



Recycled Paper

Recycling paper is good for our environment. By cutting down on the paper you throw away, less trees have to be cut down for new paper! There are many products that are made from recycled paper such as coffee filters, egg cartons, shoe boxes and napkins.

You can help the environment by using your recycled paper at home in a litter box or compost!



What You Need

- Newspaper, junk mail, used printer paper or old wrapping paper (avoid using glossy paper that has chemicals)
- Collection bag, box or bin



How You Do It

- 1 Collect paper.
- 2 Shred or cut paper into strips and use to line cat litter trays or add it as "brown matter" to your compost.



Before the project

READ ONE OF THESE BOOKS.

"Kate Who Tamed the Wind" by Liz Garton Scanlon

A wild wind blows on the tippy-top of a steep hill, turning everything upside down for the man who lives there. Luckily, Kate comes up with a plan to tame the wind. With an old wheelbarrow full of young trees, she journeys up the steep hill to add a little green to the man's life, and to protect the house from the howling wind. From award-winning author Liz Garton Scanlon and whimsical illustrator Lee White comes a delightfully simple, lyrical story about the important role trees play in our lives and caring for the world in which we live.

"I Want to Go Green! But What Does That Mean?" by Jill Dunn

This is a fun, rhyming story that introduces elementary-aged children to a green lifestyle. The main character takes readers on a silly yet educational adventure as he discovers simple ways to conserve resources and keep our Earth clean.