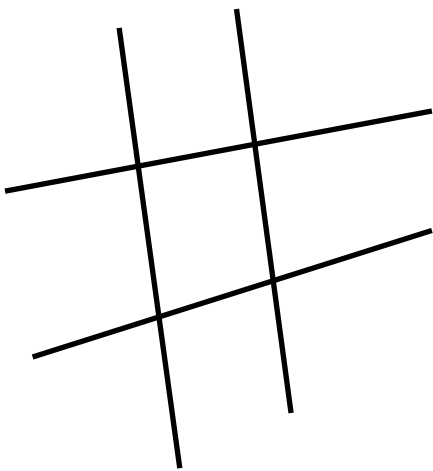
RECYCLING ORGANICS

Recycling organics such as food waste can be created into many useful products. Some of these products are compost, mulch and liquid fertilizer. Gardeners, farmers and landscapers use these things to help them grow plants, trees and food for you and your family.

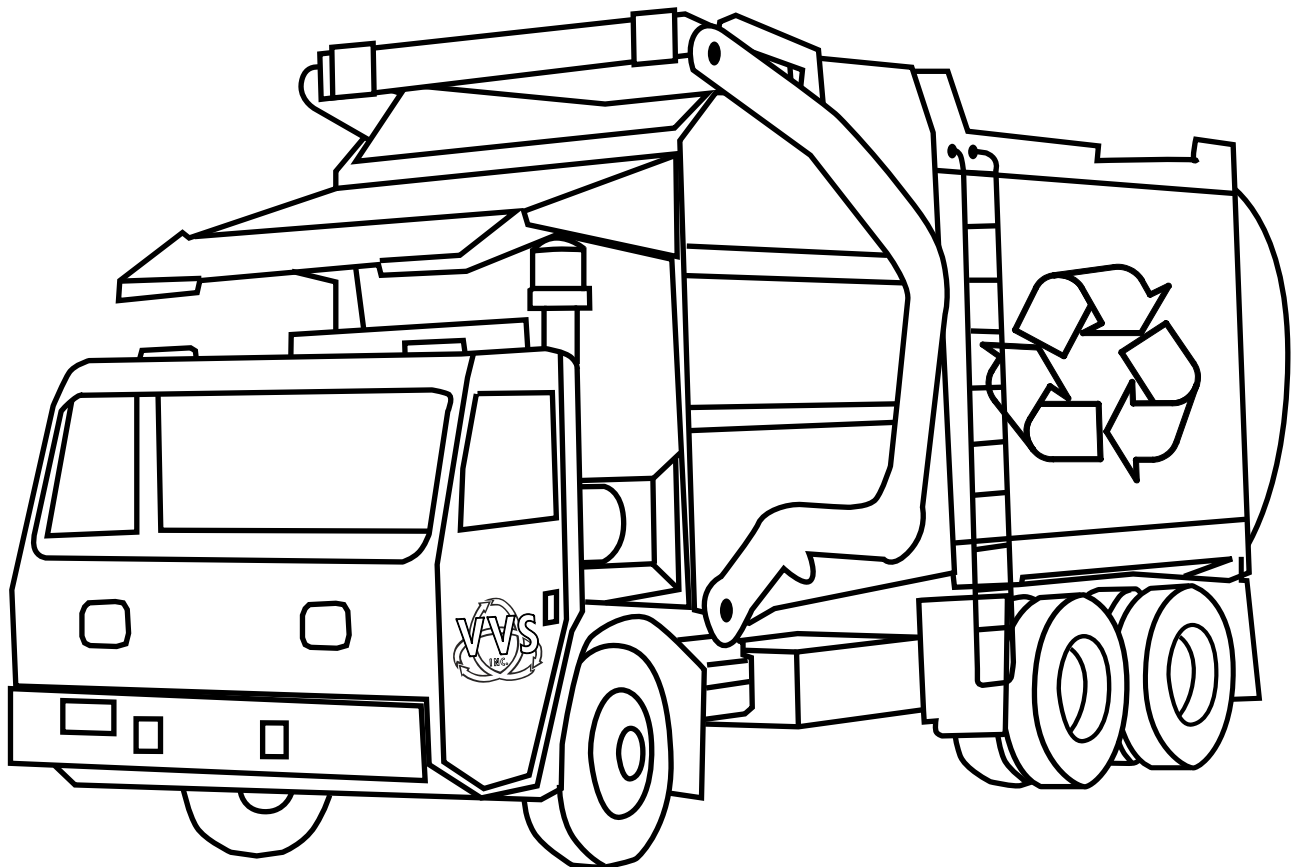


RECYCLING FUN

Tic-Tac-Toe



Color Your Own Truck



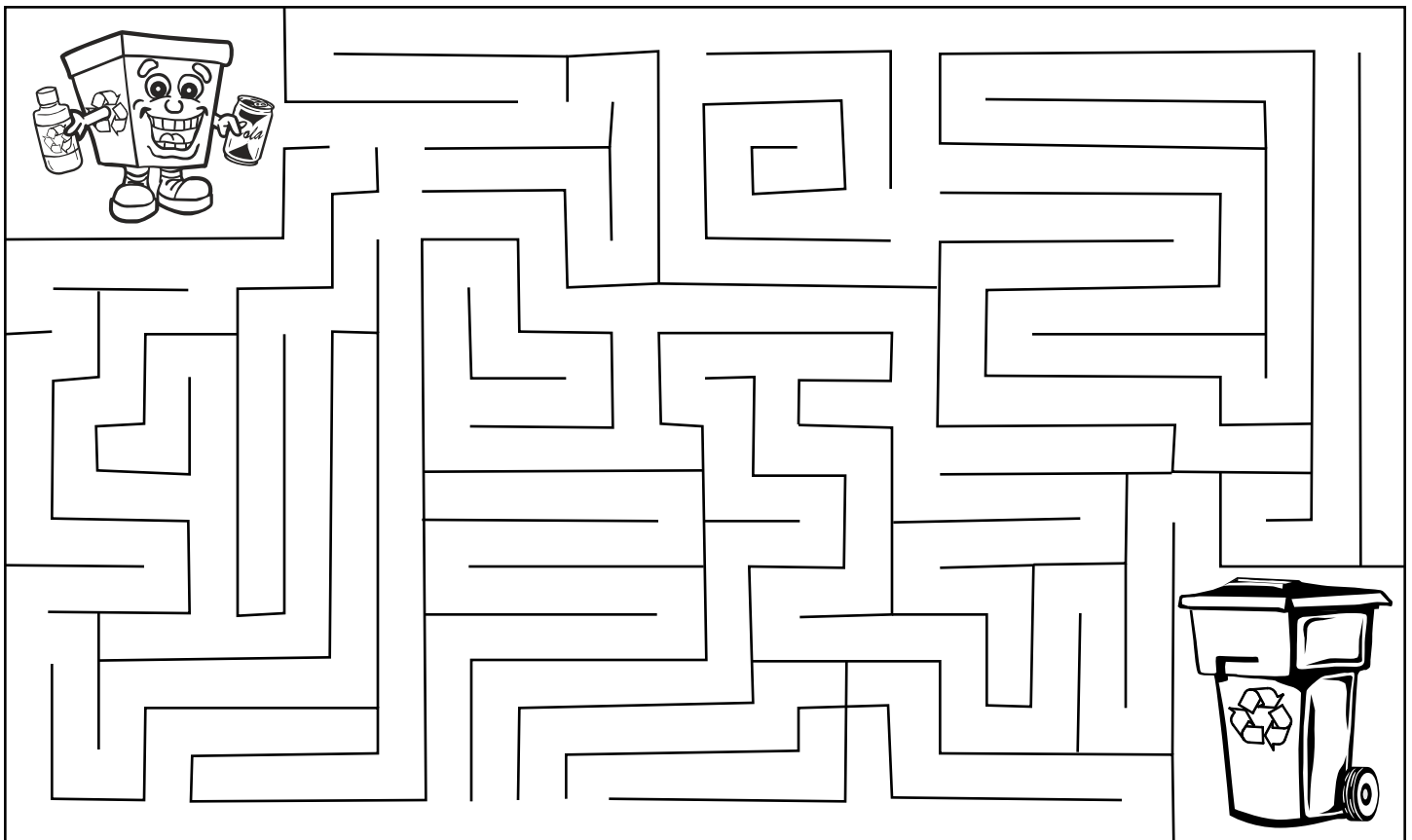
RECYCLING FUN

Can you find the Recycling Words

- METAL
- ALUMINUM
- CAN
- PAPER
- PLASTIC
- GLASS
- BOTTLE
- JAR
- ORGANICS
- REUSABLE
- ENERGY
- WASTE
- EARTH

R	G	L	A	S	S	M	A
E	E	N	E	R	G	Y	L
U	E	L	T	T	O	B	U
S	P	A	P	E	R	O	M
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B	S	A	R	E	R	N	U
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Help put the Recyclables in the Barrel



RECYCLING FUN

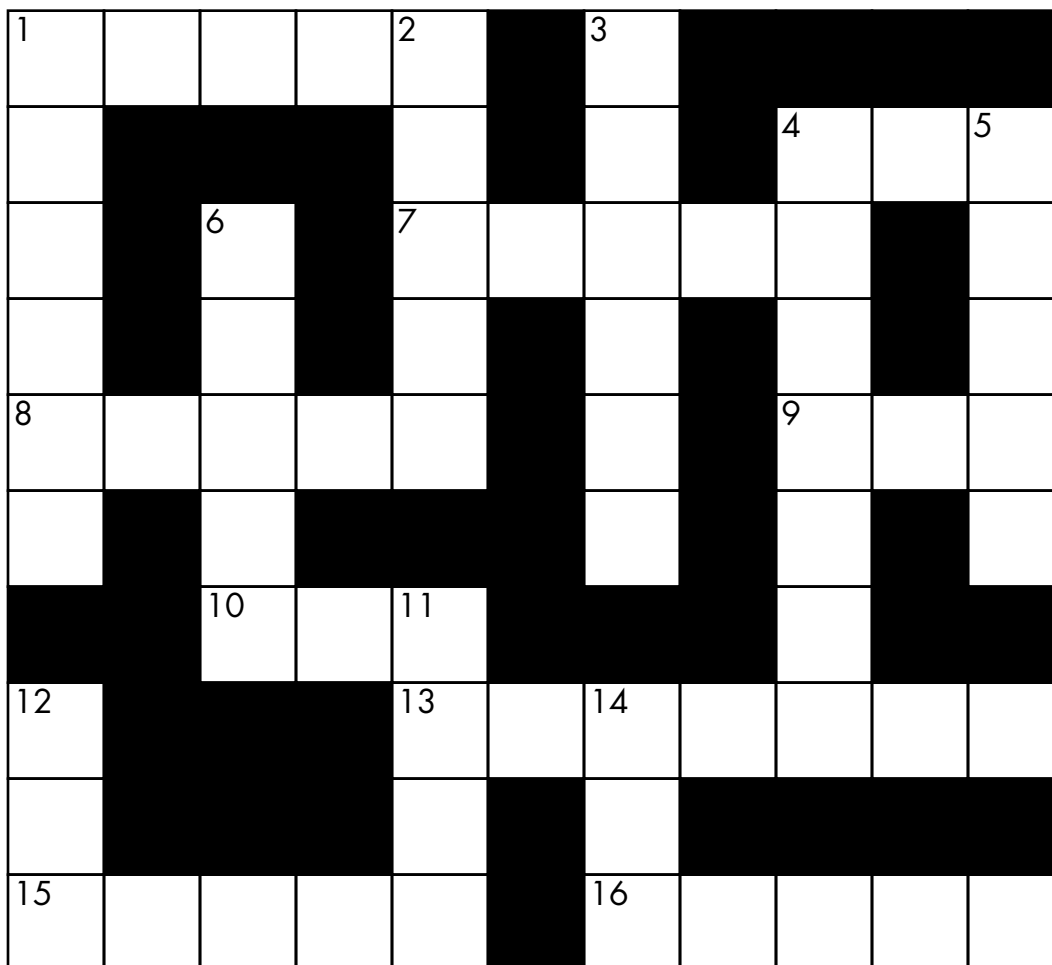
Recycling Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. The planet we live on
4. Another name for soda
7. Soda and food come in this type of can
8. Pickles and jelly come in this type of fragile container
9. What we do with our eyes
10. What we wear on our head
13. What this symbol  tells us to do
15. To use something more than once
16. Another word for Trash

DOWN

1. Solar power is a form of renewable _____
2. What we call the places we live
3. Juice and soda come in this type of container
4. Bags, containers and other items are made of this material
5. Magazines and books are made of this
6. This is waste that can sometimes be recycled
11. Many of these make up a forest
12. Peanut butter, jelly and other items come in this type of container
14. This animal goes "Moo"



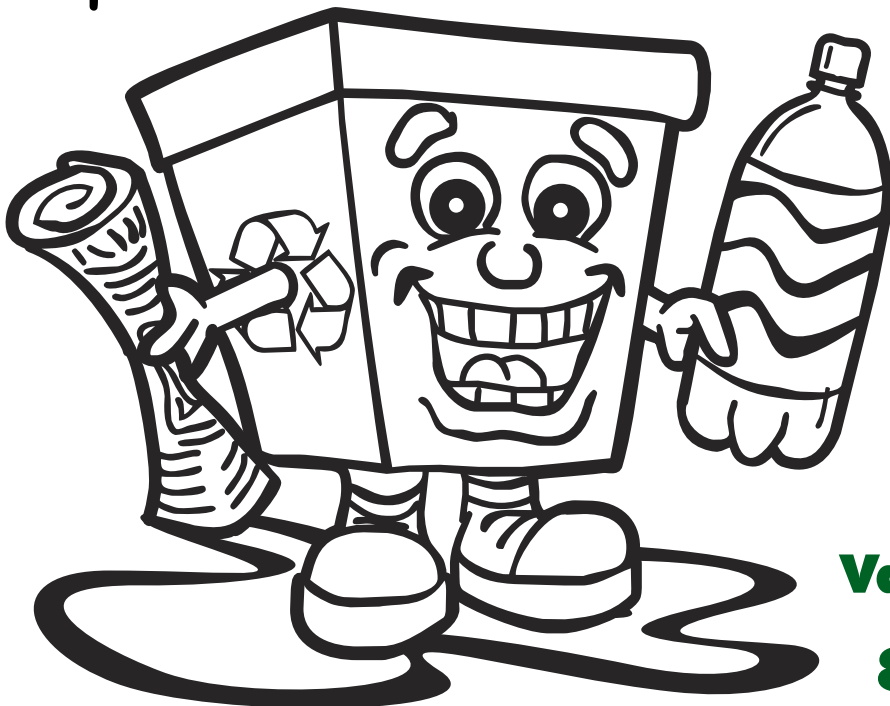
A BETTER FUTURE WITH YOUR HELP AND RECYCLING

All of us want to help make the earth a better place to live.

One way we can do this is by recycling. Recycling saves money, energy and the earth's natural resources. When we recycle an item we are making less trash.

Material that would be put in the trash can be refined and made into something new that we can use again and again.

The earth needs recycling. When we recycle, we help make the earth a better place to live.



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