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Millinocket's Recycling GREEN

ACTIVITY COLORING BOOK

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Suppose we never thought before we littered...

Would a picnic in the park look like this?...what a mess!
Reduce • Reuse • Recycle

...These are good words to remember at home, school and at play.

Reduce... The amount of garbage from your family:

- Use cloth shopping bags or recycle paper or plastic bags.
- Use both sides of paper.
- Take care of your toys — broken toys become trash.

- Recycle bottles, cans, plastic and paper.
- Think of creative ways to reuse items.
Reuse... Anytime you use something over and over again you are saving our resources and helping to keep our earth green.

Many things can be reused in different ways...

Empty cereal boxes can be turned into great storage boxes... just cut and decorate AWESOME!

Empty glass jars are great for storing small items. Decorate & fill for a unique gift idea.

Empty plastic detergent bottles are great for playing in water or scooping sand.

Be creative!

...On a piece of scrap paper make a list of things that you can reuse. Ask each person in your family to come up with an idea, too!
Recycle... It allows us to make new products from old ones.

Did you know...

**FACT** Recycling one soda can saves enough energy to run your T.V. for 3 hours. WOW!

**FACT** Recycling a stack of newspapers 10 feet tall saves one whole tree!
Don't litter — and remind your friends to do the same. Keeping your neighborhood clean will make it a nicer, safer place to live and play.

PROJECT!

...Pick up litter you find around your home and school. Work with some friends and it will be fun!
Don't waste our

Resources...

☐ WATER
- Turn off water while brushing your teeth.
- Use dishwasher and washing machine only when full.
- Take quick showers.

☐ ENERGY
- Have your parents turn down heat to 68 degrees or below.
- Wear sweaters
- Turn off lights and TV when not using them.
- Read a book or play a game instead of watching TV. — It's better for your brain & helps save energy!

☐ OIL/GAS
- Have your parents arrange carpools for school and other events.
- Walk wherever possible.
- Take the bus.