



## Marker Recycling Program

### **Program Summary**

Color Cycle is a free marker recycling program sponsored by Crayola. K-12 schools (in the 48 contiguous states) may participate in this program and assist in diverting hundreds of tons of marker waste from landfills.

The markers will be sent to a facility that will convert them into clean fuel that will power vehicles, cook meals, heat homes and more.

After registering in the Color Cycle program, markers are collected in a central location at the school. Once approximately 100 unusable markers (about 40 pounds) have been collected, they are boxed up and a Crayola pre-paid Fed Ex shipping label is printed from the Color Cycle website.

All brands of plastic markers including dry erase and highlighters may be collected. Bear Creek Community Charter School's Color Cycle collection box is located in the Art Room, Room C 110. Parents are asked to send unusable markers in a sealed gallon-sized Zip Lock bag when their child has art class.

**Grade Level:** K-8

**Implementation Timeline:** August -June.

**Learn More:** <https://www.crayola.com/colorcycle.aspx>

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