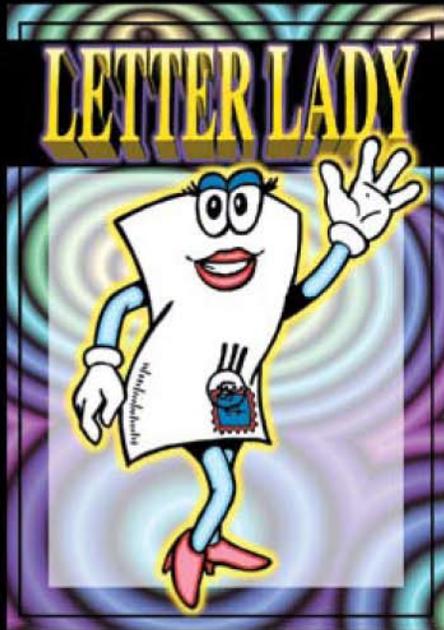
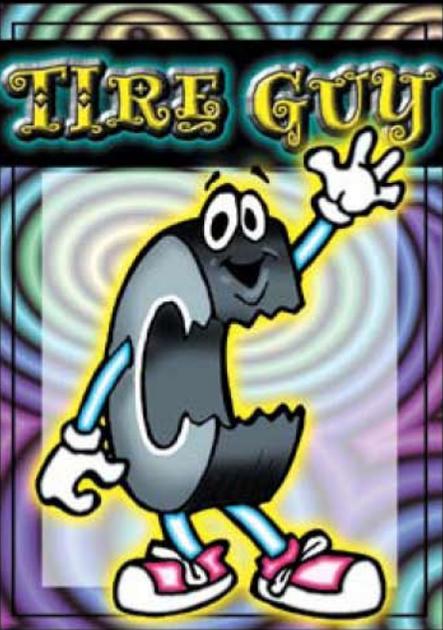


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DID YOU KNOW?

Recycled oil can be made into new oil and other lubricants.

RECYCLING TIPS:

You can recycle your used oil filters and motor oil bottles with your used oil.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Soda bottles can be recycled into new containers, T-shirts, stuffed animals and carpet.

RECYCLING TIPS:

Remove the cap, rinse and flatten. Remember to recycle those single-serve soft drink bottles, too!

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DID YOU KNOW?

The U.S. Postal Service is having pencils made out of undeliverable mail.

RECYCLING TIPS:

You're not recycling if you're not buying recycled. The U.S. Postal Service buys more than \$160 million in products made from recycled materials each year.

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DID YOU KNOW?

In South Carolina, the U.S. Postal Service uses re-refined oil, recycled tires and recycled batteries in each of its 1800 - plus vehicles.

RECYCLING TIPS:

The U.S. Postal Service in South Carolina makes money by recycling items and saves money by not having to pay to throw them away.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Keeping tires properly inflated makes them last longer and can increase gas mileage by up to 5 percent.

RECYCLING TIPS:

Tires can be recycled into rubber to make roads, mats, walkways and even pens!

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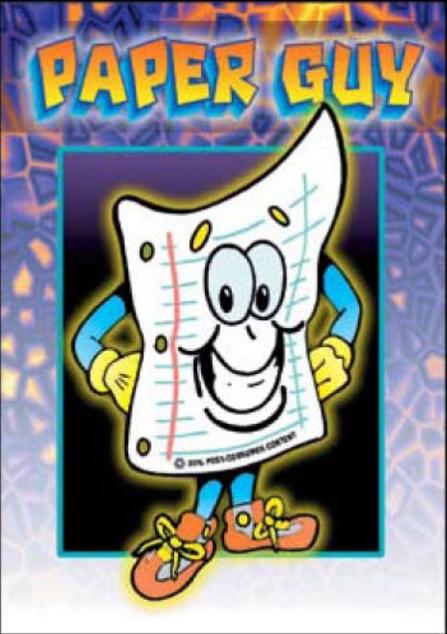
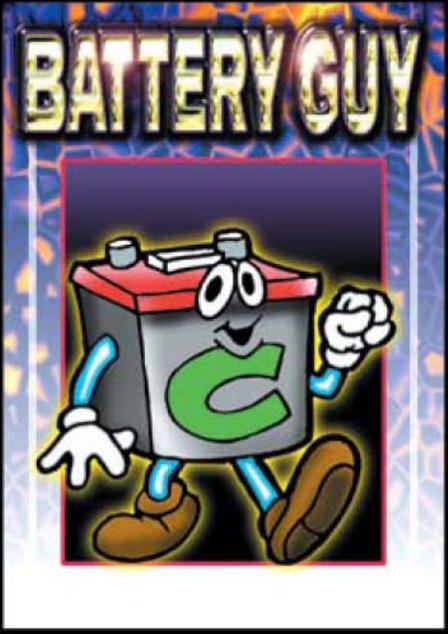
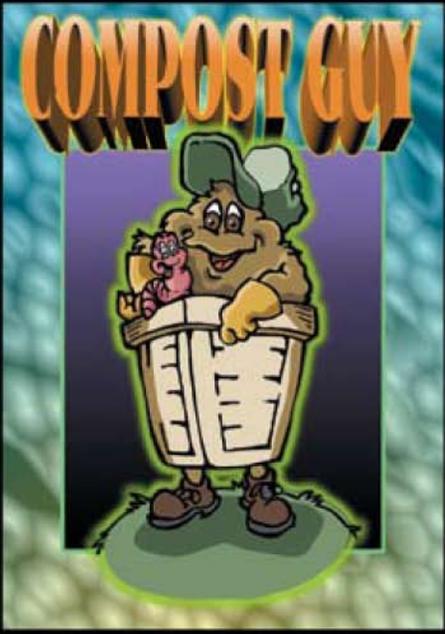
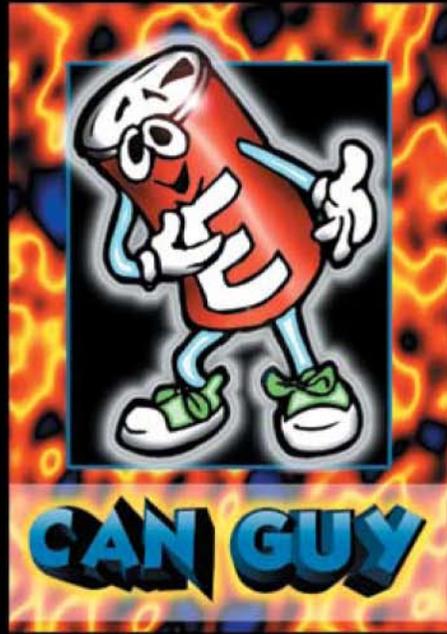
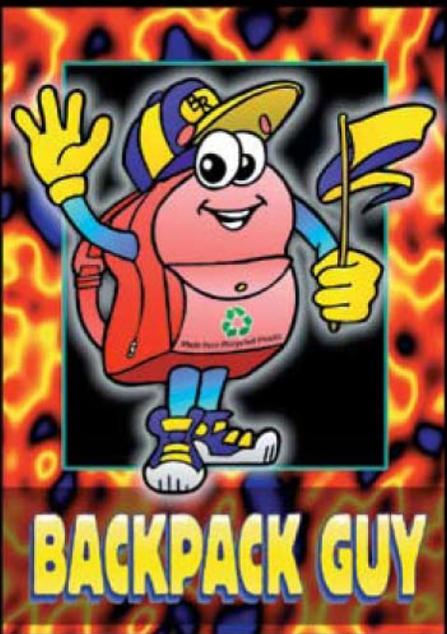
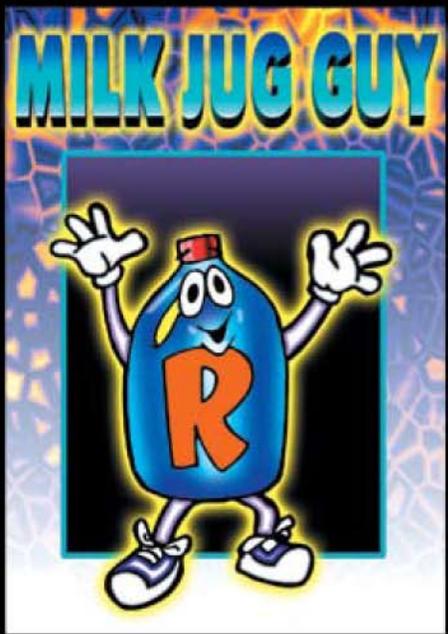
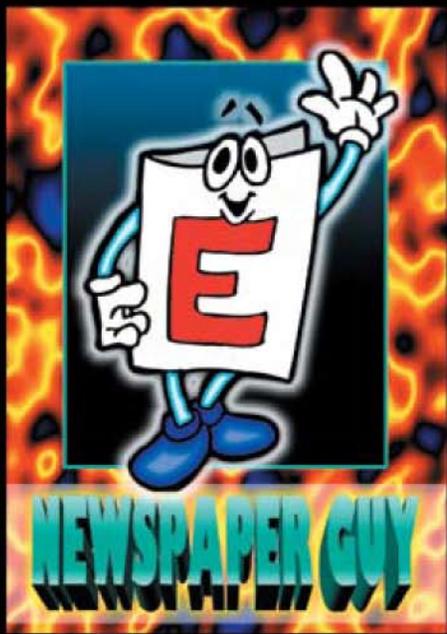


CHECKLIST:

- 1 Milk Jug Guy
- 2 Newspaper Guy
- 3 Battery Guy
- 4 Plastic Bottle Guy
- 5 Tire Guy
- 6 Dottie Bottle
- 7 Can Guy
- 8 Motor Oil Guy
- 9 Letter Lady
- 10 Compost Guy
- 11 Box Guy
- 12 Team Card



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DID YOU KNOW?

Almost all your school supplies can be made from recycled materials, including backpacks made from recycled plastic soft drink bottles.

RECYCLING TIPS:

Buy recycled content school supplies whenever possible.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Milk jugs can be recycled into new containers plastic lumber, car parts and shopping carts.

RECYCLING TIPS:

Remove the cap, rinse and flatten. Remember to recycle those single-serve milk bottles, too!

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DID YOU KNOW?

Glass is 100 percent recyclable and can be recycled over and over.

RECYCLING TIPS:

Glass always should be separated by color (clear, green and brown) for recycling.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Recycled paper can be made into notebook paper, grocery bags, envelopes and other items.

RECYCLING TIPS:

Always use both sides of your paper, then recycle it.

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DID YOU KNOW?

We throw away more paper than any other material - about 40 percent of the total waste stream in the U.S.

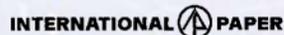
RECYCLING TIPS:

Buy recycled paper. Use both sides. Participate in your school's recycling program.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Car and truck batteries must be recycled in South Carolina - it's the law.

RECYCLING TIPS:

When you buy a new car or truck battery, give the store your old one so they can recycle it.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Compost is nature's way of recycling. You can reduce your yard and food waste by composting. Learn how to do it.

RECYCLING TIPS:

Materials you can compost include grass cuttings, leaves and many foods.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Aluminum cans may be back on the store shelf within six weeks of being recycled.

RECYCLING TIPS:

Recycling aluminum saves 95 percent of the energy used to make the cans from raw materials.

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