Activity: Invite a Recycling Rep to Your Class

Background:
Does your town have curb-side recycling or any type of recycling facility? Is there a local non-profit whose mission involves recycling or energy conservation? Learn the ins-and-outs of all things environmentally friendly in your community by inviting a recycling representative to speak to your class.

Point Value:
12 points

Key Themes:
Scraping  Energy Conservation

Procedure:
1. Have your students research environmental resources and organizations in your community. Here are some terms they can Google to find out: [your town] recycling, energy conservation, environment. Create a list of organizations and zero in on the ones you might be interested in contacting to send a representative to your class.

2. To prepare for any visitors, find out as much as you can about their business or organization and write down questions you want to ask on note cards.

3. Don’t forget to send a thank-you note to your guest speaker.