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City of New York, Michael J. Bloomberg, Mayor
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John J. Doherty, Commissioner
June, 2004



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FOR TODDS SOUPOS

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Our Lady Queen
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Martyrs School

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Grades 5-8
Mrs. Ramsey

March 2004



Our Lady Queen of Martyrs School

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March 31, 2004

Recycle

Our Lady Queen of Martyrs School is serious and dedicated to recycling and helping to keep our neighborhood clean and safe. Since O.L.Q.M have been taking part in the Golden Apple Awards contest, the school has an ongoing recycling and composting program. In September, five to six students from each grade level are chosen to collect the paper for weighing and recycling. Collect the bottles and cans leftover food and food that was thrown out for composting and another group to aid in the greenhouse (bought from money won from Golden Apple award.) Each lunchtime, the principal take this group of students to the greenhouse on the roof where they prepare pots and seeds for planting. Seeds are sowed; flowers and plants are planted and are given to classrooms. For spring and summer vegetables are grown and are given to students, teachers, and parents.

Another recycling program at O.L.Q.M is the recycling of computer inkjet printer cartridges and laser jet cartridges (booklet enclosed). Everyday two six-grade students collect the cartridges and at the end of a two-month period, they are mailed out to Recycles USA,

Groups also work with the community garden RING by planting and cleaning. For spring, this is a flower show and people are allowed to purchase plants.

Please note that although some projects are titled Team Up to Clean up, based on what the students did, they are placed accordingly. Most students title their projects Team up to clean up although they were told what to do.



A group of eighth graders did an amazing job in helping a super clean and renovate an apartment for rent. The amazing part was that these particular students gave up their "hanging out time". Of course they were complimented and received a good grade for their hard work.

The students in lower grades are anxiously awaiting to take part in this project. One project was working with 34 precincts, the neighborhood precinct. Students from grades five to eight, painted, cleaned, and set out recycling stations at the precinct.

Some groups decided to bring back leaves from the park after cleaning. All the students had a wonderful time even in the time that it snowed. It was a great opportunity for them to work together and for me to see their work outside of the classroom.

Please
Recycle!!



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8th Grader

By: Michael Rivera



Michael Rivera

Singing:
Team Up to Reuse



Team Up 2 Clean Up

It's R-E to the cycle man//
My squad here boy to recycle man//
I row with more then a hydro man //
Move wild for this like a cycle man //
Put the can in the blue//
Yeah! Do that thurr//
Come bring your hole crew//
I know you heard//
Keep it clean for the youth//
Act like you care//
Just do it for your troops//
No reason being scurred//

Team Up 2 Clean Up! 4xs

Put the paper in the green//
Don't cause a scene//
Keep it clean like you sober//
End it wit the lid cause the game is over//

Team Up 2 Clean Up! 4xs

Repeat verse 1

Team Up 2 Clean Up!

By: Michael Rivera

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Chains of the World Rap

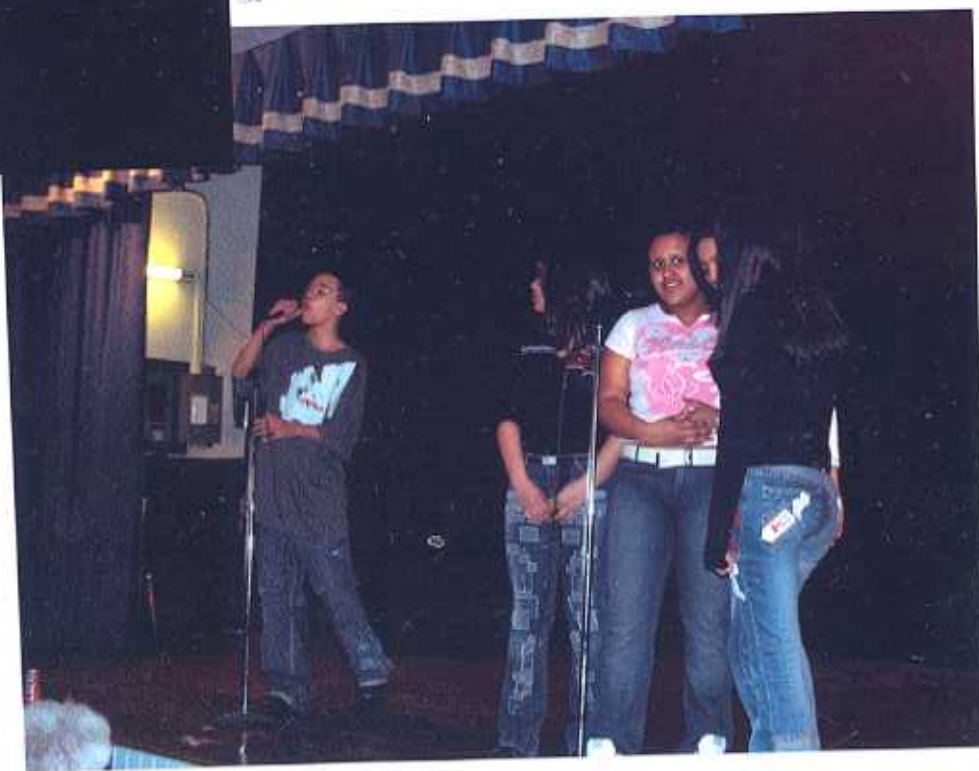
8th Grade

By: Juan Sanchez



Juan Sanchez

Singing:
Chains of the World



Chains of the World

By: Juan Sanchez

Chorus x2

Free up the world from its chains
Pollution is the one to blame
The reason we here's to proclaim
Don't bring this world to a shame

Verse 1

All ya people in the front
Ya better listen to my stunt
It all begins with recycling
Throw your garbage in the blue and green
Clean up the world while traveling
Make this a better place from what is seen
So try your best on listening
This world is prone to an early death
This won't happen to the world, unless
We can give this world our best
My team's better then the rest
We gotta save this environment

Chorus x2

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Verse 2

I'ma bring you my new lesson
My teams gonna bring perfection
Here to make our contribution
We can't let it come to fear
Clean up the trash is why we here
Listen to the words that we speak

Telling that pollution's bleak
But we're on our winning streak
To get that world that we seek
Triple R is the our technique
We gotta change this worlds physique
Pollution here's for us to beat

Chorus x2

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Verse 3

The name of the game is Avengance
So don't clean up at your expense
Can't let go for your last chance
Don't look at me with dismay
You gotta clean up for everyday
Its bad for you, or so they say
We gonna hit you up with full force
Trash masters we gotta enforce
To make our world reborn
People gonna flock to adorn
So let's not go ahead and cheat
We join together and clean the streets
So try and keep up wit the pace
This world's here for us to embrace
Don't go down and be a disgrace
Pick up your trash from everyplace

Chorus x2

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Our Lady Queen of Martyrs School



Anthony Urena
Arnaldo Perez
Franco Arias
Eric Crispin
Kenneth Hinnestroza

Students throw garbage all over the floor in the backyard when they have recess and lunch. They do not realize how much they are hurting our environment. That is why we cleaned our school's backyard.

When we first entered the backyard we observed how dirty it was. We found all kinds of garbage. We wanted to clean our backyard to help our school become a better place and to make others happy.

When we first began we saw a lot of work needed to be done. So we got our brooms and began sweeping up all of the garbage. Then we collected cans and bottles and placed them in a separate bag so that they can be recycled. We worked on the backyard for almost a week. It was hard for us because each time when we came back there was more garbage. But we worked together as a team to clean and we put signs up telling people to recycle and not to litter.

With our principal's permissions, our teamwork, and our dedication, we were able to clean our backyard and make it look clean again.



This was all the garbage we found when we first entered.



This is a picture of us putting the garbage together.



In this picture we are trying to put the garbage in the dustpan.



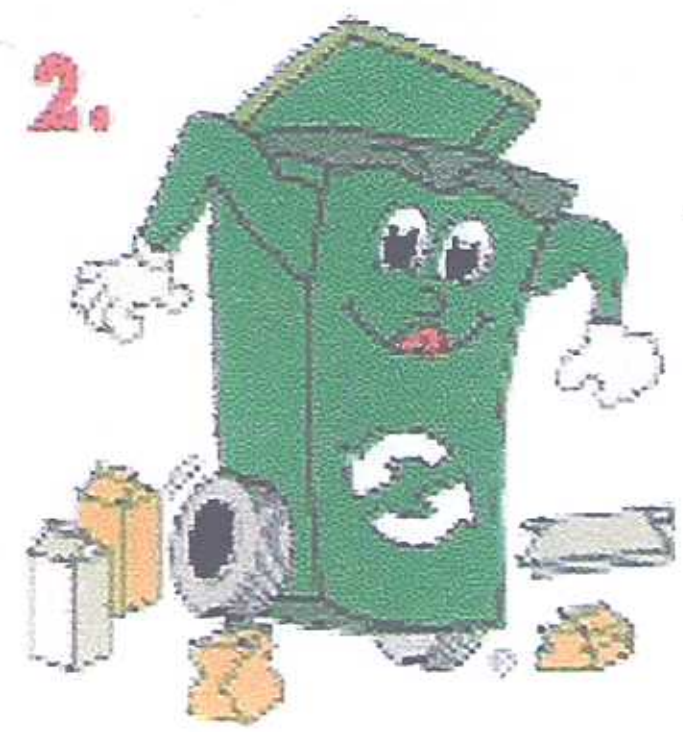
In this picture we were trying to pick up the dirt and the little pebbles.

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Team: Whitney Espejo & Taysha Torres

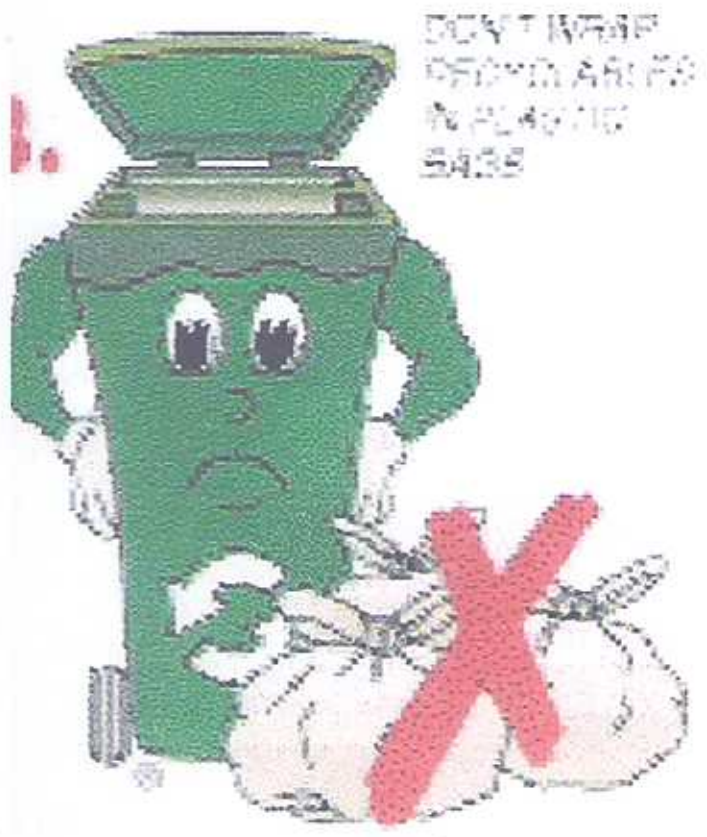
Teacher: Mrs. Ramsey

School: Our Lady Queen of Martrys



CRUSH BULKY ITEMS SUCH
AS DRINK CONTAINERS
AND CARTONS

THANK YOU.



PLACE RECYCLABLE
MATERIALS IN THE BACK
SECTION OF YOUR BIN

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Our school- Our Lady Queen of Martyrs

Johnny Anderson, Jazmin De La Rosa, and Misael Peralta do recycling throughout the school each day. At the end of each week, we take the sorted white recyclable paper and weigh it.

Enclosed are the amounts of papers that are collected in the findings from each room. Teachers and staff are then given notice to pay attention to the classroom in regards to PROPER RECYCLING

SUPER RECYCLERS

We are working on this project called Super Recyclers. Johnny S. Anderson, Misael Peralta, Jazmin De La Rosa attend Our Lady Queen of Martyrs School in upper Manhattan.

Our recycling took place in our school. So far we have been collecting and recording data in our notebook since September 2003.

If we find something non-recyclable in the blue bins we record it in our notebook and warn the teachers to be aware of how they recycle. After we finish our collecting, at the end of the week we observe the weight in kilograms. In the notebook we record the following: its weight and which classrooms needs better recycling. Other parts of our job is to make sure there are enough clear bags in the recycling bins for at least a week.

We have been on this project since September. Usually keeps track of the notebook, Misael and Johnny collect the recycling, keep enough bags in the bin and weigh the recycling.

Proof Work Paper Receipts

Thursday - September 18, 2003

Mrs. Saville - cans 10.5 kg

Mrs. Trilla - candy

Friday - September 19, 2003

Mr. Mangini - cans 15.5 kg

Monday - September 22, 2003

Mr. Mangini - plastic 7.9 kg

Mrs. Resto - gum

Wednesday - September 24, 2003

7.4 kg

Thursday - September 25, 2003

7.7 kg

Friday - September 26, 2003

5.4 kg

Monday - September 29, 2003

Mrs. Fondura - apple 2.8 kg

Mrs. Resto - coffee, bread, soda can

Ms. Saville - candy rapper





SUPER RECYCLERS

Cans and Bottles at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs
School

Kiara Hidalgo
Anthony Urena
6th Mrs. Ramsey

