



Paper Making

40-60 minutes Grades 3-12

STL City Recycles

Get crafty and make your own paper!

Purpose

To teach the basic principles of recycling and sustainability by creating the original recycled material: paper!

Subjects

- Science
- Fine Arts
- Sustainability

Materials Needed

- Paper, newspaper, magazines, etc for creating pulp
- Access to water
- Small towels or paper towels
- Table space

Verification

Age appropriate pre and post-test based on material being covered

Activity

After an introductory presentation about recycling, learners will create their own piece of paper and witness the entire recycling cycle by producing their own paper from pulp created from used paper.