

Having soup for lunch? Recycle your cans!

As the leaves turn color and days grow cool, many of us are starting to bring soup for lunch. Did you know that soup cans are made of steel and that they can be included in the aluminum recycling? If you eat canned food at work (soup, tuna, fruit, etc.), please recycle the cans! Just rinse them well (to prevent odor and pest problems) and place them in the nearest aluminum recycling receptacle.



Steel is one of the most cost effective resources to recycle. Each ton of steel recycled saves: 1.5 tons of iron ore and 1/2 ton of coal, and uses only 25% of the energy and 60% of the water that would be used to produce new steel from raw materials. Furthermore, steel has a long life and can be recycled over and over again. If you were around during World War II, you may even remember the value of scrap steel to our economy and security

The Next time you have soup or soda at work, remember: please recycle *all* of your metal cans!



Recycling is proven to create jobs, and to conserve energy and natural resources. It also decreases the volume of waste material disposed into our local landfills. Kansas - Don't Spoil It. Get Caught Recycling!!

