

Recycling Bin



A. Reading

Steven is throwing paper in the recycling bin behind his office building. The company he works for is participating in a recycling program that saves trees and protects the environment.

The president of the company that Steven works for has asked workers to cut down on the paper they use by printing reports on both sides of the pages and by sending memos and newsletters in emails instead of printing them. This will also save the company money since employees will use less paper and less ink.

B. True or False

1. _____ Steven is throwing paper in a river.
2. _____ The recycling program is good for the environment.
3. _____ To *cut down on* means to *use less*.
4. _____ Workers should print on both sides of the pages.
5. _____ If workers use less paper and ink, the company will save money.

C. Yes or No – What about you?

1. _____ I separate my trash and put paper in a recycling container.
2. _____ I often use both sides of a sheet of paper.

D. Writing – List three things you can do to use less paper.
