

STYLE OUT YOUR RECYCLING SORT

A fun activity to challenge children to sort out a pile of recycling in the most creative way possible!

Zero Waste Scotland will crown the most creative recycling sort in Scotland. Signed permission slips will be required.

SUPPLIES:

- 5 pieces of paper/cardboard,
- 5 pieces of plastic (pots, tubs and trays)
- 5 pieces of metals (tins and cans). Please make sure recycling is clean and no hazards for the sort i.e. sharp parts
- Can be done singularly, in pairs or as teams.

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Mix the recycling in a bag so it's all unsorted.
2. Have three plastic containers ready for the sort, one for the paper/cardboard, one for the plastics and one for the metal (optional: can label the containers)
3. Ask pupils either by themselves, in pairs or as teams to creatively sort the recycling into the correct container. Some examples include, fancy dress, dancing while sorting, not using their hands or acting like a dinosaur – the more creative the better!
4. Film your recycling sort and if all the items have been sorted correctly, the video can be posted on Facebook or emailed to us at support@recycleforscotland.org.uk. Please use #RecycleWeek24. If you are sending the video content to Zero Waste Scotland, please fill out the permission form so we can share the content on our social media channels (Facebook/Instagram and X).
5. Zero Waste Scotland will compile all the submissions and draw a winner that is randomly selected.
6. The winner will be crowned as Zero Waste Scotland's most stylish recycling sorter and will be presented with a crown and certificate.

For an example of a recycling sort, you can watch one here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AXg0ZFS0ij8>.

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TRANSFORMING YOUR RECYCLING: DESK TIDIES MADE FROM TISSUE BOXES

SUPPLIES:

- Multiple empty tissue boxes of your choice
- Decorative paper such as comics, wrapping paper, scrap paper
- Pencil
- Glue
- Scissors (for adult use only)
- Transparent tape
- Stickers/pompoms (optional)



Image source: www.kleenex.com

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Cut your tissue box in half. Keep the bottom part for your desk tidy and recycle the part with the hole. Adult supervision for scissor use.
2. Use your choice of paper to decorate your box. You can wrap the box with wrapping paper or stick segments on. You can also papier mâché your desk tidy with paper scraps and glue.
3. You can use a range of different tissue box sizes to create your own dividers.
4. Add any decorative elements such as pompoms, stickers or drawings.
5. Let the box dry.
6. Use in class to organise art supplies or use in students desk trays.

TRANSFORMING YOUR RECYCLING:

PLASTIC BIRD FEEDER

SUPPLIES:

- Clean plastic container
- Box cutter/sharp scissors (for adult use only)
- String or craft wire
- Paint (or Sharpies for a less messy option)
- Paint brushes and palette
- Bird seed (sunflower seeds)



INSTRUCTIONS:

1. With an adults help, cut a rectangular hole on two sides of the container using scissors. Make sure to leave the bottom intact as this is where your seeds will go.
2. Pierce two holes near the top. Thread the string or craft wire and tie it together. This allows your feeder to hang.
3. Add some colour and decorate your container with some paint. Go crazy!
4. Let the paint dry.
5. Fill the bottom of your new bird feeder with bird seed. Hang it somewhere sheltered outside, this could be from a tree, a roof overhang, or a dedicated bird feeder hook.