

RECYCLE RIGHT ELEMENTARY CURRICULUM

Vocabulary for students should be adapted based upon grade level.

WM, in collaboration with leading experts in education, curriculum development and instruction, has created a standards-based, interactive learning curriculum for elementary-age students.

WM's Recycle Right curriculum is a series of grade-appropriate lessons and activities that teaches students in Kindergarten through 5th grade about best recycling practices. At the end of the course, students will be able to answer these questions:

What is recycling?

Why is recycling important to the community and the environment?

What items can be recycled?

Why does successful recycling depend on Recycle Right?

How are recycling and solid waste collected and managed?

What is a Materials Recovery Facility and how does it work?



Please contact your local rep to learn more.

The curriculum was designed to align with the Next Generation Science Standards, using Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) best teaching practices.



As North America's leading provider of recycling services, WM is proud to offer this novel curriculum, teaching young students how to apply the Recycle Right practices.

Recycle Right is available to WM customers and communities on request. The downloadable curriculum comes with:

Standards-based lesson plans for grades K through 5

One video presentation element

Student worksheets and lesson extensions



Add some fun to Recycle Right

To reinforce the recycling message and increase kids' involvement, the curriculum includes WM promise cards, tree leaves and ambassador stickers for hands-on projects. Please contact your local representative to learn more.

Add your promise to become a recycling ambassador and share





