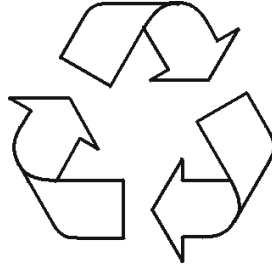


RECYCLING 101



Why Sort your Trash:

Why not?

It saves energy, helps beat global warming, creates jobs, saves money and landfill space, making a cleaner world for you and your future grandkids. Plus, you can help PCC contribute to the regional recycling goal – 64% by 2009!

Where to Sort:

Locations:	Offices & Hallways	Vending Areas	Cafeteria
Materials Collected:	• Recycling Mix	• Mix • Glass	• Mix • Styrofoam

How to Sort:

RECYCLING MIX: *3 materials in 1 container*

- Paper: office paper (staples OK), envelopes (windows OK), magazines, newspaper, cardboard
- Plastic: empty bottles with threaded necks
- Cans: empty aluminum and steel cans



GLASS: Empty bottles are collected separately to protect workers from broken shards.

STYROFOAM: Cups, plates, plastic utensils are washed, ground up and sold on the plastics market.

TRASH: *Yuck! Please help keep recycling clean.*

- Kleenex & paper towels
- Foil & wrappers
- Food and food residue (cheesy pizza boxes, half-full bottles or cans) cause pest problems for workers at the processing plant.
- Coffee/Pepsi cups. Ream wrappers for copier paper. Paper products with a waxy or plastic coating don't break apart during processing.
- Plastic yogurt containers, microwavable lunch containers. Shapes without necks nest together and cause pest problems.

