

Sorting recycling

What to do

- Talk about what recycling is and why we do it.
- Lay out a range of clean recycling and talk about the different materials that the different items are made from.
- Sort them by type.
- Explain the different categories your local recycling requires the materials be sorted into.
- Work together to sort the recycling.

What you need

Clean packaging and recyclable materials



Extension

Wait for the recycling vehicles to arrive and watch what happens next to the rubbish. Make a junk model using recycling materials. Watch Maddie Moate discussing recycling with Buster:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W-v2QPF21nU>

Questions to ask

What is recycling?
Why should we recycle?
What material is this made from?
Where do we put cartons?
Could we reuse this for something else?