

# Composting: Recipe for Success

Brown Stuff + Green Stuff + Air + Water

- Place compost bin on bare soil in a convenient location near a water source
- Start compost pile with leaves and plant trimmings
- Cut kitchen scraps into small pieces to speed decomposition
- Bury kitchen scraps
- Keep material as moist as a well-wrung out sponge
- Stir or turn pile regularly to add air



## Keep your compost bin cookin'

### Add 'green stuff'

- 🍏 vegetable scraps & peelings
- 🍏 fruit peelings & cores
- 🍏 spoiled produce
- 🍏 egg shells
- 🍏 coffee grounds & filters
- 🍏 tea bags
- 🍏 grass clippings
- 🍏 spent plants & trimmings

### Keep out!

- 🚫 oils or animal fats
- 🚫 meat or fish scraps
- 🚫 bones
- 🚫 dairy products
- 🚫 peanut butter
- 🚫 diseased plants
- 🚫 weed seeds
- 🚫 pet waste
- 🚫 pesticides