

Star Group Sustainability

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Star groupers are on a journey to help our school be more sustainable.

To begin with, at Jemicy we are promoting that students and teachers bring reusable lunch containers, water bottles, and utensils. To do that you will need to take a couple more steps in the morning or the night before. You would not buy Lunchables, and you would take some additional time to make your own. A bonus is that it would be trash free. To do that you will need a container, cheese of some sort, a type of meat, a couple of crackers, and maybe a candy. You can cut the ingredients yourself to make it a healthier lunch. At the same time, it will be better for the earth and save some trash. Next, when you have your chip bags, we have a special place where we collect them to ship to Terracycle. First, we approached Terracycle and told them what we were doing. Now we will gather the Terracycle and ship it out. Then when Terracycle gets it, it is possible that they could make a bench out of the recycled plastic. Last, on Fridays in science, we collect recycling from all over the school. During the week, we produce lots of recycling, and by the end of the week, there is a lot. We help the custodians out and we collect the recycling for them. Star Groupers collect the bins from their assigned rooms. Then we gather the recycling then we take it to the massive recycle spot the recycle people can take it. Then we take the bins back. We do this every week to help our community. In conclusion, Jemicy is now being very sustainable and helping the earth stay alive.