

Springhurst Elementary School
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COMPOST Kids



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Recycle! *It's the Law*

“New York State is committed to making waste reduction and recycling a way of life for all our citizens, and schools continue to lead the way in establishing and promoting these important programs... And, **not only is recycling the right thing to do, it is required by state and local laws.”**

Peter Pettit, Director,
Bureau of Waste Reduction and Recycling
NYS Dept. of Environmental Conservation
April 3, 2015

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New York University



University of Wisconsin

UW-ELECTRIC SHOP
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Georgetown University



University of Maryland



Tufts University

Importance of Proper Recycling



Fall 2015 Diversion Rate



Compost Garden Waste!



Food Cycle



Cafeteria Composting and Recycling



Onsite Composter



Compost Bin to Soil in Three Months



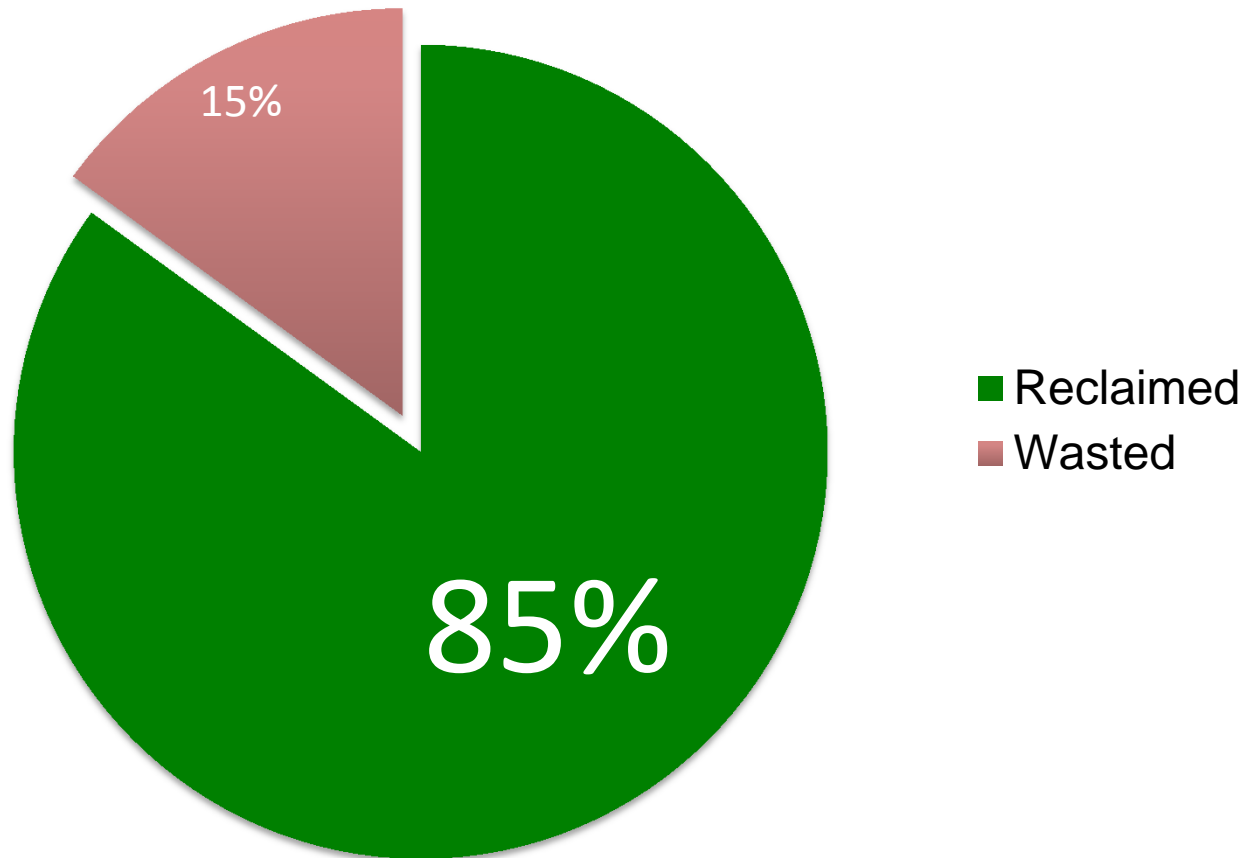
Effects of Contamination



Compost Keepers



Spring 2016 Diversion Rate



Promote Student Stewardship



What Goes Where?

<p><u>Recycle:</u> <i>clean</i> plastic with a ♻️ and #, metal, and glass.</p> <p>Aluminum foil Milk and juice cartons Plastic bottles Soda cans Glass bottles Plastic food containers Salad dressing containers Plastic cups Yogurt containers</p>	<p><u>Paper:</u> <i>clean and dry</i></p> <p>Clean paper bags Clean cardboard boxes Clean paper plates <u>no wax</u> Clean paper cups <u>no wax</u> Clean paper bowls <u>no wax</u> Clean pizza boxes Newspaper Looseleaf paper Copy paper</p>
<p><u>Compost:</u></p> <p>All food scraps (fruits, veggies, meats, cheese, bread, pizza, pasta, yogurt)</p> <p>All napkins and tissues</p>	<p><u>Trash:</u> <i>everything else</i></p> <p><u>Waxed</u> paper plates, cups, bowls ALL Plastic bags Styrofoam Plastic utensils Straws Snack wrappers Ziplocs/plastic wrap Yogurt soft covers Waxy coffee cups Wet wipes Paper towels Stickers from fruit</p>