



SCHOOL BATTERY RECYCLING PROGRAM



Did you know up to 95% of a battery can be recovered and recycled?

Your western suburbs school can join our FREE battery recycling program! This program is run by Western Metropolitan Regional Council (WMRC) in Claremont, Cottesloe, Mosman Park, Peppermint Grove and Subiaco local councils. We will recycle your old household batteries so they can be turned into valuable products such as street lights and car parts, rather than go to waste.

How does the program work?

Schools that sign up for the program receive:

- School visit by Earth Carers staff to discuss how best to run program in their school with interested students, teachers and/or parents.
- Metal battery recycling bin with liners.
- Posters and take home battery recycling bags.
- Launch of program at your school assembly by Earth Carers staff and battery mascot.
- Quarterly collection and weighing of batteries, regular feedback and on-going mentoring and support.



Battery recycling bin

The bin can be decorated in a way to suit the school, to engage students and provide ownership of the bin and the program.



Students at Quintilian School with their battery bin

Schools battery recycling Competition

Every year the school who collects the most batteries per number of students will receive a prize! So get recycling!

More information

For more information or to join the schools battery recycling program, please contact the **WMRC Western Earth Carers** on phone 9384 4003 or email earthcarers@wmrc.wa.gov.au.



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