

Lower Your School's Carbon Footprint Outside Initiatives



No Idling while dropping off or picking up



Install Bike Racks & Bike Lanes



Plant a School Garden



Plant Trees



Compost & Recycle as much as you can



School



Install Photovoltaic Cells on your School's Roof

Lower Your School's Carbon Footprint Inside Initiatives



Use Reusable lunch containers



Recycle what you can



Turn down the heat in the winter
Cut back on Air Conditioning
in the summer

Turn off the lights
when not in use
(use energy efficient
light bulbs)



Classroom

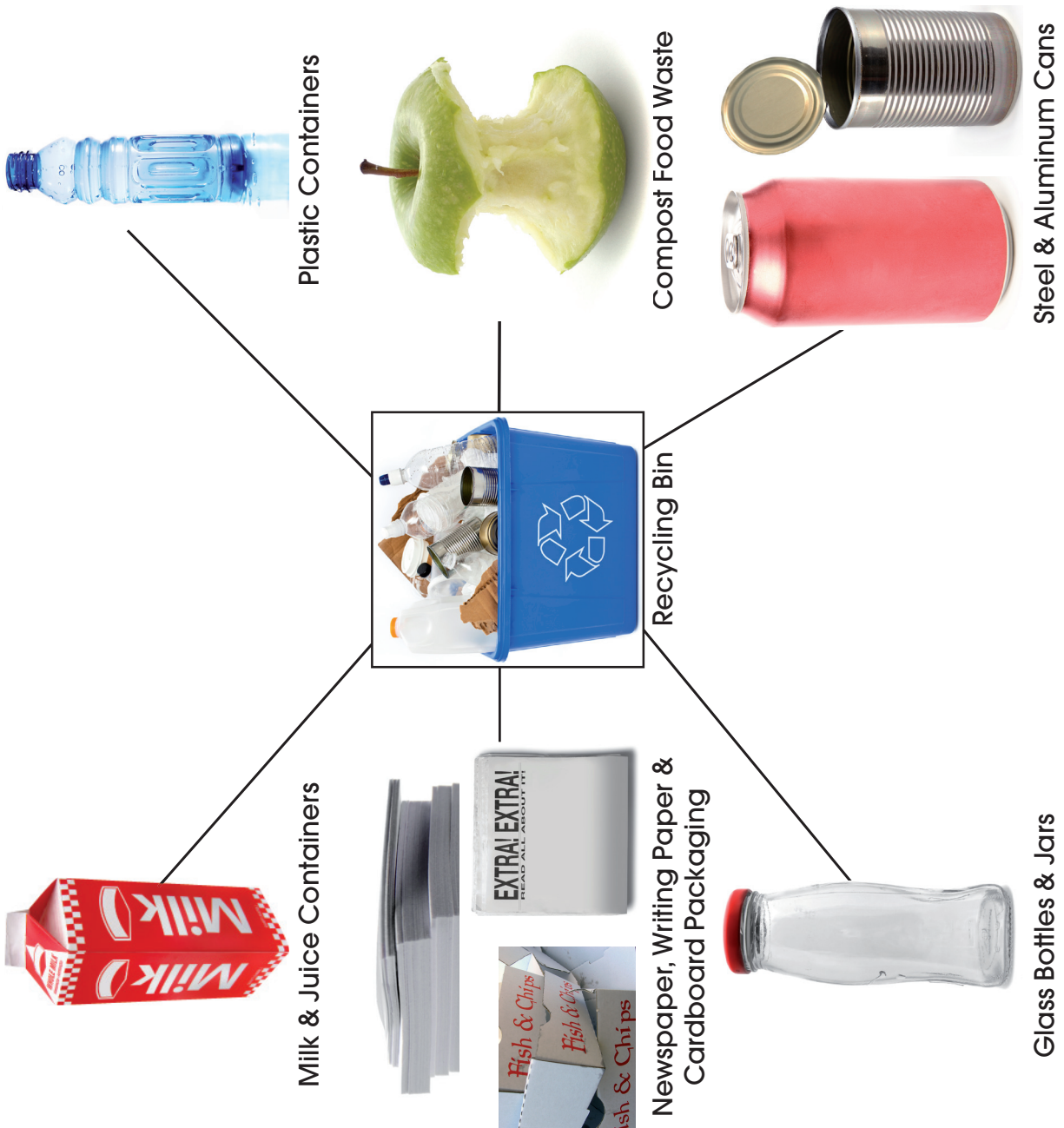


Use both sides of
the paper



Unplug electrical equipment
when not in use

Recycling at School



Green School Charter

1 Travel wisely by...

- Design activities to promote walking and cycling
- Use public transportation
- Organize a rideshare or carpool

3 Reduce Waste by...

- Reduce paper use
- Eliminate bottled water
- Bring only zero-waste lunch
- Repair rather than disposing
- Compost

2 Save Energy by...

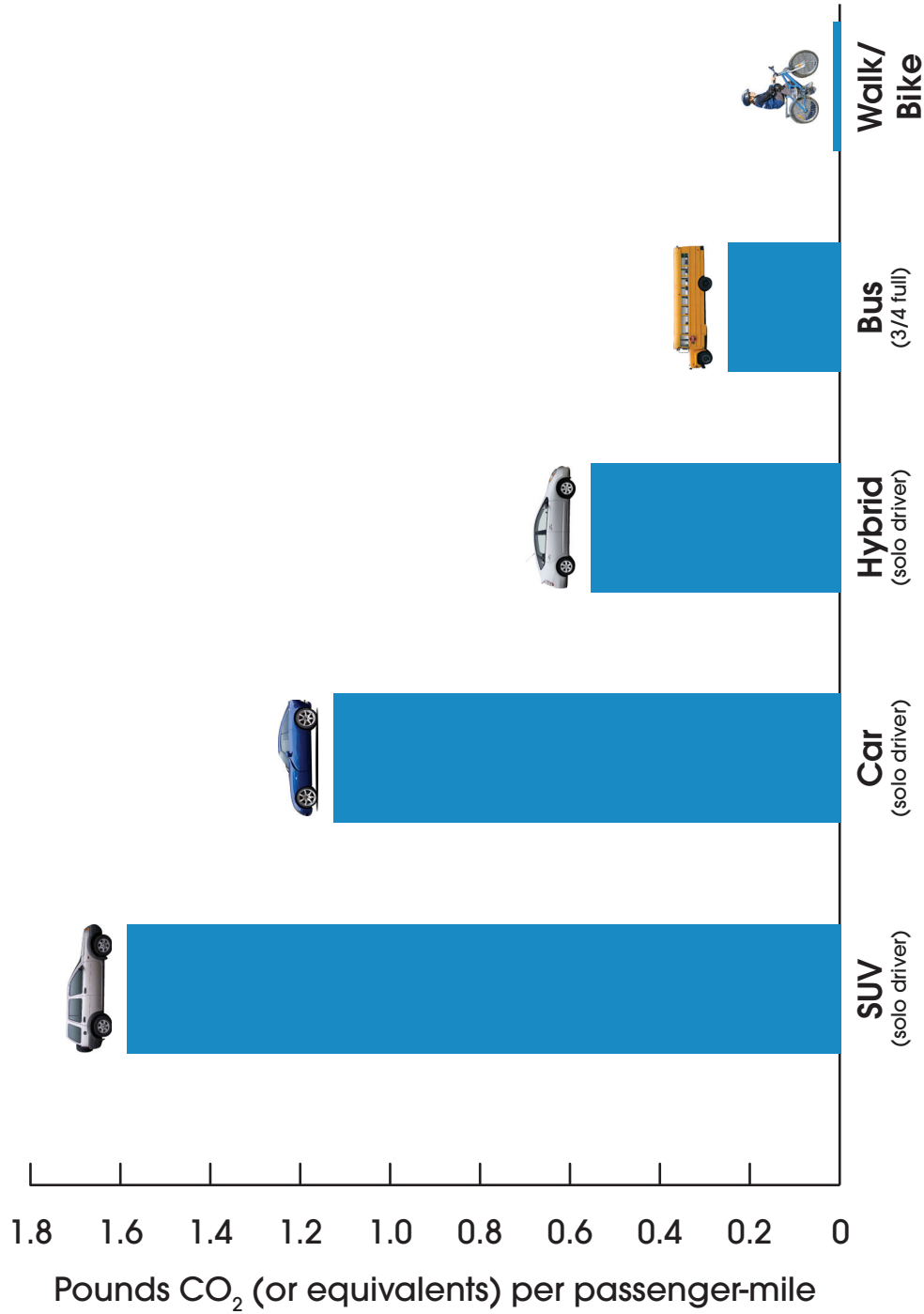
- Shut off lights and faucets
- Put computers to sleep
- Use water wisely
- Close doors and windows
- Buy equipment that is energy efficient
- Become a solar school

4 Care for your school yard by...

- Harvest storm water
- Plant trees
- Grow a garden



Your Transportation Carbon Footprint



How Carbon Offsets Work

