

Sample information for Video Clip about recycling right at your school:

Each student introduces him/herself before speaking:

Did you know that it is the law to recycle?

Recycling is the law, here at school and at home too!

What does the word recycle mean?

To make something new from something that already exists.

Be sure to recycle cardboard and newspaper.

Please recycle paper from school including, copy paper, construction paper and soft cover workbooks.

Please recycle envelopes, post notes and the boxes from tissues and school supplies!

Please recycle plastic bottles with the number 1 and the number 2 on them.
Be sure to remove the plastic caps and throw the caps into the trash.

Steel, or tin cans, like soup cans must be recycled too! Please be sure they are empty and rinsed.

Aluminum cans must be recycled. Please be sure they are empty before putting them into the recycling container.

Glass bottles and glass jars must be recycled. Don't forget to recycle the METAL lids too!

Do not put milk cartons, juice boxes and juice pouches into the recycling containers at the Nixon School. Put them into the trash.

Tissues, paper towels and napkins are trash.

Snack bags from chips and pretzels are trash.

Food wrappers and candy wrappers are trash.

Yogurt cups and containers are trash.

Plastic cups from Jello and pudding are trash.

Plastic bags and baggies are trash.

Plastic spoons, forks and straws are trash.

Any uneaten food waste is trash.

Styrofoam blocks, foam peanuts and foam trays are trash. You may see a recycling symbol on Styrofoam with the number 6 on it, but that is not acceptable in our recycling program!

If you have a question about recycling, please ask a recycling ambassador, or refer to the flyers in each classroom. (Show flyers and containers)

Message at end with all students together:

Together, we can make a difference. Please recycle!

Other points:

Examples: newspaper can be made from newspaper, paper can be made by recycling paper, and aluminum cans can be made from aluminum cans!

Explain where the trash from your County goes. It may go to a landfill or to an incinerator.

Remind everyone - When we recycle, we keep the recyclables from being landfilled and new products are made!