



## Earth Smart

**1** Using the contents page, which chapter are you most interested in learning about?

*Common Core State Standards (Reading: Informational text): RI.2.5*

**2** Write a caption for the picture on page 10.

*Common Core State Standards (Reading: Informational text): RI.2.7*

**3** Add labels to the pictures on page 14 to identify the different materials for recycling.

*Common Core State Standards (Reading: Informational text): RI.2.7*

**4** What does the fact box on page 27 tell you about organic food?

*Common Core State Standards (Reading: Informational text): RI.2.5*

**5** Use the glossary to explain what a landfill is. Then use the index to find out what page to go to in order to find out more.

*Common Core State Standards (Reading: Informational text): RI.2.1, 2.5*

**6** Create a poster about the benefits of recycling.

*Common Core State Standards (Reading: Informational text): RI.2.1*

## **Answers**

1 Answers will vary.

2 Answers will vary. Example answer: Trash cans are emptied into a garbage truck, which takes the trash to a landfill site.

3 glass, can, can, plastic, plastic

4 Organic food is grown without chemicals, which makes it harder to grow and therefore more expensive.

5 A landfill site is a large hole in the ground that is filled with trash and covered over with soil; page 11.

6 Answers will vary.