## **Our Mission**

kNOw waste™

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**Primary School** 

**Education Program** 

The kNOw Waste<sup>™</sup> Primary School Education program is designed to improve students' knowledge of waste and sustainability issues, develop environmental stewardship, and foster future focused behaviours that can make a sustainable future possible.

#### **The Program offers:**

- Workshops presented by gualified **Environmental Educators**
- Practical and fun activities reinforce learning and are tailored to suit each Stage of Learning
- Lessons presented to groups of up to 50 students

#### **How To Book**

If you would like to book an incursion, please fill out the Expression of Interest form with the following details:

- Name of school
- Number of children
- Module of interest

- Preferred dates Address
- Contact number

# **Links to Curriculum**

Each module is linked to outcomes across the national Geography, Science and Technology curriculum, as well as the local curriculum. Stage-specific outcomes can be provided on request.

#### **Cross-curriculum priorities: Sustainability**

Educating students about Sustainability is imperative to creating global citizens who recognise the connection of the human world to the natural world and the importance of practicing sustainable patterns of living in their daily lives. We believe that equipping students with the knowledge, skills and values that balance the needs of today's society with the needs of future generations, is an integral part of their educational journey.

Sustainability is a multifaced area of learning. Our industry knowledge of sustainable waste management practices and resource recovery technologies is a great way to introduce students to practices that have a real-world impact and inspire them to bring sustainability into their home and local community.

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# **Modules**

# Sustainable Shopping

[Science and Maths Mathematics]

Packaging has become a significant part of today's society but simultaneously a large part of our waste stream. Students will learn to interpret

will learn to interpret packaging logos, compare and contrast products and in turn develop lifelong shopping skills that reduce the amount of waste produced at home.



#### **Binwise** [Geography + Science]

Create active and informed citizens by developing your students' knowledge of their Council waste services, and the different ways waste is managed sustainably. Join us as we discuss solutions from all levels of the waste hierarchy that are authentic, easy, and effective ways to

care for and look after our environment.



## Materials Matter [Science]

Is our rubbish just wasted resources? Students will go on a journey to uncover which precious resources create our most common recyclable materials, their recycling processes and why recycling right can contribute to a successful circular economy and their own sustainable future.

# Ocean's Plastic [Science and Geography]

Our oceans are estimated to have more plastic than fish by 2050, which will directly impact this generation of students. Students will explore the issue of plastic pollution and its ability to change our landscapes and impact wildlife. They will discover everyday solutions they can implement to care for their environment.

# Nature's Recyclers [Science: Living World]

Explore how to recycle organic waste and how people can influence their local environment by reducing their contribution to landfill. Students will meet and learn about the fascinating living creatures found in compost bins and worms farms that are part of nature's own recycling process.

## Litter, Litter Everywhere [Geography]

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Litter in schools quickly becomes litter in the street and part of the wider environment. Students will conduct a school-based investigation that establishes where litter is found, and where it could end up, then discuss solutions to avoid littering behaviour in the first place.

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