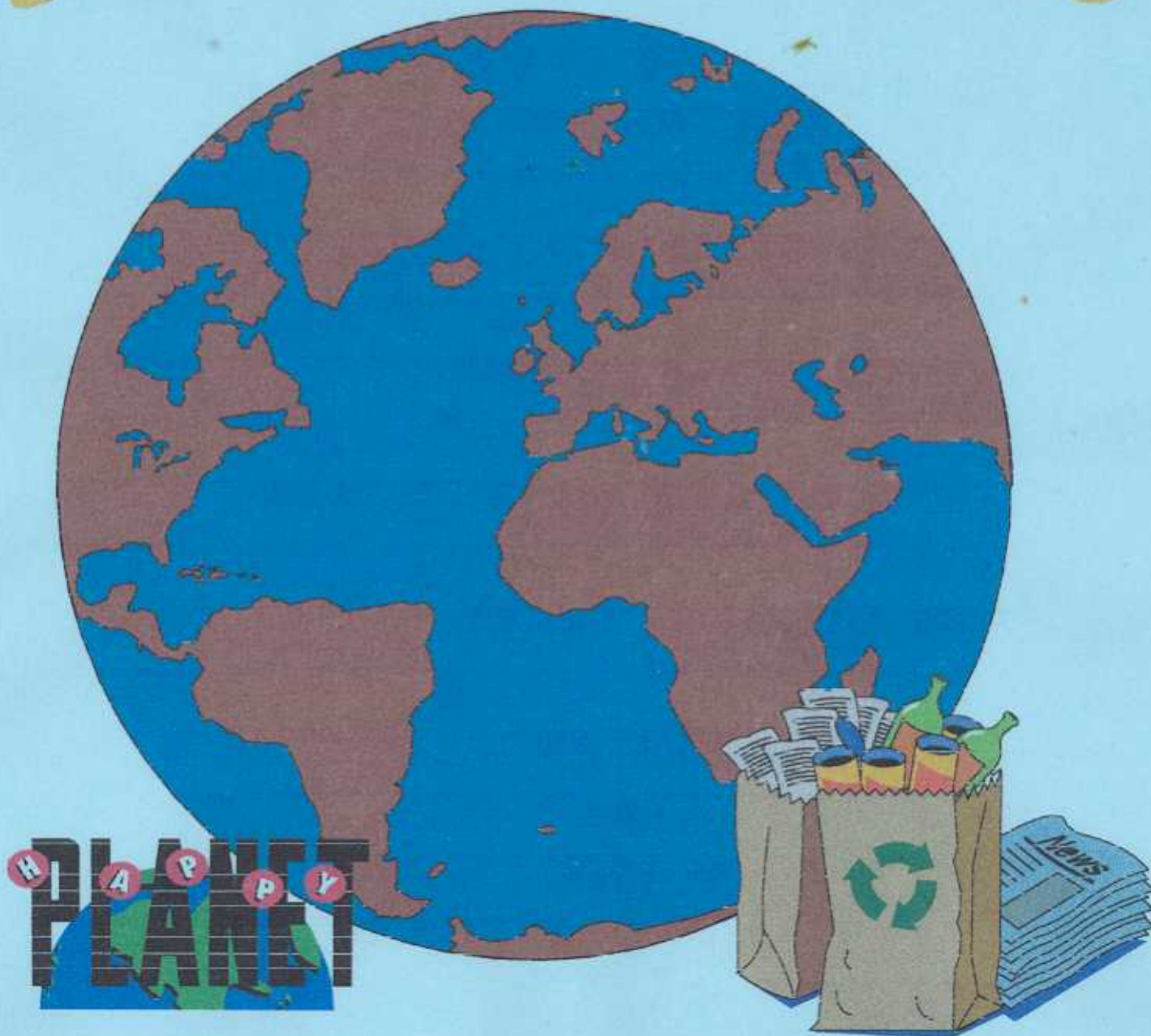


# SUPERRECYCLE



P.S.233Q @ 827

Principal-Maureen Sadowski

Ass't Principal-Kathleen Werner

Sample identification sheet to be included with all materials submitted.

Contest Name: Super Recyclers

School Number: P.233 @ 827

School Name:

District: 75

Borough: Queens

Grade Division:  Elementary  Middle  High School

School Address (including zip code): 109-36 204th Street  
Hollis, N.Y. 11412

Phone: (718) 465-8310

Fax: (718) 465-3939

Email:

Principal: Maureen Sadowski

Contest Coordinator: Nancy Washington

Names of participating students, classes, and staff:

The entire student and staff population  
participated in this project.

P233Q@827 is a school for children with severe and profound developmental delays. The children work to increase their independence in life skills and cognitive awareness.

Our students learn by actively participating in a wide variety of “hands-on” lessons that give them the opportunity to interact with the materials and information presented to them. Our school has worked to incorporate recycling into all aspects of our program and we have supplemented the work of the students with pictures and videos as documentation.

We are entering this year’s “Trash Master Recycling Contest” in all three areas. For the “Reduce & Reuse Challenge” we developed a “Recipe for Recycling Book” that offers many suggestions on how people can reduce the amount of waste in our environment. For the “Super Recycle Contest” we presented a binder showing our school’s recycling efforts and produced a video showing our school’s commitment to the project. Finally for the “Team Up to Clean Up” Contest we showed how our students and staff work together to beautify our school community.

Our Super Recycle Binder is a photographic documentary of our school's efforts to recycle paper in the appropriate containers. It contains photographs of the recycling bins that are located throughout the building and the words to a song that we wrote about the need to recycle. Our project also includes a videotape of our staff (classroom staff, therapists and office workers) as they join our students in singing the song we wrote.



*Our whole school gets into the act*



*by properly disposing of paper into*



*labeled trash bins. Classrooms, cafeteria,*



*staff lounge, even all of our many*



*offices have bins.*

# Assistant Principal's Office



# Main Office





Cafeteria

Principal's Office





Payroll Office

Therapists'  
Office





General Office



Classroom

Staff Lounge



We got together Judy and I to write a song about recycling. When we finished the lyrics, Sharon's class, Sophia, Alyce, Chanay, Peter, and Ethlyn thought about a tune that would fit. Ethlyn said, "sing it to the tune of You Are My Sunshine" and that was the beginning of our song. Everybody rehearsed and rehearsed. Even our principal and assistant principal.

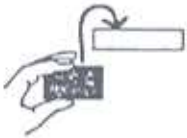
Finally it was time to tape. Joseph video taped us singing in therapy, in the office and then we took our show to the schoolyard where hundreds of children from our neighboring school watched and applauded.



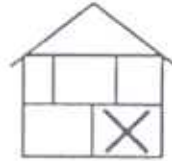
# SCIENCE RECYCLING



We must save our planet.



Put trashed things to use.



Or else we won't have room to do



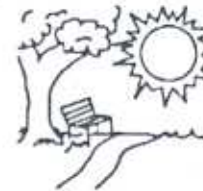
the things we like to do.



to do the things we like to do.



We will have no baseball fields.



Just city dumps. No lovely parks.



Just city dumps No malls for sales.



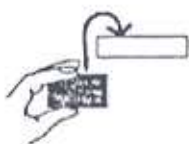
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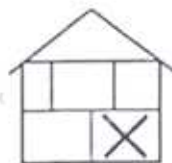
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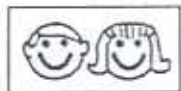
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Recycling Program

Song Tune:  
YOU ARE MY SUN  
SHINE

The  
End



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PREMIUM  
QUALITY

A video of the students and  
staff at DSSD 577 singing a  
song written by the same  
They video shows their commitment  
to recycling and the schools spirit