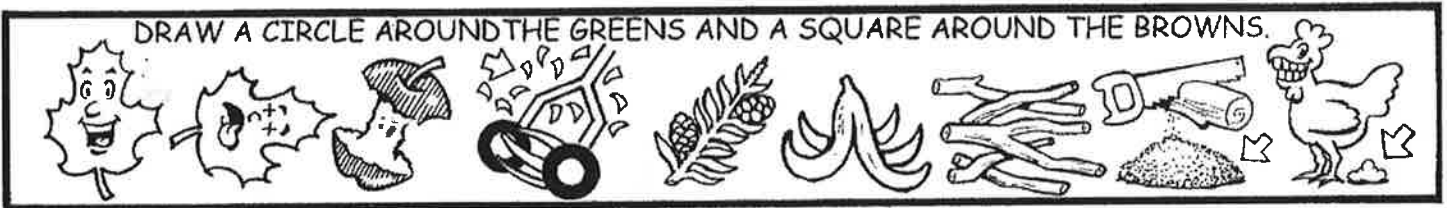


DRAW A CIRCLE AROUND THE GREENS AND A SQUARE AROUND THE BROWNS.



We are building a compost bin for our class garden and would like as many families as possible to pitch in with some of following items. Bring them in on _____ and remember nothing wet or too messy.
Thanks!

Browns

- Shredded newspaper
- Straw
- Bedding from hamsters, guinea pigs, rabbits
- Fall leaves
- Chopped up twigs and small branches
- Pine cones
- Nut shells (avoid walnut shells)
- Toilet paper, paper towel, or wrapping paper tubes (cardboard)
- Fallen bird's nests
- Pine needles/pine straw
- Paper coffee filters (used)
- Pressed paper egg cartons, torn into small pieces
- Sawdust (only from untreated wood)
- Brown paper shopping bags, shredded/torn
- Brown paper lunch bags, shredded/torn
- Wood chips

Greens

- Fruit and vegetable peels
- Citrus rinds
- Melon rinds
- Coffee grounds
- Tea leaves/tea bags
- Old vegetables
- Houseplant trimmings
- Grass clippings
- Fresh leaves
- Flowers
- Dead plants (as long as they aren't diseased)
- Seaweed
- Stale bread
- Corn husks
- Corn cobs
- Broccoli stalks
- Thinnings from the vegetable garden
- Egg shells