



Activity: Scrap Catchers!

Background:

Whether you call them cootie catchers or fortune tellers, this paper origami activity can teach your students about recycling and energy conservation through fun & games.

Point Value:

8 points

Key Themes:



Scrapping



Energy
Conservation

Procedure:

1. Have your students research and write down 4 short recycling facts and 4 short energy conservation facts.
2. From these facts, they compose 8 questions and answers and use them to fill out the Scrap Catcher template. Decorate Scrap Catcher if time allows.
3. Student will fold up their Scrap Catcher and test their friends' knowledge of recycling and energy conservation. If your students need help folding, show them this tutorial: <http://www.instructables.com/id/How-to-make-a-cootie-catcher/?ALLSTEPS>
4. Got more facts to share? Make another Scrap Catcher!

Materials:

Provided by Museum:




- Scrap catcher template

Provided by you and/or student:

- Art supplies- pencils, markers, colored pencils, etc.

MAKE A SCRAP CATCHER!

DIRECTIONS: Research recycling and energy conservation facts and figures. Then compose 4 recycling questions and 4 energy conservation questions and write them in below. Don't forget to write the answers, too. When you're done, decorate, cut out and fold up your scrap catcher. See if your friends are as smart about recycling as you!

	Recycling Question #2	Recycling Question #3	
Recycling Question #1	Recycling Answer #2	Recycling Answer #3	Recycling Question #4
Recycling Answer #1	Recycling Answer #4	Recycling Answer #1	Recycling Answer #4
Energy Conservation Question #4	Energy Conservation Answer #3	Energy Conservation Answer #2	Energy Conservation Question #1
Energy Conservation Question #3	Energy Conservation Answer #1	Energy Conservation Answer #4	Energy Conservation Question #2
	Energy Conservation Question #3	Energy Conservation Question #2	