

A Family Project for First Grade

Why?

To show how we can <u>reuse</u> or <u>recycle</u> things that we normally throw away.

How?

You may only use items from your garbage can. Wash them well. You may use bottles, cans, paper, or broken toys. Work with your family to build a GARBAGE MONSTER! Be sure to have an adult do any hot gluing or cutting. Please make your monster between 12 and 20 inches tall. (We want to be able to see it but don't have the storage for giant monsters! (2) It must have the following:

- Head
- Body
- Eyes, nose and mouth
- Arms and legs (or feet)
- You may add other things if you want

What?

The student must be able to answer these questions as you share your GARBAGE MONSTER with your class:

- What is its name?
- What does it do to help the Earth?
- What are some other ways you could reuse the items you used to build your GARBAGE MONSTER?

When?

Due <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>April 18</u>— You may bring your **GARBAGE**MONSTER to school as soon as you finish it. No late projects are accepted. (Project directions were sent home on April 4th.)