

Recycling Counts!



It takes more energy to make a new can or bottle than it does to reuse a recycled one. The energy saved by recycling can be used to power things with electricity, like a light bulb or TV.



It takes five plastic bottles to make one recycled fiberfilled ski jacket.

5 plastic bottles = 1 jacket

How many jackets can be made from the plastic bottles you recycled?

Number you recycled _____ ÷ 5 = _____ Number of jackets

Remember... We have a deposit law for carbonated beverages and beer, so you can bring your clean, empty deposit bottles and cans back to the store for your five cents!

DEC campgrounds have Recycling Centers to collect your recyclable materials. Keep track of how many aluminum cans, plastic bottles and newspapers you recycle during your stay at our campground and see how you helped our environment!

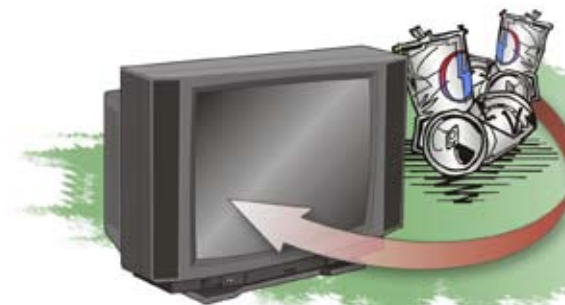
One pound of recycled newspapers can make six cereal boxes. Two or three average daily newspapers equal one pound.



1 pound of papers = 6 cereal boxes

How many cereal boxes can be made from the paper you recycled?

Pounds of paper recycled _____ X 6 = _____ Number of boxes



For every aluminum can you recycle, the energy saved can run your TV for three hours!

1 aluminum can = 3 hours of TV

How many hours of TV can you watch from the cans you recycled?

Number you recycled _____ X 3 = _____ Hours of TV