

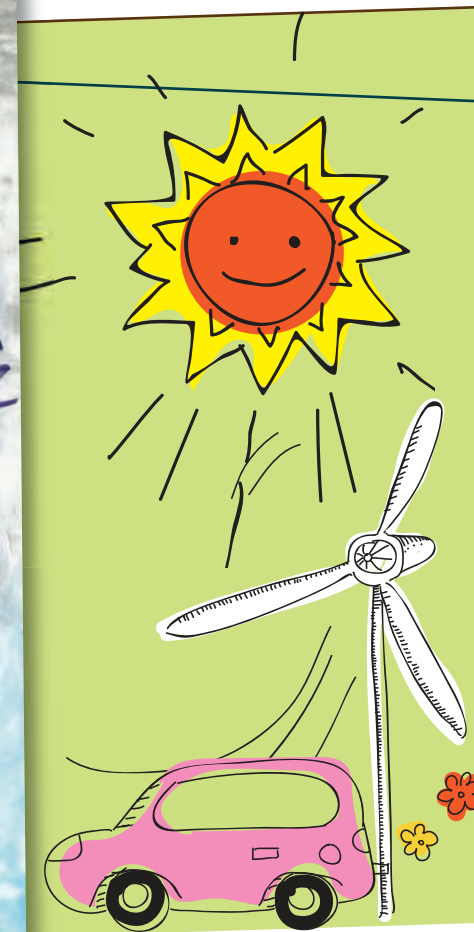
# Féilire Timpeallachta 2018

## 2018 Environmental Calendar



Comhairle Ceantair  
an Iúir, Mhúrn  
agus an Dúin

Newry, Mourne  
and Down  
District Council



Ag freastal ar an Dún  
agus Ard Mhacha Theas  
Serving Down  
and South Armagh

Katie McGivern, Sacred Heart Grammar School, Newry

# Food Recycling

## It really does make a difference

Every household should have a Brown bin to recycle their food waste. If you do not have a Brown bin yet please contact  
T: 0300 013 22 33



## Why recycle your food waste?

### It's the law

From April 2017 recycling all food waste is a legal requirement. No food waste can be disposed of in your Black bin. ALL food waste MUST go into your Brown bin.

### It helps the environment

Food waste that is sent to landfill has a big impact on the environment as it rots and releases methane - a harmful greenhouse gas. By putting your food waste in your Brown bin you help the environment as it is recycled into compost.

### It saves money

It costs twice as much to dispose of food waste in a Black bin, as it does to recycle food waste in a Brown bin. The best thing we can do with our food is eat it but some waste like banana skins, tea bags and plate scrapings are inevitable.



## Surprised at the amount of food waste you have?

You could save money by reducing your food waste. Here are some tips and guidance to help you.



In Northern Ireland we throw away about one third of the food we purchase - half of which is edible!

For practical advice on how to reduce food waste, and save up to £50 per month on your food bill, visit [lovefoodhatewaste.com](http://lovefoodhatewaste.com)



# Kitchen Caddy - Best Practice

- Line the food waste caddy with a compostable liner or newspaper
- Liners must be 10ltr capacity to fit your caddy. To ensure your liners are compostable check they bear the seedling logo
- Households can get a free roll of compostable liners. Details of collection points available on our web site.



# Recycling your food waste is easy



# What can I put in my Brown bin

## ✓ YES PLEASE

food waste	dairy	fish & egg shells	fruit & vegetables	meat & bones
				<b>TOP TIP</b> You can also recycle small amounts of food contaminated cardboard (torn up) ie pizza boxes, shredded paper and used kitchen roll.
bread & pastries	tea & coffee grounds	garden waste	cold ashes	



After recycling your food waste any spare capacity can be used for small amounts of cold ashes and garden waste.

## ✗ NO THANKS

- ✗ Plastic bags
- ✗ Soil or stones
- ✗ Liquids
- ✗ Oil or liquid fats
- ✗ Packaging of any sort
- ✗ Plant pots

Bins containing the wrong material will NOT be lifted

REMEMBER: Packaging should NOT go in your Brown bin. All packaging must be removed and, where recyclable, should be rinsed, squashed and placed in your Blue bin.



For more information Tel: 0300 013 2233

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# Remember the COLOUR CODE





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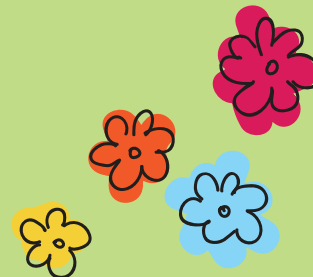
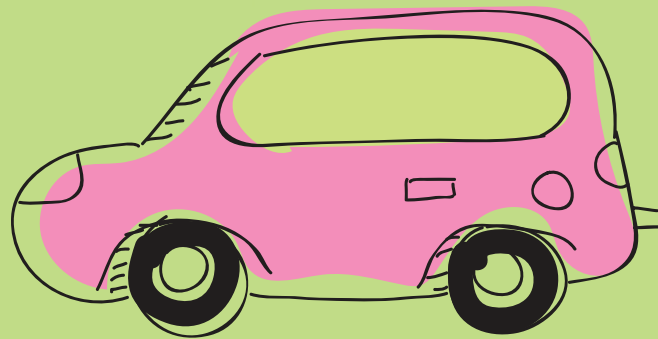
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Eanáir - January





Reannah Patterson, Kilkeel High School



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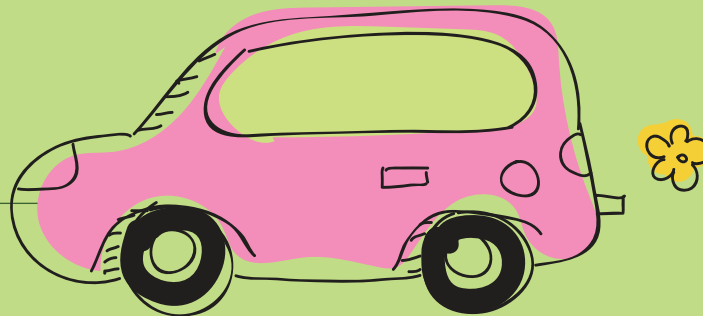
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Feabhra - February

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Lily Ferguson, Annalong Primary School

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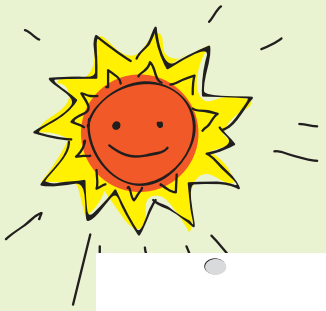
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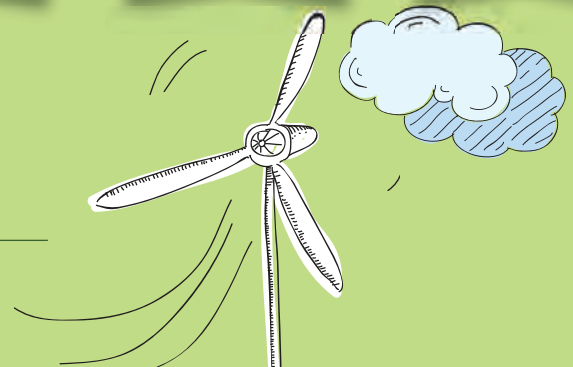
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Plant

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Us bees  
need flowers  
for nectar



Flowers



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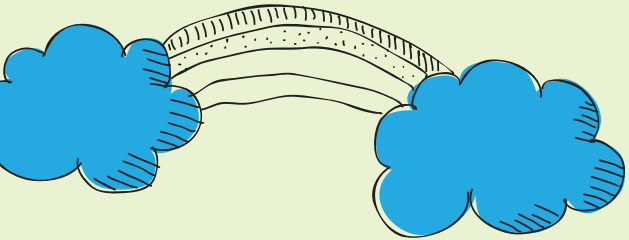
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Aibreán · April





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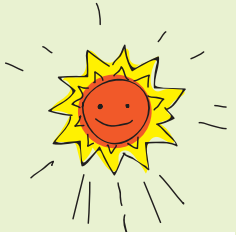
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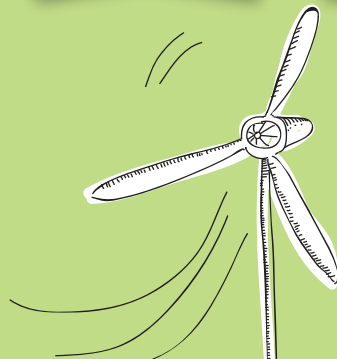
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Bealtaine - May

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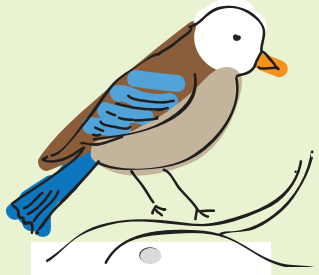
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Meitheamh - June





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Stop Pollution Now!!



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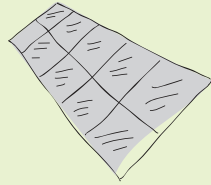
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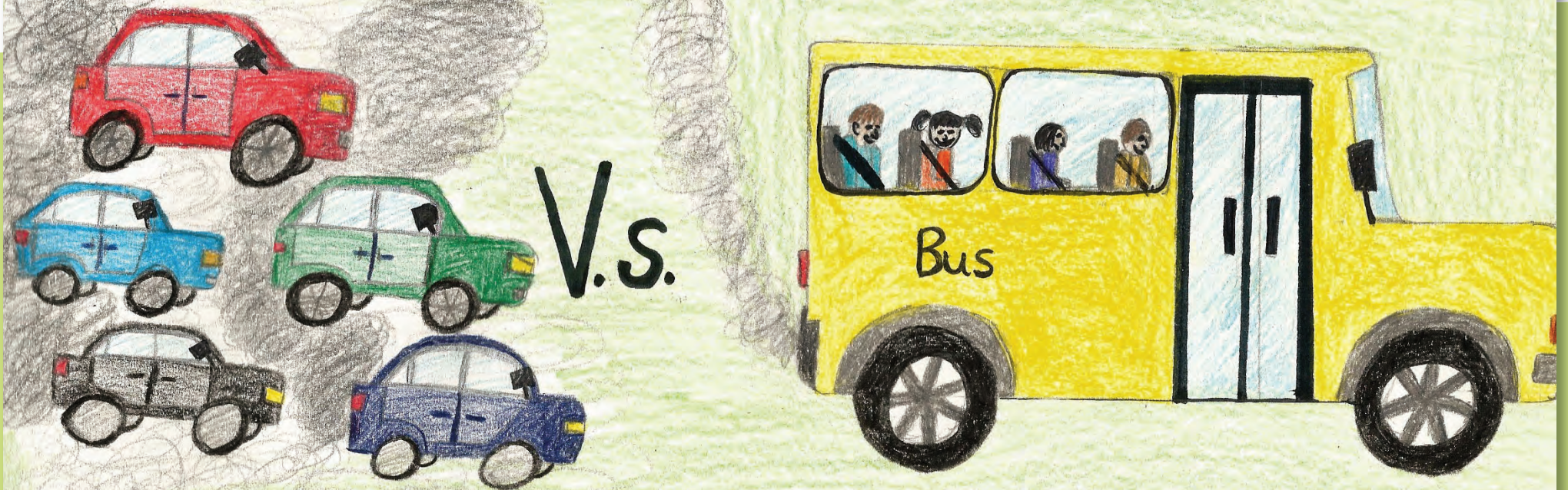
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Take the bus,  
It's a lot less fuss!



And it saves the environment.  
That's a plus!



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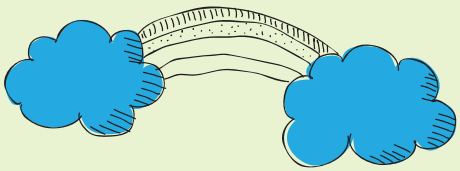
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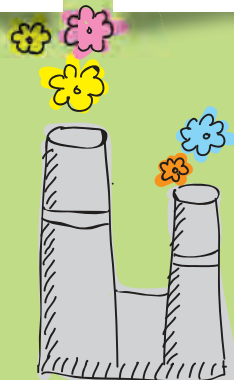
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Meán Fómhair - September





Sharath Chandra Vadiyala, Abbey CBS, Newry



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Deireadh Fómhair - October





Ellie Jo McCabe, Saint Malachy's High School, Castlewellan



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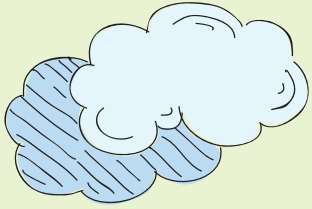
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Samhain - November



# LET'S WRAP UP RECYCLING THIS CHRISTMAS





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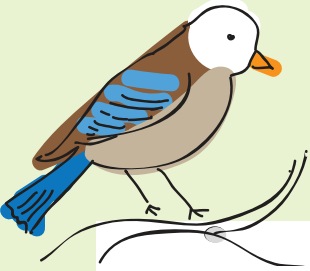
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Nollaig - December

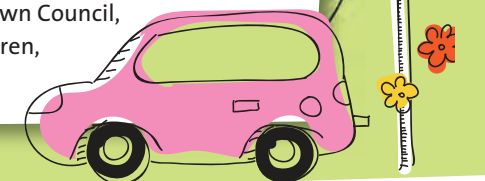




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**MIDDLE ROW L-R** Lily Ferguson Annalong Primary School, Lucia Vallely Saint Malachy's Primary School Ballymoyer, Reannah Patterson Kilkeel High School,



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