

Congratulations!

This is now a **low waste** office!



Here's how it works

- ✓ Desk-side trash bins will be replaced by Mini Bins.
- ✓ Compost bins will be added to kitchenettes.
- ✓ Recycling bins will remain unaffected.



Your new mini bin

Use your Mini Bin to carry waste from your office to your kitchenette where you can sort waste into the containers. Please note - cleaners will not empty mini bins!

Big waste reduction

Adding compost to 115 kitchenettes and replacing 2,300 trash bins with mini bins **will divert 80% of Concordia's office waste** from landfills.*

Daily collection


Your office compost bin will be emptied every day so there is no risk of odors or fruit flies.

Easy

Using the compost bin is as easy as using a trash bin. Not sure what goes in the compost? You'll find that most items are compostable or recyclable. **Turn over this sheet for more info!**

Get in touch

For more information, visit concordia.ca/zero-waste.
For inquiries about waste collection, contact cleaning@concordia.ca

We are excited to be taking a major step to reduce waste at Concordia.
Thanks for being part of this positive change. 

* According to the 2014 pilot project waste audit results.

Not sure what goes where?

Read these tips!

Compost organics

All food scraps,



soiled paper,



items labelled compostable



Recycle coffee cups

Coffee cups



#5 lids



#6 Lids go in the trash!



Or, use a mug!



Need more info?

Visit concordia.ca/zero-waste to get up to date waste sorting posters.

Help us make this a success!

We need enthusiastic volunteers to help make the transition smooth! You can also help us implement other waste reduction initiatives in your office.

Visit concordia.ca/zero-waste to sign-up.

