Sustainability Update - February 2025

We continue maintain our 5star Sustainability rating - ResourceSmart School (RSS).

This year we need to work on updating two modules,

- Biodiversity module is due for re-accreditation in September 2025
- Waste module is due for re-accreditation in December 2025

The weekly Sustainability lessons will not commence until semester two due to timetabling clashes in semester one. If an opportunity presents itself, sustainability audits will be conducted with selected year 5/6 students.

We have continued to ramp up our **classroom, staffroom and outside bins** on our return to school. Each class has received a quick refresher as to what goes into the bins.

Yellow bin in classrooms and areas – paper and hard plastic

10c Yellow bin outside – anything with the 10c logo

Blue Murfee bin – other recyclables including bottle caps, bread tags, ring pulls, oral care, old pens, pencils, textas and glue sticks,

Red bin - land fill, all other waste

Green caddy – all food scraps

Food scraps buckets outside – all food scraps

'WOW' Wednesday and Fruity Friday have begun for the year. House captains are responsible for giving out house points and collecting data on these days.

Active Travel - a ride and walk to school day will be held each term so the first one will coincide with National Ride2School day on Friday 21st March.

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