



## Composting is good. Good for you, good for the Earth, good for Sharon Schools!

### Composting:

- is a natural process of recycling decomposed organic material such as leaves and vegetable scraps
- improves your garden's ability to grow healthy plants while reducing your volume of trash
- helps tomatoes and other vegetables resist disease and often improves flavor and nutrition
- helps the soil retain moisture
- is so rich in nutrients that gardeners call it Black Gold!

## Sharon schools compost!

Our school cafeterias are now composting. The program is managed by Black Earth Compost which also offers weekly curbside pick-ups in Sharon. You can sign up for curbside composting and Sharon Schools will benefit!

FOR EVERY RESIDENT THAT ENROLLS, SHARON SCHOOLS WILL RECEIVE  
A \$10 DISCOUNT ON THEIR COMPOSTING!

Join your Sharon neighbors in residential curbside pick-up composting.  
It's low-cost and low-maintenance.

You will be helping the Earth by diverting your compostable waste from the trash and turning it into "Black Gold" fertilizer, and you'll also be helping Sharon Public Schools!

### Black Earth Compost accepts:

- fruits • veggies • egg shells • meat • bones • dairy products
- food-soiled paper products • pasta • cookies • tea and coffee grounds

Enroll any time! You'll be able to compost more items than you can in your backyard receptacle and you'll be helping our schools!

Learn more at [www.BlackEarthCompost.com](http://www.BlackEarthCompost.com) or send an email to: [residential@BlackEarthCompost.com](mailto:residential@BlackEarthCompost.com)

Sign up today at <https://blackearthcompost.com/sharon-ma/>

Be sure to mention that you were referred by Sharon Public Schools.

Questions? Contact Kat Nasti, Sharon Schools recycling coordinator,  
by sending an email to: [k\\_nasti@sharon.k12.ma.us](mailto:k_nasti@sharon.k12.ma.us)

