



Lunchtime Recycling

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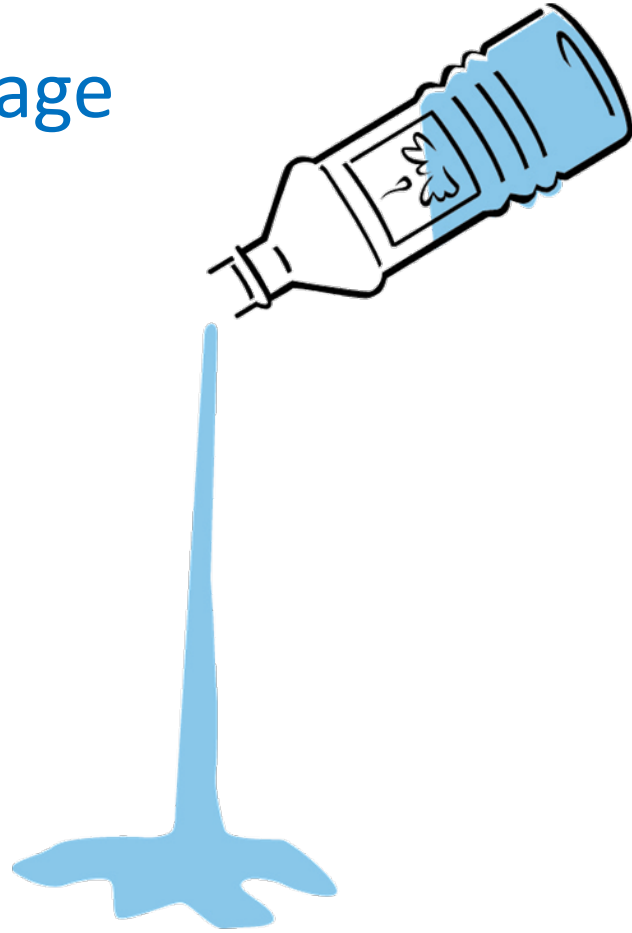
Top Tips for Recycling at Lunchtime

- Make sure to use the recycling bin – think before you toss!



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- Empty food and beverage containers



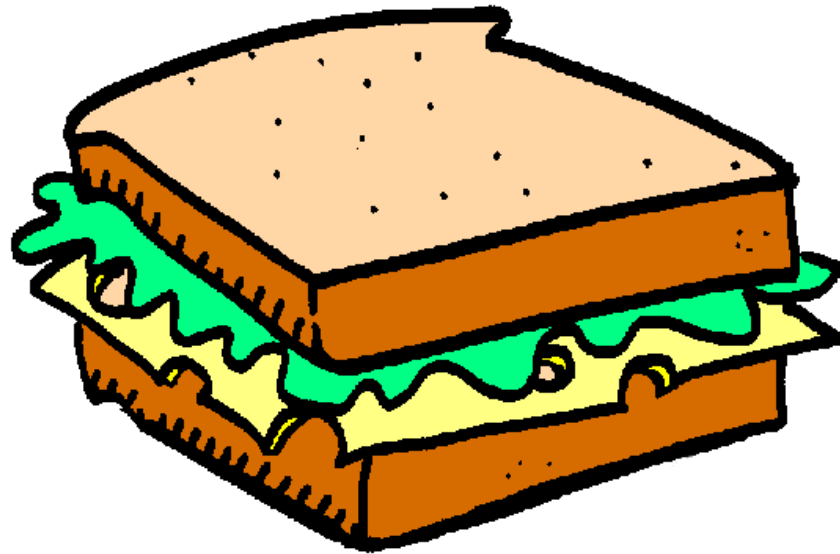
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- All plastics numbered #1-5 and #7 are recyclable.



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- Finish your food and drinks instead of throwing them out



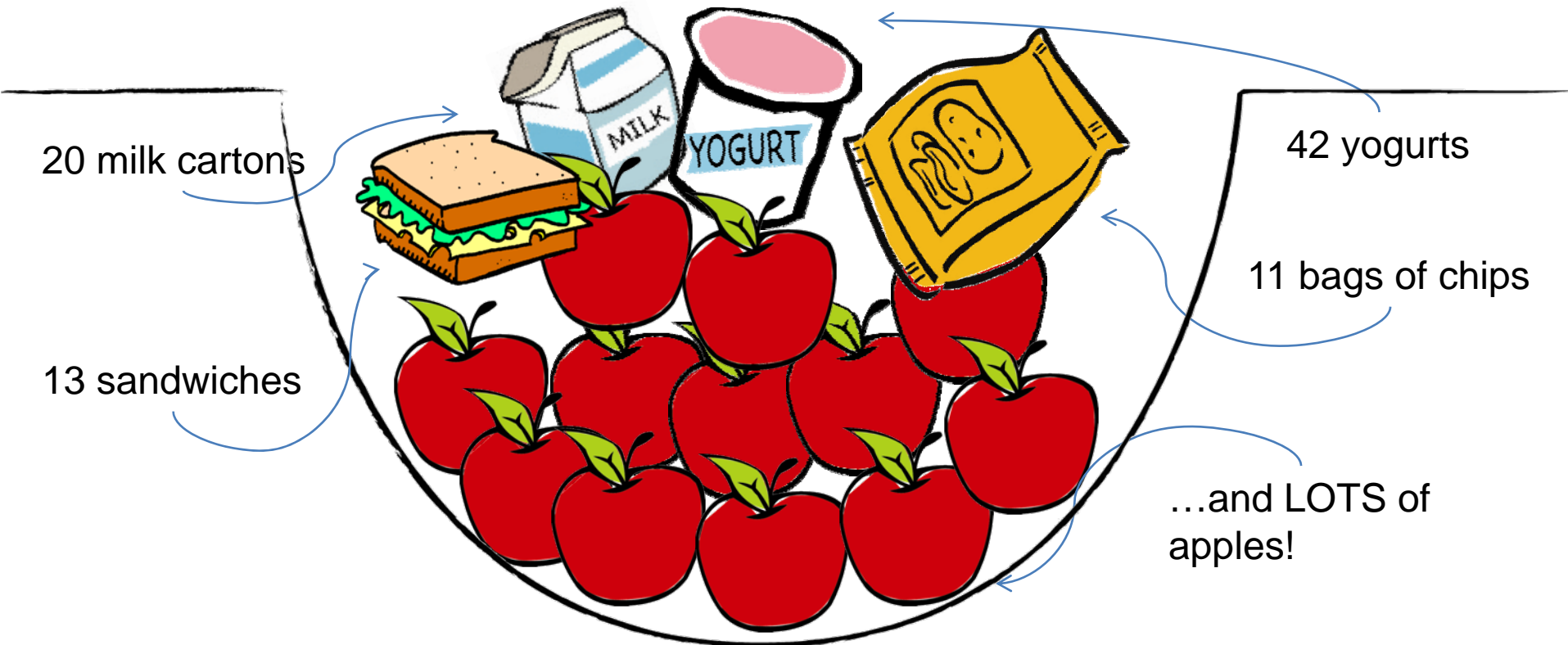
Not So Fun Facts

- Students throw out a lot of good food – about 67 pounds per year for each kid!



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- Here's other stuff that goes to the landfill every day from your school:



Never Found in the Trash



Recycling beverage containers

- You can recycle
 - Bottles
 - Cans
 - Milk cartons
 - Juice boxes
- No straws
- Pour or squeeze out liquid first



Do not recycle

- Plastics such as straws, ziplock bags
- Forks and spoons
- Juice pouches (like Capri Sun)
- All types of food
- Paper napkins & towels



More recycling tips

- Try to eat all your lunch and drink all your milk or juice
- Take only as much as you can eat
- If you have a question about recycling, ask an adult or student in charge
- Tell your mom & dad what you like in your lunch
- Be a good example to others



You are a Wastebuster!

- YOU are making a difference in the world by recycling
- Happy Earth Day!

