

Recycling Truck Activity Sheets



Recyclable and Non-Recyclable Materials

Cut out the items that can be recycled and paste them into the truck.



Instructions and Answers

Activity instructions:

1. Children are to cut around their recycling truck. Be careful they don't cut through the fold line for the flap of the truck.
2. Fold along the line to create an open and shut flap for the truck bin.
3. Children cut out the rubbish items.
4. Children paste the items that are recyclable in the rubbish truck.

Check for understanding. Have the children put the correct items in the truck?

Discussion:

Talk about what we do with our household rubbish. Question children on which items do we place in bins? Which bin is the recycling bin? What happens to the bin? Who collects it?

Discuss the items on the Recyclable and Non-Recyclable Materials Cut and Paste sheet. Discuss which items belong in the recycling truck.

Answers:

Items that can go in the recycling truck: glass jar, milk bottle, cans, yoghurt container (preferably rinsed out) newspaper, cereal box, pizza box.

Items that can't be recycled: Foam meat tray, banana peel, nappy. These go in the general waste truck.