DO YOU KNOW ABOUT BATTERIES?

Australians use about

250 MILLION

AA and AAA batteries each year!

When you throw a **battery in the bin**, there is a risk of **toxic substances** entering our **earth** and **ground water**

Batteries contain heavy metals and other toxic elements such as Nickel, Cadmium, Mercury and Lead Acid.

What can we do?

Do you know you can dispose of your batteries safely, **free of charge**? Most tips will have a separate area to dispose of batteries and items that contain batteries e.g. phones, cameras. Still not sure where? Give us a call 9792 7350

Have you thought about rechargeable batteries? Technology has greatly improved in recent years. Many rechargeable batteries can now be recharged hudreds of times. This will help the environment and save you money long term. Why not give them a go?

Together we can watch our waste and help create a sustainable future for the South West

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