School Resources

Schedule a Speaker

Speakers are available at no cost for classroom discussions about recycling, composting, vermicomposting or managing food waste. Presentations are grade/age appropriate for each age group and are interactive including bringing a working worm bin with live worms. Speakers are also available for after-school clubs and homeschool groups.

3rd - 12th grades

FREE Vermicomposting or Composting Bin

Schools with a garden can get a FREE composting or vermicomposting bin. Start a school composting program and teach kids about soil and the earth. Request a bin by submitting a letter from your school principal. One bin per school

Visit the Education Center

Your students can visit the Lamb Canyon landfill in Beaumont to see first hand the importance of recycling and managing waste. Visits available by appointment only:
Monday - Thursday, 9am - 1:30pm
3rd - 12th grades

Composting Mentor

Does your school have a garden? Do you need help with composting? We can help! We can assign an Outreach Volunteer to become your school’s composting mentor.
Call 951-486-3200 and ask to speak to a Recycling Specialist

Smarter Lunchrooms

Studies show that up to 40% of school cafeteria food is thrown out. And 1 in 8 CA families are food insecure. We can help your school develop food reduction and rescue programs.
For more information, visit www.smarterlunchrooms.org

California Education and the Environment Initiative

Learn how to make environmental literacy an integral part of K-12 instruction. EEI provides educators with professional learning and instructional materials that demonstrate how to blend the environment into the teaching of traditional academic subjects like science, history, and English language arts.
For more information, visit www.californiaeei.org/curriculum

To learn more, or to schedule a speaker, visit www.rcwaste.org/school or call 951-486-3200