

Green Minds Can Think Alike

8 Waste Tips for Greener Days

TIP#1: Always put your trash in the proper container. If you are not sure where it goes, check **wheredoesitgo.ca** for the right information

TIP#2: Use a litter bag in your vehicle

TIP#3: Use reusable and refillable drink containers

TIP#4: Reduce and reuse as much as you can before recycling

TIP#5: Support community cleanups, recycling programs, legislation and other efforts to reduce litter

TIP#6: Get support from your neighbourhood. Successful litter control must be a continuous, ongoing effort that involves the entire community. Organize a committee to develop a plan of action

TIP#7: Set a good example to others and don't be a Litterbug!

TIP#8: Compost your food and yard waste

Waste Resources for Adults & Kids

Check out these resources and programs to be part of the change!

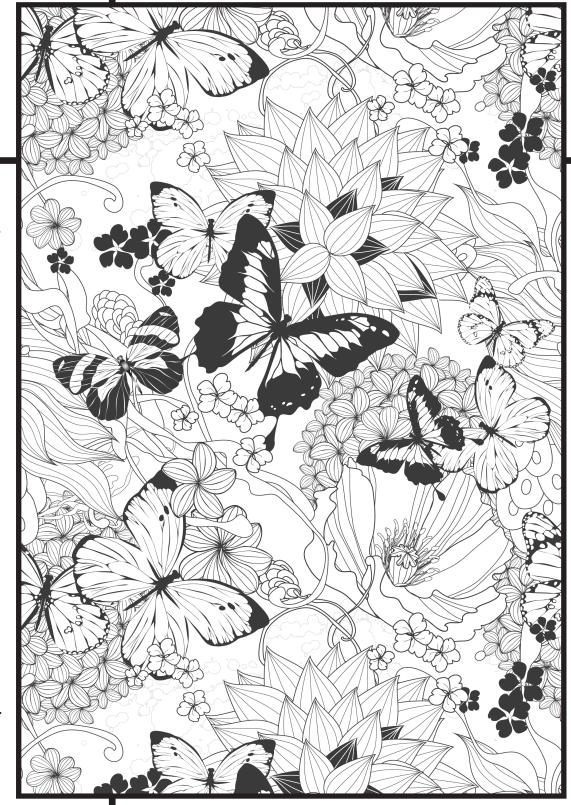
Adopt-a-Street Program

Keeping roadsides free of garbage and debris is one way the City of Mississauga is creating healthy communities. *Adopt-a-Street* is a public service program enabling the participants to pick up litter along certain roadways with City support. *Adopt-a-Street* is also a chance for environmentally conscious citizens to make a personal contribution to a cleaner environment.

Adopt-a-Park Program

Adopt-a-Park is a city-sponsored program which encourages participants to pick up litter in public parks and create healthy communities within our city. Adopting a park also allows organizations, communities and neighbourhoods to become a "Don't be a Litterbug" leader through the adoption of parks.

For more information, please visit: mississauga.ca/portal/residents/adopt-a-street-or-park or email us at litter.bug@mississauga.ca



Not sure where your waste item goes?
Visit: wheredoesitgo.ca

Always stay updated with the Waste Community within Peel Region at: peelregion.ca/waste

Stay updated on Twitter with Mississauga Green @MiLivingGreen



Avoid a mess in your green bin doing this economical craft at home with the kids and some spare newspaper!

Step One:

Stack 3 to 4 sheets of unfolded newspaper on top of each other

Step Two:

Follow the rest of the steps in the instructional YouTube video at: youtube.com/watch?v=BfEX85V9n8w

Once you are done with this activity page, hang your beautiful artwork on the fridge or create a paper herb planting pot by achieving this 1st step of the instructional video available at this link: youtube.com.watch?v=7dlGQP81yfo

