

PLEASE DO YOUR PART
RECYCLE SMART!



BRAINTREE RECYCLING

AN EDUCATIONAL COLORING & ACTIVITY BOOK

(K-Grade 3)



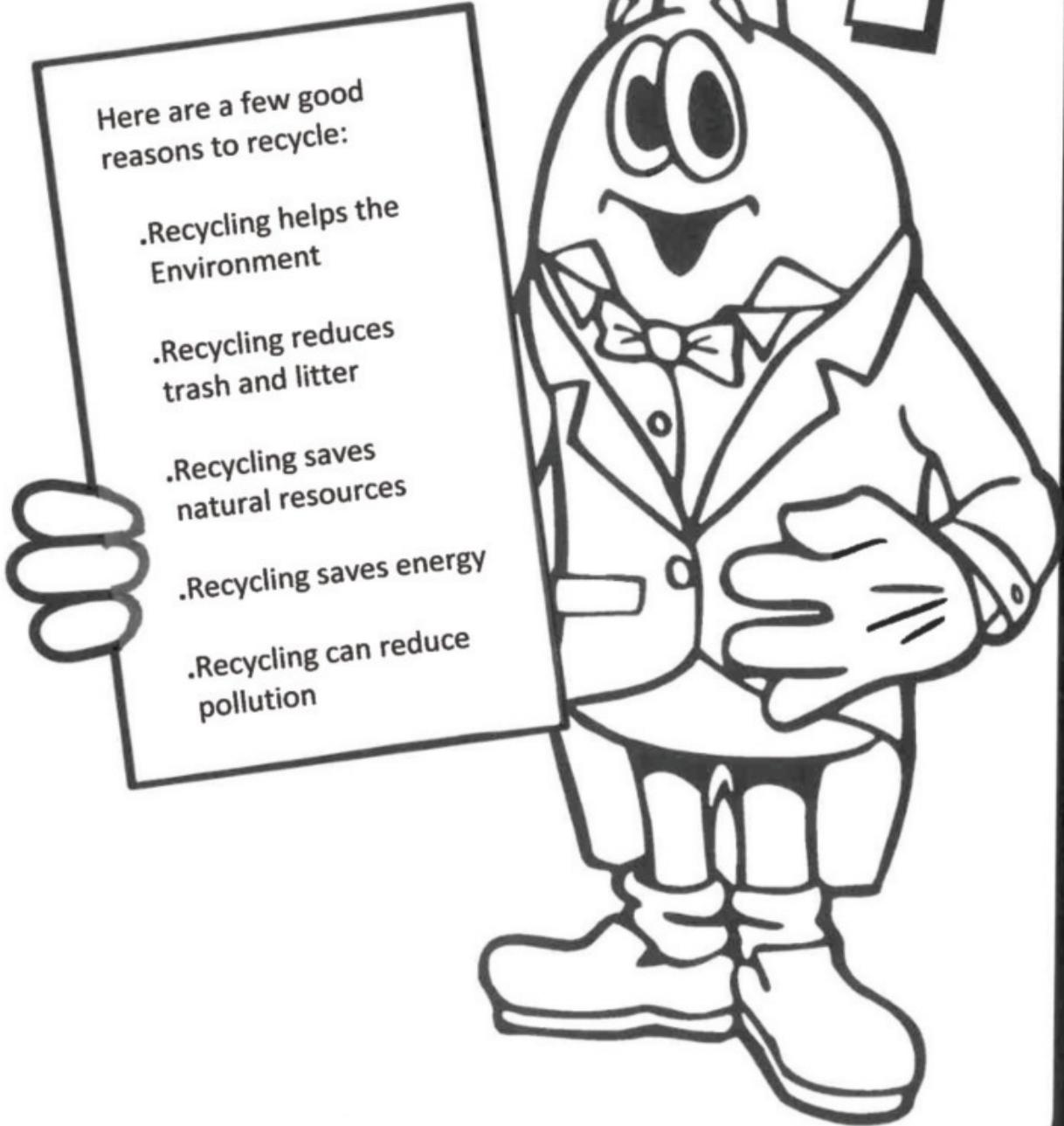
LETS ALL RECYCLE TOGETHER !!

WHY RECYCLE?



Here are a few good reasons to recycle:

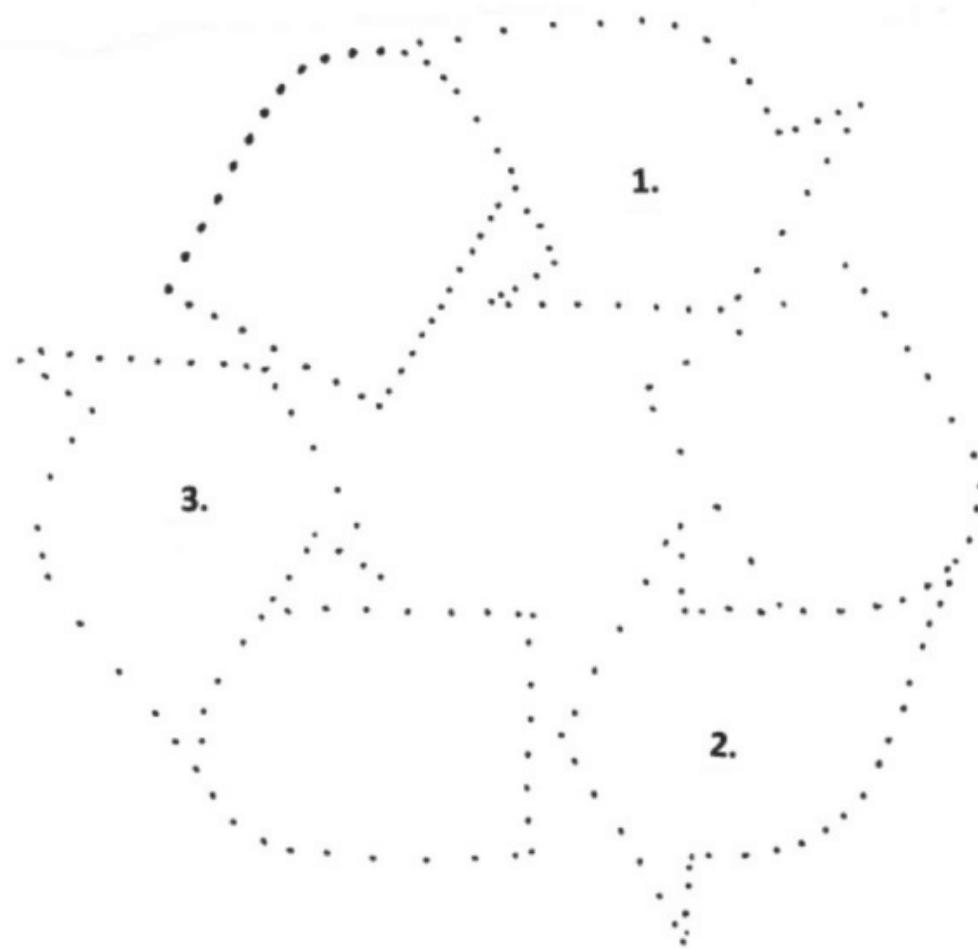
- .Recycling helps the Environment
- .Recycling reduces trash and litter
- .Recycling saves natural resources
- .Recycling saves energy
- .Recycling can reduce pollution



RECYCLING IS A 3 STEP PROCESS:

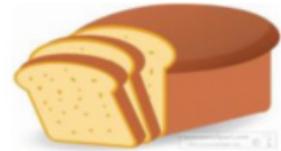
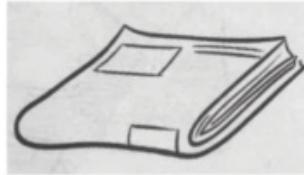
- 1. COLLECTING THE MATERIALS**
- 2. TURNING THE MATERIALS INTO A NEW PRODUCT**
- 3. YOU BUYING THE NEW PRODUCT**

THE SYMBOL BELOW REPRESENTS THIS 3 STEP PROCESS

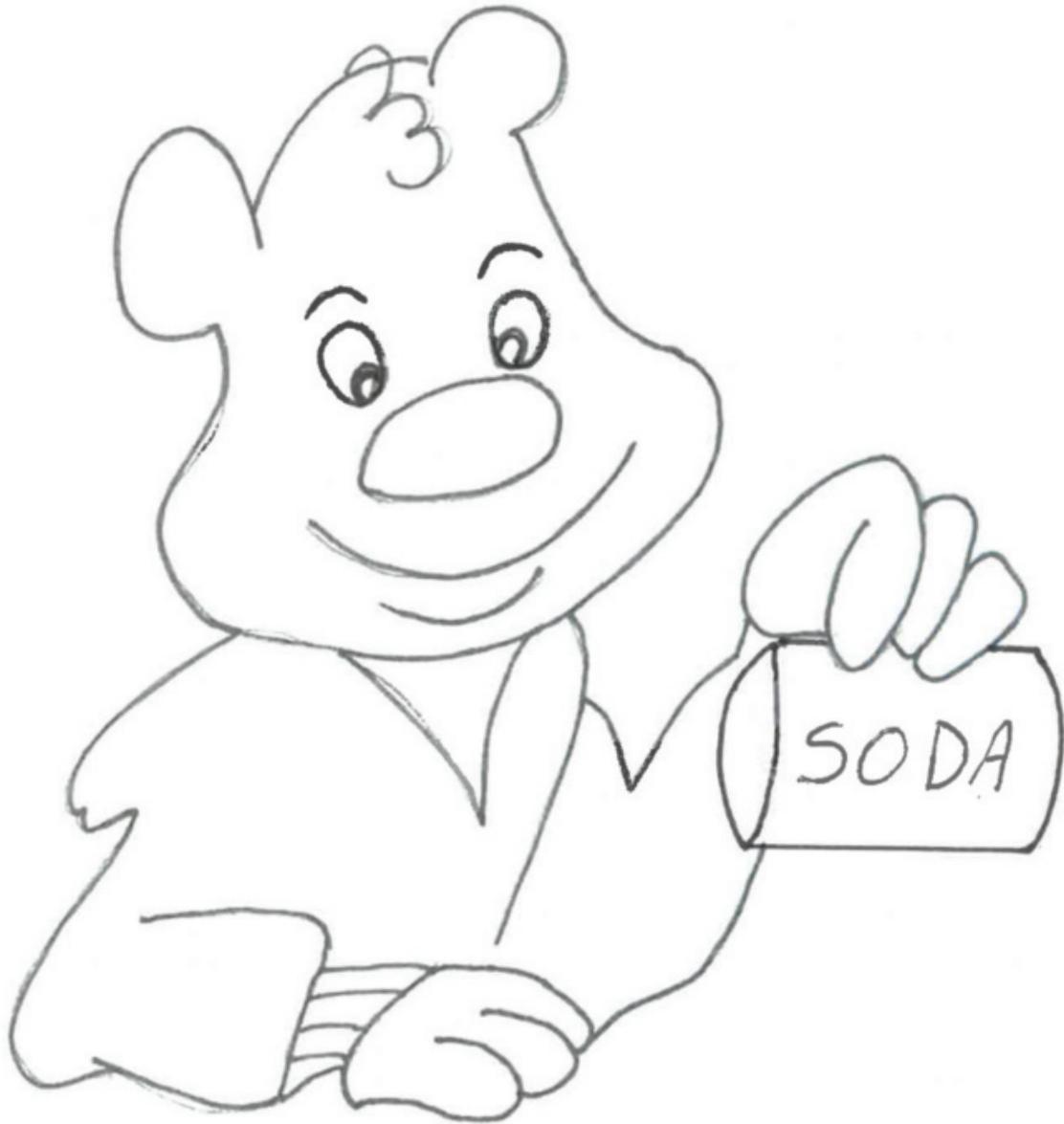


CONNECT THE DOTS TO SEE THE "CHASING ARROWS"

DRAW A LINE TO SHOW WHICH TRUCK TO PUT THESE ITEMS IN



**Answers: Magazine, Paper Bag, Soda Bottle, Water Bottle belong in Recycle Cart
Leftover Container, Bread, Styrofoam Cup, Tomato, Plastic bag belong in the Trash Cart**



TRASH



RECYCLE

**TELL BENNY WHERE TO PUT THE ALUMINUM
SODA CAN**

Answer: Recycle Cart



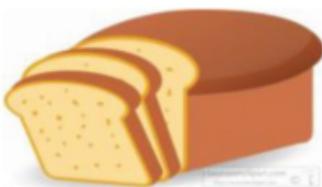
CIRCLE THE ITEMS THAT DO BELONG IN THE BRAINTREE RECYCLING CART



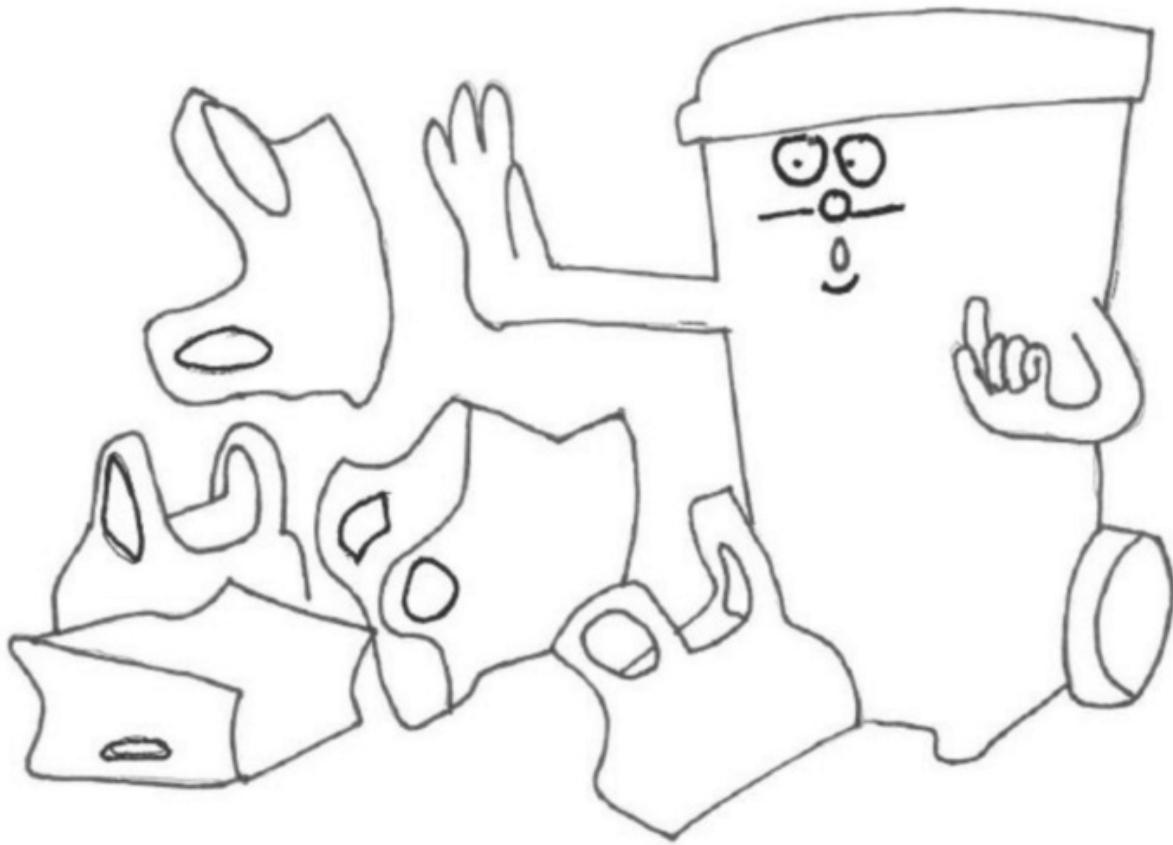
Answer: All Items Do Belong



CIRCLE THE ITEMS THAT DO NOT BELONG IN THE BRAINTREE RECYCLING CART



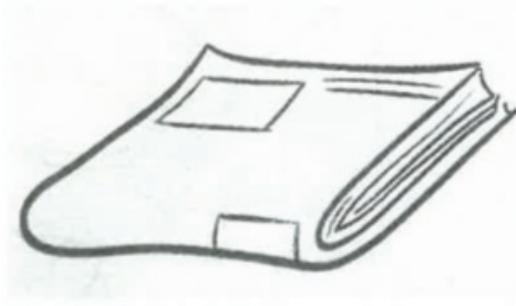
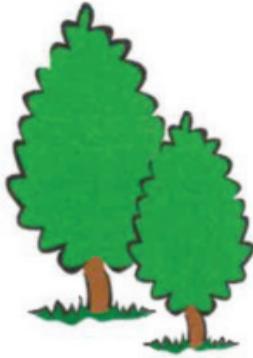
Answer: All Items Do Not Belong



PLEASE....NO PLASTIC BAGS IN RECYCLING

Dump all of the recyclables out of the bag and into your cart

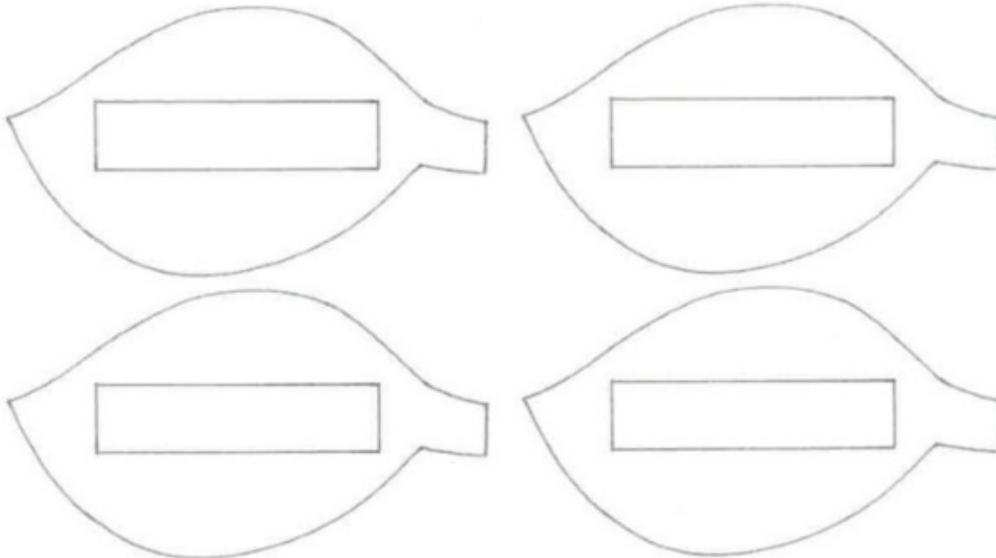
Put all recyclables loosely in the cart



Paper comes from trees. Do you know which of the items below can be made from recycled paper? Circle these items:

- Pad of Paper
- Cats
- Books
- Calendars
- Dogs

Turn Over a New Leaf!! Color in the leaves below and write down what other items can be made from recycled papers.....



Answer 1: Pad of Paper, Books, Calendars
Answer 2: File Folders, Paper Bags, Brochures, Magazines, Newspaper



Connect the Dots below to see what new product can be made from these plastic bottles.....





Connect the dots and color in the new product that can be made from these cans:



Answer: Bicycles can be made from aluminum cans



MA STATE MANDATE NOT RECYCLABLE

Aerosol Containers
Scrap Metal
Pots & Pans
Paint Cans
Canisters (i.e. Pringles, nuts, raisins)
Yogurt Container Foil Tops

Drinking Glasses
Ceramic Mugs, Dishes
Window Glass

Food & Beverage Cartons	Gift Wrap/Bags
Cold Cups (i.e. soft drink)	Shredded Paper
Hot Cups (i.e. coffee)	Tyvek Envelopes
Take-Out Containers	Frozen Food Boxes
Ice Cream Containers	
Tissue Paper/Napkins	
Spiral Bound Workbooks	
Plastic Padded Envelopes	

Plastic Takeout Containers	Plastic Bags
Single-use Coffee Containers	Flower Pots
Prescription Bottles	Crates
Medical Containers	Buckets
Plastic Film & Wrap	Nips
Plastic Plates, Bowls & Utensils	
Black Plastic (take out trays, catering/cake)	
Foam Cups, Containers & Peanuts	

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