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SCHOOL RECYCLING IS HERE!

It's official! Recycling is now being phased in at all four Manhasset public schools. Thanks to a Town of North Hempstead initiative, every classroom and all cafeterias will soon be supplied with recycling bins for papers and plastics/bottles/aluminum.

Let's all help support getting this wonderful effort off the ground. Here's what we can do:

- First of all, let's discuss the new recycling program at home. Make sure the kids are aware of the effort (it is already happening in the elementary schools), especially in the cafeterias, and that they do their part to separate their trash.
- When visiting the schools, please remember to recycle.
- Let's try to set a good example for the children by carrying our water in reusable, stainless steel bottles.
- Like everything else, recycling begins at home. We should all work toward having designated trash areas for paper, plastics/bottles, and regular trash.
- When entertaining at home, if there will be beverages served in individual bottles, try to put out a separate container for recyclables. The kids can make a festive sign to mark the container.

Please be on the lookout for more information and specifics on this exciting program in the coming weeks, as it is fully implemented in all schools.

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