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Dear Parents and KJS community,

It is a great pleasure to share with you the success so far of our recently implemented Recycling Station which has been generously supported by our PTA. Over the last year our staff and students have been putting systems in place to ensure we all make better habits and take action to make a positive difference in the world. If you are interested in the breakdown of our school recycling please click the link to see our <u>recent recycling report</u>.

In order for our efforts towards living and learning more sustainably to have the greatest impact, it is vital to involve as much of our school community as possible. I therefore ask for your support at home. Please ask your children to be involved in sorting, cleaning and recycling your recyclable household waste, where appropriate. This would also be a great opportunity to discuss the need to reduce our waste and make some family pledges to do so (e.g. reducing or removing the use of plastic wrap, buying loose fruit and vegetables, re-using shopping bags etc).

You can also help by sending your child to school with non-packaged snacks and lunches. This benefits both our planet and the health of your children. The links below have great ideas that you can use and share with your children, aunties and caregivers, however, please note that KJS is a NUT-FREE school. As always, the more you involve the children, the more they will learn about and support these healthy choices.

https://www.hsph.harvard.edu/nutritionsource/kids-healthy-lunchbox-guide/

https://www.kidspot.com.au/health/early-life-nutrition/features/11-quick-and-easy-ways-to-make-a-nude-food-lunch-box/news-story/a65ebe48fb3e0ed45f048df09674ade0

If you would like more information on healthy food choices to share with your family and caregivers, please send an email to gillian.hadley@kjs.edu.hk







Thank you for your support in making KJS a sustainable community that takes action to make a positive difference in the world. I look forward to sharing more success, tips, and information with you in the future.

Kindest regards,

The Sustainability Advocacy Team

