



Minimize food waste generated at your school by incorporating leftover fruits and vegetables from the salad bar into your school garden compost activities!

- 1 Ask your principal if composting on campus is an approved activity.
- 2 If approved by the principal, contact the District's Environmental Specialist, Janet Whited at jwhited@sandi.net
- 3 Work with Food Services staff to estimate the quantity and frequency of your salad bar waste collection from the cafeteria.
- 4 Provide a container with lid (5 gallon bucket works well) for collection of salad bar leftovers, and create a pickup schedule.
- 5 Designate students or adults to pick up the waste (on scheduled days) & deliver it to the school garden's compost system.
- 6 Rinse out the collection container with water and return it to the cafeteria to be used on the next scheduled Café to Compost day.