

## **Celeste - Composting action group**

## What was your goal and what did you achieve?

My goal is to have the school aware of how composting works as well as the benefits of reusing. I would also like to see this compost being used throughout our gardens. I have researched and learnt many things about decomposition. I set up a composting action group and used my research to teach the children in the group. I have been fortunate enough the staff at my school have helped me with the resources I needed, such as composting bins and food collection bins. My grandfather bought composting worms to help boost up the process. I have made posters for the classrooms explaining what you should and shouldn't put in the bins.

## **Biggest success?**

My composting project is going terrifically and will bloom even more in the coming years.

## Next steps?

I will be training a few Year 6s so that this movement can be continued through the years after I leave at the end of this year. I would like to thank Y.E.C. for this amazing experience and enabling me to be a part of it, I really do believe that Y.E.C. has helped me realise that not everything revolves around a screen and that it's ok to come out of your comfort zone!

This case study was written by Celeste.



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