

HENNEPIN COUNTY

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Greetings!

Thank you for borrowing the Recycled product education kit. There are several resources within this kit that will help you educate adults and older youth about what items are made into after they have been put into the recycling bin. If you have any questions about how to best utilize the items, feel free to contact me. I'm happy to talk with you about them!

Here is a brief overview of the resources you will find within this kit and some options about how to use them:

[Recycling activity guide activities](#)

Located in a navy folder, this is our curriculum resource. It includes background information on recycling and several activities you can do with a group related to recycling. The props in this kit can help add to these activities.

[Product examples](#)

This kit includes numerous examples of products that are made from recycled materials. Use these to show your audience options they have when purchasing items. Discuss closing the loop and how important it is to purchase recycled when possible !

[Recycling guides](#)

A guide to what can be recycled. Feel free to distribute these. We will replenish them when the kit is returned.

[Environmental facility tour flyers](#)

These flyers discuss different tour options that are available through Hennepin County. Feel free to distribute these. We will replenish them when the kit is returned.

[Flash drive](#)

This flash drive includes a presentation about recycling as well as digital files of recycling guides, links to some helpful videos, and other digital resources.

I'll be sending you a survey after you return this kit to get your feedback and recommendations. Yet again, thanks so much and keep up the great work!

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Recycling product education kit: inventory

Products made from recycled materials



Items included

- Carpet made from recycled material
- Toy made from recycled plastic
- Box made from recycled paper
- Floor mat made from recycled tires
- Countertop made from recycled glass
- Patio furniture material made from recycled milk jugs
- Notebook made from recycled paper
- Pencils made from recycled plastic
- Pens made from recycled plastic
- Lumber made from recycled plastic bags
- Post-it notes made from recycled paper
- Soap box made from recycled paper
- Toothbrushes made from recycled plastic

Recycling process visual aids



Items included

- 2 aluminum cans made of recycled aluminum from the Twin Cities
- 4 recycled aluminum can tops
- Bundled paper to show a miniature version of paper recycling step
- Paper recycling screens to show contamination vs clean paper
- Carpet recycling fiber and material samples
- Crushed glass

Recycling 8.5x11" Poster



- Use to illustrate a detailed list of what is, and isn't recyclable

Paper recycling process posters

Items included

- 8.5x11" poster
- 11x17" poster

Orange folder

- Feel free to distribute resources in this folder

Blue folder

- Inventory
- Activities
- Welcome letter

Flash drive



Resources included

- Digital versions of activities
- Links to videos
- PowerPoint presentation