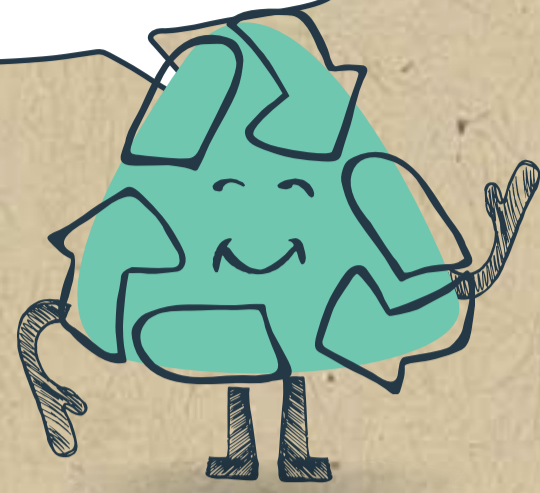


Barwon South West

HOUSEHOLD WASTE HABITS

Hi, I'm Reg the recycling man, check out these facts about household waste habits!



Did you know? In 2018, Barwon South West households generated the following:



22.7 KG
OF WASTE
EVERY WEEK



9779 50 METRE
SWIMMING POOLS
EVERY YEAR

OF THIS...
27%
was recycled

41% went to
LANDFILL

32%
was composted

WASTED OPPORTUNITY

Over **75%** of household waste could be recycled or composted!



Only **52%** of household waste is currently recycled and composted!

WASTE FACTS:

GREENHOUSE GASES
As waste breaks down it produces
HARMFUL
GREENHOUSE GASES

TOXIC 
TOXIC LIQUIDS released from waste can pollute the ENVIRONMENT


Landfilling costs over
\$11 MILLION
EACH YEAR


VALUABLE MATERIALS are lost when recyclable materials ARE LANDFILLED

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