

Become a

# **Master Composter** or **Master Resource Conservationist**

with **RecycleWorks!**

Join San Mateo County's **RecycleWorks Volunteer Academy** in two NO-COST, 8-week courses and a webinar focused on resource conservation, composting, and solid waste. Learn hands-on from local experts and gain concrete skills to promote sustainability in your community!

Participation in the RecycleWorks Volunteer Academy is available only to San Mateo County residents and those who work in San Mateo County.



## introductory **webinar**

**Sunday January 10, 2016**  
11am to 1pm

### **Resource Conservation 101**

Learn about how water, energy, solid waste, and pollution are managed in San Mateo County, and what you can do to conserve our precious natural resources at home and at work.

**Register online:**

[www.recycleworks.org/sustainability/rva\\_resource\\_101.html](http://www.recycleworks.org/sustainability/rva_resource_101.html)



This no-cost educational program is made available through the County of San Mateo.



8-week

# master courses

## 2016 schedule

### Master Compost + Solid Waste

Learn how to build a home composting system, how waste is managed in San Mateo County, and gain skills you can use to become a materials management advocate and leader.

**2016 schedule** (Tuesdays, 6-9 pm):

**February 09**

**March 08**

**February 16**

**March 15**

**February 23**

**March 22**

**March 01**

**March 29**

### Master Resource Conservation

Become an expert in *water, energy, green building, and solid waste management* in San Mateo County and gain skills you can use to become a resource sustainability advocate and leader.

**2016 schedule** (Wednesdays, 6-9 pm):

**January 20**

**February 17**

**January 27**

**February 24**

**February 03**

**March 02**

**February 10**

**March 09**

Master Course participants will have support from course instructors and RecycleWorks staff to complete 40 volunteer hours after the courses end.

#### Every volunteer gets:

- ✓ Direct interaction with local sustainability experts
- ✓ Concrete skills and training opportunities
- ✓ Meaningful, community focused volunteer opportunities
- ✓ Chance to fulfill community service hour requirements, if you are a high school student

#### Volunteers who complete at least 7 classes get:

- ✓ Master Compost + Solid Waste: choice of backyard or vermi-composting bin
- ✓ Master Resource Conservation: "goodie bag" full of fun and useful resource conserving tools



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VOLUNTEER ACADEMY



Course information and registration is available at:

[www.recycleworks.org/sustainability/rva.html](http://www.recycleworks.org/sustainability/rva.html)

or contact Eun-Soo Lim, RecycleWorks Coordinator,  
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