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Too Much Waste

← Read pages 4–5.

1 Circle the correct words.

- 1 In some countries / landfills, one person can make about five / fifteen kilograms of waste every year / day.
- 2 Landfills are very big / small.
- 3 Food waste decomposes slowly / fast.
- 4 Metal materials decompose slowly / fast.
- 5 Glass materials always / never decompose.
- 6 We should make more / less waste.

2 Match.

Waste

1



2



3



4



Material

glass paper plastic some metals

Time to Decompose

from 2 to 5 months

up to 1,000 years

from 80 to 100 years

never

3 Complete the sentences.

use reduce reuse recycle

- 1 We should reduce, _____, and recycle our waste.
- 2 When we make less waste, we _____ our waste.
- 3 When we _____ things, we use them to make something new.
- 4 Around the world, people _____ one million plastic bags every day.

1 Write the words.

clothes batteries computer
television cans shoes



1 batteries



4 _____



2 _____



5 _____



3 _____



6 _____

3 Complete the sentences.

colors glass recycle good plastic cars new

- 1 There's a recycling symbol on a lot of the things that we can _____.
- 2 We can recycle most paper and card to make _____ paper.
- 3 We can recycle most types of _____.
- 4 When we recycle glass, it's good to sort it into different _____.
- 5 We have to recycle different types of _____ in different ways.
- 6 It's _____ to recycle old metal.
- 7 We can recycle metal from cans, _____, and computers.

← Read pages 12–13.

1 Write the words.

bottle phone car
toys refrigerator chair



1 _____



4 _____



2 _____



5 _____



3 _____



6 _____