



Tour de la Bourse

Place Victoria

is improving its recycling program and working for a greener future.

Will you be part of it?

Did you know ... ?

- ♻️ Each tonne of recycled paper saves 15 to 20 trees from being cut down;
- ♻️ Good quality paper that sorted well can be recycled up to seven times;
- ♻️ Each tonne of recycled paper or cardboard contributes to creating more than five jobs;
- ♻️ You can remelt aluminium indefinitely without altering its quality;
- ♻️ It takes approximately 5 bottles of 2-litres each of PET (polyethylene terephthalate) to make the insulation in a ski jacket.

Look for these symbols and recycle with us!

New recycling units displaying these symbols will soon be available.

A guide for their use:



- numbered plastics (1, 2, 4, 5);
- clear and coloured plastic bottles and containers;
- plastic covers and stoppers;
- grocery and shopping bags;
- glass bottles and pots of all shapes and colours;
- aluminium cans;
- conserving containers;
- non-soiled aluminium plates and paper;
- metal covers;

Your waste paper baskets are equipped with a smaller container for non-recyclable items, which allows for maximum use of the waste paper basket when it comes to recycling the following items:



- newspapers and magazines;
- file folders;
- phone books and directories;
- torn paper;
- envelopes (with or without window);
- related documents;
- coloured and white paper;
- computer paper.

What else can I do at the office to contribute to the fight against climate change?

- ♻️ I can actively participate in the recycling program;
- ♻️ I can use durable and reusable dishes;
- ♻️ I can print out documents using both sides of the page;
- ♻️ I can turn off my computer when leaving the office for more than 30 minutes;
- ♻️ I can avoid unnecessary travel and opt for teleconferencing when possible;
- ♻️ I can walk or use public transport, instead of a car or taxi, when going to meetings;
- ♻️ I can turn off the lights in conference rooms that are not being used, as well as electronic equipment, personal lighting and radios, at the end of each day;
- ♻️ I can reduce the quantity of paper in circulation by sending messages and documents electronically rather than using paper copies.





Useful links for a greener future:

General information:

www.recyc-quebec.gouv.gc.ca

www.ec.gc.ca

www.recyagemag.com

www.prorecyclage.com

Information for the office:

How to organize an environmentally-friendly meeting:

[www.epa.gov/epaoswer/non-hw/](http://www.epa.gov/epaoswer/non-hw/reduce/grn-mtgs/gm-bklt.pdf)

[reduce/grn-mtgs/gm-bklt.pdf](http://www.epa.gov/epaoswer/non-hw/reduce/grn-mtgs/gm-bklt.pdf)

[www.ns.ec.gc.ca/greenman/](http://www.ns.ec.gc.ca/greenman/during_f.html)

[during_f.html](http://www.ns.ec.gc.ca/greenman/during_f.html)

Information for children:

www.enjeu.qc.ca

www.marueverte.ca

www.ecoloisir.qc.ca

