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K-CUP CLASS

St. Elizabeth School
Mr. Cameron's class
Thunder Bay, Ontario



Cup Craze

Mr. Cameron's grade 6 students at St. Elizabeth School are thinking outside the cup! K-Cups—those coffee pods used in Keurig single-serve coffee machines—are environmentally unfriendly. Billions of these plastic pods are dumped in landfills each year. Fortunately, recyclable K-Cups will eventually be available—but not until the year 2020. So the students in Mr. Cameron's class use K-Cups in many creative ways: to figure out fractions and ratios, show patterns and geometric shapes, and aid in addition and subtraction. They also use the pods as mini-pots for planting herbs, and they're inspiring other classrooms to do the same. Now that's green power! To find out more about their program and how you can reuse K-Cups, go to tinyurl.com/k-cupclass.



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