

RECYCLING – WHY SHOULD WE RECYCLE ?

Recycling conserves our valuable natural resources!

- Recycling helps to conserve our natural resources such as oil, metal and water.

GREEN BIN IT

PAPER
Newspapers, telephone directories, junk mail, catalogues, magazines, office paper, paperback books



PLASTIC BOTTLES
Soft drinks, milk, shampoo, detergents etc.

STEEL CANS
Food cans including beans, peas, fruit etc.
Pet food cans such as dog and cat food



ALUMINIUM CANS
Beverage cans including minerals and beer cans



CARDBOARD CARTONS
(Tetra Pak) Milk, juice, soup, rice, custard etc



CARDBOARD
Food packaging such as cereal boxes, pizza boxes, teabag boxes, egg cartons, shoe boxes etc.



RECYCLING SAVES ENERGY!

- Recycling aluminium saves 95% of the energy required to produce aluminium from raw materials.
- Recycling just one plastic bottle will save enough energy to power a 60 watt light bulb for 3 hours!



RECYCLING PROTECTS THE ENVIRONMENT!

- Recycling helps to conserve energy, so less greenhouse gases are emitted.
- Recycling reduces our dependence on landfill.
- With less materials going to landfill, less harmful emissions like methane gas are released into the earth's atmosphere

