

## Recycling Resource 2

# Recycling Projects - Websites

### Local Councils

- [www.hertsdirect.org](http://www.hertsdirect.org)
- "Waste aware" tel. 08457 425000
- email [hertsdirect@hertscc.gov.uk](mailto:hertsdirect@hertscc.gov.uk)
- Waste Watch Wasteline on 08702430136
- Try contacting the following people at your council offices - Local Recycling Officer; Local Waste Contractor; Local Agenda 21 officer - they might also be able to visit your school and talk to you about local recycling schemes.

### Local Issues

- Comments for the first draft of the Waste Development Plan  
[www.hertsdirect.org/wastelocalplan](http://www.hertsdirect.org/wastelocalplan)
- Put in your postcode to find out "What's in your backyard?" at <http://www.environment-agency.gov.uk/>

### Recycling sites - general

- This site lets you put in your postcode so you can find where to recycle near you, and tips for recycling at home [www.recyclenow.com](http://www.recyclenow.com)
- [www.recyclezone.org.uk](http://www.recyclezone.org.uk)
- Games and puzzles at [www.ollierecycles.com](http://www.ollierecycles.com)
- [www.epa.gov/kids/garbage.htm](http://www.epa.gov/kids/garbage.htm)
- Put in your post code to find your local recycling bank at [www.recycle-more.co.uk](http://www.recycle-more.co.uk)

### Sustainable development

- [www.wwwflarning.co.uk](http://www.wwwflarning.co.uk)
- Use this site to find out about the **EU landfill Directive** and the **Kyoto Protocol**  
[www.channel4.com/science/microsites/E/environment](http://www.channel4.com/science/microsites/E/environment)

### National and International Campaigns

- [www.globalfootprints.org](http://www.globalfootprints.org)
- [www.greenchoices.org](http://www.greenchoices.org)
- [www.globaldimension.org.uk](http://www.globaldimension.org.uk)
- Try contacting environmental groups e.g. Greenpeace / Friends of the Earth

### Specific Recycling information

- [www.recyclingglass.co.uk](http://www.recyclingglass.co.uk)

- [www.glassforever.co.uk](http://www.glassforever.co.uk)
- The Steel cans recycling information bureau at [www.scrib.org](http://www.scrib.org)
- [www.alupro.org.uk](http://www.alupro.org.uk)
- A-Z of different waste material at [www.defra.gov.uk/environment/waste](http://www.defra.gov.uk/environment/waste)
- [www.wasteonline.org.uk](http://www.wasteonline.org.uk)
- <http://www.thinkcans.net/>

### **Recycling and schools**

- [www.collect4schools.co.uk](http://www.collect4schools.co.uk)
- [www.eco-schools.org.uk](http://www.eco-schools.org.uk)
- How to produce less waste in school offices [www.wastebusters.org.uk/home/default.asp](http://www.wastebusters.org.uk/home/default.asp)
- Schools organic network about making compost at [http://organicgardening.org.uk/schools\\_organic\\_network/](http://organicgardening.org.uk/schools_organic_network/)
- [www.schoolsgarden.org.uk](http://www.schoolsgarden.org.uk)
- [www.globalactionplan.org.uk](http://www.globalactionplan.org.uk)
- Find out what happens to your old mobile phone after it has been recycled at [www.cmrecycling.co.uk/tools/flowchart.swf](http://www.cmrecycling.co.uk/tools/flowchart.swf)

### **Other**

- [www.wasteaware.org.uk](http://www.wasteaware.org.uk)
- UK Nappy line to find out about reusable nappies 01983 401959
- Log onto [www.google.co.uk](http://www.google.co.uk) and type "recycle"
- What happens to some of the things that have been recycled - look at the following sites [www.rethinkrubbish.com](http://www.rethinkrubbish.com) and [www.recycledproducts.org.uk](http://www.recycledproducts.org.uk)
- Contact the "Association for Beverage Carton Manufacturers and the Environment" to find out about them collecting old, washed cartons for recycling