

Sustainability for your child care

Campbelltown City Council offers a range of sustainable education activities that are hands-on and fun for children, and are absolutely FREE!

Nothing is lost when you COMPOST!

Did you know that 50% of the waste that we generate in our daily lives is organic matter which can be recycled?

It comes composting! Composting is a great way to reduce the amount of waste that goes into your red bin, which is not only a great environmental initiative, but can help to save you money by reducing the need to empty your bin. Not to mention, it's a brilliant natural fertiliser for your veggie garden!

"Nothing is lost when you COMPOST" is a very hands-on program that will allow children and staff to:

- Discover what composting is
- Learn why our plants love compost and why it is so good for the environment
- Witness a visual demonstration of the ingredients and layering of a compost bin
- Receive a free compost bin for the centre to use
- Receive educational material, including a composting fact sheet that can help you carry on with your composting career
- Have access to Council staff for follow-up questions and trouble-shooting.



Become a worm farmer!

Just like composting, worm farms are a great way to reduce the amount of organic matter we are unnecessarily throwing into our red bin! They produce 100% natural fertiliser so you don't have to buy expensive artificial fertiliser for your garden.

Through the "Become a worm farmer" program, children and staff will:

- Discover what worm farming is
- Learn how worms turn our leftovers into liquid gold for our plants and why it is so good for the environment
- Receive a free worm farm
- Receive educational material, including a composting fact sheet that can help you carry on with your composting career
- Have access to Council staff for follow-up questions and trouble-shooting.



The journey of your recycling bin!

Have you ever wondered what happens to your recycling after you put it in the bin, or whether you are putting your plastic container into the right bin?

Through the "Journey of your recycling bin" program, children will develop knowledge and skills that will empower them to become recycling ambassadors.

Through the program, children and staff will:

- Discover what can be recycled and what cannot
- Learn the journey of our recycling when it gets picked up from our homes and workplace through fun games and activities
- Learn how to set up a recycling system within their very own centre
- Be given a 70L recycling and general waste bin to help them become recycling champions
- Receive educational material, including recycling fun facts that can help you carry on with your recycling initiatives.



Why not book this workshop to coincide with National Recycling Week (Nov 7-13)