

## Sustainability and Recycling In Ber 3



I am in the compost group. First you have to put hats on and your gloves on. Then you go outside. You have to put some fruit scraps, horse poo, hay, sticks, leaves and gumnuts in the Compost tumbler. In my group I have Halle, Oscar, Kayden, Imogen and Zeke. Sometimes people from the other classes give us their scraps.

*By Caitlyn*



**For sale**  
Wormy Squirmy Juice  
\$1 per bottle



**Wanted: Empty 2 litre milk bottles**



**Composting scrap from all of the classes**



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In Ms Churchett's class room we do jobs. What job do I do? "Mitchell's hopping mice." How I do this job? I turn the tap on and wash my hands with only water. Then I get a board out and cut up celery and carrots and we feed the mice salt bush. We feed them one piece at a time. We also feed them with lots of bird seed and sun flower seeds. How we feed them? What we do to feed them is we take the lid off and drop the food in and some of the Hopping mice eat and some just keep resting. Our group names are Mason, Jordan, Tess, Cohen and Elissa.

*By Jordan*



Recyclers sort out bottles and put them in the correct bins.  
**-Metal  
 -Plastic  
 -Glass**



In Ms Churchett's class we have Compost and a Garden, "Mitchell's Hopping mice", a Worm farm and Recycling. With the Hopping mice we have to feed them carrot, celery, apple, sultanas and saltbush. With the Worm farm we make "Wormy Squirmy" and we sell it for one dollar. With the garden we plant seeds. With the Recycling we take it to the Recycle centre and for every can or bottle we give them, we get 10 cents. My job is to feed the Hopping mice. The people in my group are Jordan, Tess, Cohen, Annabella and Elissa.

By Mason



**The worm farm**

Our Environmental Programme is progressing well and the children are keen to carry out the duties and work in their teams. Our responsibilities involve managing our "Mitchell's Hopping mice", the worm farm and the 'Wormy Squirmy' business, composting, gardening and recycling. We sell our 'wormy squirmy' fertilizer for \$1 for 2 litres. All money raised this year will help to pay for a new shed to store our recycling bins in. Thank you to all parents who have bought some bottles already this term and for the donation of the milk containers and refundable drink bottles etc.

- Vivienne Churchett



**Bottling the wormy squirmy juice.**